# LAW SCHOOL COUNCIL RSO Funding Allocation Report

Meeting Date: Sep 13, 2021 Meeting Time: 7:00pm Meeting Location: Zoom

**LSC Members Present:** Arianna Hernandez, Reinaldo Gomez, Justin Delise, Alison Bowlby, Allison Nelson, Samantha Seiglie, David Akintonde

Organization	Event/Conference Name, Date, #of students impacted	Expense (travel, hotels, mileage)	Food (food, supplies)	Promo Items (tshirts)	Total
Trial Team College of Law	Nikki Branch, 10/6/2021, 27 students		\$130		\$130
Moot Court	Corrine Bowden, 10/23/2021, 32 students		\$536		\$536
BLSA	Lauren Rolfe, 10/2/2021, 36 students		\$69		\$69
BLSA	Lauren Rolfe, 10/7/2021, 36 students		\$250		\$250
CABA	Alejandra Gancedo, 10/7/2021, 50 students		\$240		\$240
BLSA	Lauren Rolfe, 10/19/2021, 50 students		\$290		\$290
PAD	Amanda Valter, 10/5/2021, 50 students		\$239		\$239

PILSA	Khamisi Thorpe, 10/26/2021, 20 students	\$70		\$70
AIRR	Cameron Polomski, 10/20/2021, 20 students	\$150		\$150
ELS	Cameron Polomski, 10/11/2021, 50 students	\$66		\$66
HILSA	Briana Bedoya, 10/14/2021, 50 students	\$435	\$300 (Contractu al Services)	\$735
Total				\$2,775

Organizations receive funds for the particular conference of event, any funds not spent will be swept back to the funding council and eventually to COGS at the end of the fiscal year. COGS approval is required for all expenditures, and funds are only granted to organizations who follow policies outlined in the SGA/COGS Financial Manual, COGS Code, and SGA Statutes.

The Law School Council (LSC) reserves the right to sweep any funds back to us. If an organization wishes to use the funds for a reason other than the one they described at the meeting, they must get approval from LSC.

## **Meeting Minutes**

Organization: Trial Team FSU LAW Date/time of event: 10/06/2021 12:15pm Amount requested: \$129.97 Fruit Platter \$44.99 Cookie Platter \$14.99 Sub Platter \$69.99

#### Purpose of funds:

This meeting is meant to introduce interested students to the College of Law Trial Team. Executive members will speak to their experiences as part of the Trial Team and will provide a general overview of what the Trial Team does. We will also answer any questions that attendees may have. Our team is nationally ranked and we want to continue attracting talented members. There will have food as the meeting is during lunch hours. Food will include sandwiches (offering a vegetarian sandwich option), cookies, and fruit. Drinks will also be provided but are not available for pricing through the Publix app. The estimate includes the cost of paper plates and cups.

Interest meeting. Expecting 1L and 2L students, around 30 but could be more. Aiming around the lunch hour.

Notes:

	Arianna Hernandez	Ali Bowlby	Reinaldo Gomez	David Akintonde	Justin Delise	Allison Nelson	Samantha Seiglie
Vote	Үау	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay

### Organization: Moot Court Date/Time of event: 10/23/2021 Amount requested: \$536.00

1. Apparel Subsidy - Consistent with last year's contribution from the school for team apparel, requesting \$400.

2. Team Socials - requesting \$500 toward a team social on October 7th or October 22nd (the exact date is yet to be determined by final tally of the team's availability).

3. Two Weeks With the Team -- At Moot Court is Not Moot Panel, ordering from Chipotle, and it is expected to cost \$340.00. At the Fall Showcase, order Papa Johns, which is expected to cost \$195.59. Therefore, total for the Two Weeks With The Team would actually be \$536.00 (rounded up).

**Purpose of Funds:** For the events, the first one is a team social and we have not nailed down a date yet. We have 32 team members which is who we are expecting. We are throwing this event for the 2L and 3L to get to know each other. The options are restaurants, no alcohol will be purchased with this money. Focused on food purchases. Two weeks with the team is before final four competition. Attorneys and judges come and speak to not moot court members but people from the law school. Aimed toward encouraging participation from the law school. Moot court not moot is what to expect if students were on the team, like an interest meeting. For the apparel subsidy we want to do quarter zips.

## Notes:

We need a quote for apparel to vote. We will not be able to vote without that quote. The social and apparel is not open to the entire law school anyway so not fair to approve.

