Council of Graduate Students

Michigan State University

Resolution: 19-SS-42

Title: A resolution to accept Finance Committee recommendations for GSO Event

Funding

Introduced Ex Post by: Finance Committee Introduced on: March 13, 2019

THE COUNCIL OF GRADUATE STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ENACTS:

WHEREAS, The Full Council has allocated \$15,260 this fiscal year in GSO event funding; and,

WHEREAS, The 2018-2019 budget assigns \$22,000 toward event funding requests; and,

WHEREAS, Nine groups requested funding for events taking place after the March Full Council Meeting, totaling \$9,570; and,

RECOGNIZING; The funding guidelines do not provide guidance as to how to allocate funding when more money is requested than is budgeted; and,

RECOGNIZING, The importance of providing financial support to graduate student organizations for events that benefit the graduate and professional student community; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED; The Finance Committee recommends reducing each March event allocation to 70.4% of the original request in order to stay within budget; and,

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Finance Committee recommends funding for the graduate student organizations listed below for their respective events totaling \$6,740.00 for the Spring of 2019:

Plant Biology GSO (self-defense workshop)	\$80.00
Plant Biology GSO (end of year meeting)	\$140.00
Latino Law Society	\$352.00,
Horticulture Organization of Graduate Students	\$888.00
Bangladesh Students Association	\$1056.00,
Pakistani Students Association	\$1056.00,
Indian Students Organization	\$1056.00,
Malaysian Student Organization	\$1056.00,
ATLAS/Women's Law Caucus/PILS	\$1056.00.

BE IT RESOLVED, That COGS Full Council authorizes funding for the recommended registered student organization events in accordance with COGS

Event Funding Guidelines contingent upon Finance Committee recommendations; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution will take effect at the end of the Full Council meeting in which it was adopted.

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Recording Secretary