	Arianna Hernandez	Ali Bowlby	Reinaldo Gomez	David Akintonde	Justin Delise	Allison Nelson	Samantha Seiglie
Vote APPAREL	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Vote SOCIAL	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Vote	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

## VOTE:

Chipotle							
Vote Papa Johns	Yes						

Organization: BLSA Date/time of event: 10/02/2021 10:00am Amount requested: \$68.97 Pastry Platter \$14.99 Mini Croissant \$18.99 Fruit Platter \$34.99 Purpose of funds: This event will be facili

**Purpose of funds:** This event will be facilitated by the Association of Black Psychologists on October 2, 2021. Prior to the healing circle students will be provided a light breakfast before being led in a short yoga session. Following the yoga session, the virtual healing circle will begin. The healing circle is a trusting virtual Black space that allows the black law students to express their thoughts and feelings and tell their stories. The past year and a half has been a challenging given COVID-19 and the racial awakening that is happening. Law school is a very challenging space to be in, we want to remind our Black students of their strengths, heal and acknowledge our harms and honor our collective experiences.

Hybrid: zoom and in person expecting about 40 participants.

### Notes:

Ali: Reasonable amount. Fair for the number of people attending. Under \$70 for 40 people.

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Vote	Үау	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay

Organization: BLSA Date/time of event: 10/07/2021 6:00pm Amount Requested: \$249.55

Quantity 35

Chicken Sandwich Meal \$7.13

**Purpose of funds:** BLSA is hosting its first "fall Semester note-taking and outlining workshop for 1L's."The workshop will provide 1L's valuable tools to help them reach success during their first year of law school. Students will learn the basics of IRAC, how to synthesize rules and case law into a condensed format, and receive tips and tricks from upperclassmen. This will give 1L's the opportunity to ask questions as well as provide them with a networking opportunity to meet people from other sections and

Dean Roig, who will be facilitating the panel discussion.

For 1Ls to learn how to take notes and give them a heads up on things they should know. Expecting attendance is around 36.

	Arianna Hernandez	Ali Bowlby	Reinaldo Gomez	David Akintonde	Justin Delise	Allison Nelson	Samantha Seiglie
Vote	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay

#### Organization: CABA Amount Requested: \$240

8 XL Pizza's at \$30

Date/Time of event: 10/07/2021 at 12:30pm

**Purpose**: This event will be co-hosted by several organizations, including Cuban American Bar Association (CABA), American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU), Black Law Students Association (BLSA), Hispanic Law Students Association (HLSA), and OUTLaw on October 7th, Thursday at 12:30PM. Lisa T. Roberts works for the SEC and will give a presentation on her career path and journey through law school via Zoom. Ms. Roberts asked CABA and BLSA to include several organizations for a diverse student attendance. Ms. Roberts gives a great presentation to CABA and BLSA every year and our students will benefit from both learning about her career path and about what the SEC does. Lisa Roberts also has internship opportunities. Gives a speech for BLSA and CABA.

	Arianna Hernandez	Ali Bowlby	Reinaldo Gomez	David Akintonde	Justin Delise	Allison Nelson	Samantha Seiglie
Vote	Abstain	Yay	Үау	Yay	Yay	Үау	Yay

Organization: BLSA Date/time of event: 10/19/2021 6:30pm Amount requested: \$290.00 Arroz con pollo \$150.00 Black Beans \$90.00 Chips and Salsa \$50.00 Purpose of funds: Please join the Delores

**Purpose of funds:** Please join the Delores Poindexter Auzenne Chapter of the Black Law Students Association for our annual Induction Ceremony. This is an opportunity for BLSA to recognize its newest members and officially induct them into our organization. This year's theme will be Resilience. The event will take place on Tuesday, October 19, 2019, at 6:30pm and will last approximately 1.5 hours. We will hear inspiring words from a Keynote speaker before our new members are inducted by a special guest. Food and drinks will be catered. This is a formal event so attendees should dress in business casual/business professional attire.

Ceremony for new members and old members. Guest speaker. Expecting 40 people. **Notes:** 

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Vote	Yay	Үау	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay

Organization: P.A.D. Date/time of event: 10/5/2021 12:30pm Amount requested: \$238.81

Red Elephant Total: \$238.81

- 3 sandwich platters (feeds 30-45): \$119.97

- 3 large fruit platters (feeds 36-54): \$89.97
- 3 12-packs of soda: \$23.90
- 1 pack of bottled water: \$4.97

**Purpose of funds:** This event is a part of a year-long panel series dedicated to helping students become more familiar with different areas of law that they may be interested in with the goal of helping them narrow their field of interest. Students attending the event will be able to participate in a question and answer session with a panel of practicing attorneys in the field of criminal law. After the question and answer session, students will have an opportunity to network with the speakers to develop professional relationships. Students will be asked to submit questions for the panelists prior to the event and will need to RSVP in order to receive food. Have someone from US Attorney, and a Private Crim defense attorney. Spend time doing Q&A and mingling. Expecting 50 people.

	Arianna Hernandez	Ali Bowlby	Reinaldo Gomez	David Akintonde	Justin Delise	Allison Nelson	Samantha Seiglie
Vote	Үау	Yay	Үау	No	Yay	Yay	Yay

#### Notes:

David Akintonde: Invoice is not written with an actual quote and they have not confirmed a speaker yet.

Samantha Seiglie: you can find the prices online and I just confirmed that they are accurate. Amanda Valter: We are solidifying the speaker by the end of this week.

#### Organization: PILSA

## Date/time of event: 10/26/2021 12:30pm Amount requested: \$69.97 Publix Deli Sub Platter \$49.98 Publix Fresh Fruit Platter \$19.99

**Purpose of funds:** Community public interest organizations panel/networking event. We invite organizations who do public interest in the community including but not limited to Guardian Ad Litem, Disability Rights Florida, Department of Children and Families, and Innocence Project. They would discuss what they do, the impacts they make, the steps they took personally to get to where they are, and also explain how to get involved in the community and possibly volunteer with them. This event is to benefit students interested in public interest law.

#### Notes:

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Vote	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay

Organization: AIRR

**Date/Time of event:** \$160.00 \$7.49/per person x 20 attendees = \$149.50

Sweet Tea (Goodies)

**Purpose of Funds:** We will be inviting a guest speaker to come and talk to the group about another issue in immigration law. We will be bringing through Zoom Jeannie Economos, who works for the Farmworkers Association of Florida, to talk about her experiences helping migrant laborers for decades. Her specialty is environmental justice, which is the central interest of several of our group members. Jeannie is the one who welcomes FSU students on alternative spring break, so it will be additionally helpful for the students to meet her before going on the alternative spring break.

### Notes: N/A

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Vote	Үау	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay

Organization: Environmental Law Society Date/time of event: 10/11/2021 8:30am Amount requested: \$65.89 3 coffee to go box \$17.50/each Almond milk \$2.00

**Purpose of funds:** This event is a tabling event that will take place on a Monday morning in October. Everyone will be encouraged to bring their own thermoses or mugs to have some coffee, and learn environmental facts. This event fills a need since the Starbucks is no longer in existence on the law school campus. Law students need coffee, so this is the perfect opportunity to fulfill this need while teaching them environmental facts about coffee, plastic waste, and the ease in which an individual can do something helpful for the environment by bringing their own coffee receptacle instead of using a disposable cup.

#### Notes:

	Arianna Hernandez	Ali Bowlby	Reinaldo Gomez	David Akintonde	Justin Delise	Allison Nelson	Samantha Seiglie
Vote	Yay	Үау	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay

Organization: Hispanic Law Student Association Date/time of event: 10/14/2021 5-8pm Amount requested: Walmart \$49.90

Great Value Napkins \$4.98 Sprite \$11.36 Foam Plates \$3.98 Coca Cola \$11.36 Forks and Spoons \$9.96 Clear Plastic Cups \$3.88 Water \$4.38

Habana Boardwalk \$385.00

DJ Contractual Services \$300.00

Bounce house \$138.68

#### Purpose of funds:

This event is to organize an educational and informative platform for our law students from different Hispanic backgrounds to come together and represent their countries of origin on the law school lawn. This event will have plenty of fun activities such as a bounce house, a Disc jockey, and of course food. Bring students and the community together. Inviting speakers of Hispanic descent.

#### Notes:

Concern about the bounce house. Treasurer said he would speak with facilities and get approval beforehand. Concern about the DJ. This is a DJ used in prior years. Treasurer has experience with DJ through SBA. Concern about turnout. Treasurer assured us that numbers for

the event are growing. There may be more, the event is open to all students so we hope to see the numbers turnout.

We are not going to vote on the bounce house until we have permission from the law school.  $^{\ast}$ 

### Walmart Supplies:

	Arianna Hernandez	Ali Bowlby	Reinaldo Gomez	David Akintonde	Justin Delise	Allison Nelson	Samantha Seiglie
Vote	Үау	Yay	Үау	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay

Habana Boardwalk:

	Arianna Hernandez	Ali Bowlby	Reinaldo Gomez	David Akintonde	Justin Delise	Allison Nelson	Samantha Seiglie
Vote	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay	Yay

DJ:

	Arianna Hernandez	Ali Bowlby	Reinaldo Gomez	David Akintonde	Justin Delise	Allison Nelson	Samantha Seiglie
Vote	Yay	Үау	Yay	Үау	Yay	No	Yay