

RTAC Minutes 1/13/2020

Members Present: Sneha, Gigi, Val, Dani, Connor

Guests: Ryan, Victoria, Shayna, Alex, Brandon

Progressive Black Men

Preliminary Remarks:

- Annual service trip to Baton Rouge hit by Hurricane Barry 2/20-2/23
- Show that FSU supports all communities
- Requesting about \$4,000 in lodging and travel
- 30 people traveling

Questions/ Additional Comments:

- Gives students exposure to new environments
- Get connections with local orgs
- Usually meet after trip to go over everything learned on trip to next GBM and possibly bring fundraiser to campus
- Pub at market wednesday, bring people who show interest in planning the trip and in org
- Pub on IG
- Worked at concessions, have mini games at Market Wednesday, and bake sale to fundraise for trip
- Yay: 4
- Nay: 0
- Abstain: 0
- Voted to fund \$2,000 in category of Lodging

The Saxophone Association of FSU

Preliminary Remarks:

- Conference of the North American Saxophone Alliance, one of the premier conferences in the world
- Promote study of saxophone on campus
- Applying as an ensemble to perform at the conference
- Perform for other saxophone leaders and learn from other players and professors
- Represent FSU music school well
- High school students also attend the conference and FSU can recruit top students to the Music School

Questions/ Additional Comments:

- Talking to Dean, have College of Music fundraising group that will help, GoFundMe, fundraiser concerts
- Advertise on College of Music FB page and student run page where opportunity was advertised
- Requesting about \$8,000
- 15 people traveling
- Yay: 4
- Nay: 0
- Abstain: 0

- Voted to fund \$2745 in registration, lodging, and car

Alpha Mu Alpha

Preliminary Remarks:

- Only Music Therapy RSO on campus
- Provides evidence based treatment for patients
- Southeast Regional Music Therapy Conference
- Exposure to research opportunities, networking with professionals, students can run for office positions at a regional level
- Events on Landis and GBMs to
- Request \$1,960 for 25 members to attend in category of registration fees

Questions/ Additional Members

- Prioritize students who haven't been to conference, have to be an active member, fill out an interest form advertised at GBMs on Social Media
- Have ongoing t-shirt fundraiser, Share-it nights, and sticker sales
- Raised \$400 last semester
- Yay: 4
- Nay: 0
- Abstain: 0
- Voted to fund \$1960 in registration

The Minority Association of Pre-Med Students

Preliminary Remarks:

- Annual Medical Education Conference (AMEC)
- April 8-12 2020 in Cleveland, Ohio
- Networking opportunities from physicians and med students
- Simulate medical situations
- 12 people going
- Fundraised over \$2000
- Asking for \$2500 in registration

Questions/ Additional Comments

- Applications, looked at if they were involved in fundraising, the org, looked at GPA to show best of FSU to the nation
- Allow pre-med minorities to give all info to students
- Gives students the opportunity to get internships, get into medical school and off waitlists
- Many, many schools at conference
- Reached out to other pre-med minority clubs
- Yay: 3
- Nay: 0
- Abstain: 0
- Voted to fund \$2760 in registration

SISTUHS

Preliminary Remarks:

- Feb 21-23 service trip to Charleston, SC
- Founded at FSU, founded 15 chapters across FL and the nation
- Fundraised \$1947
- Want to help homelessness in Charleston
- 40 members traveling

Questions/ Additional Comments:

- Had an application open
- Members get priority, interest meeting with application and interview to get into the organization
- Yay: 3
- Nay: 0
- Abstain: 0
- Voted to fund \$2000 in the category of transportation

Financial Management Association

Preliminary Remarks:

- 2020 Finance Leaders Conference
- March 5-6 in NYC
- 10 people attending
- Compete w/ top universities in Finance Case Comp, showcase FSU
- Visit local finance institutions such as NY Stock Exchange
- Attend career fair
- Set up meetings with financial professionals such as CFO of Florida for members to attend
- Stock market game each semester
- Tour company headquarters

Questions/ Additional Comments:

- Select people going as top members of FMA (take into account GPA, etc)
- FMA anyone can join, post on social media and posting flyers, advertise trip at FMA meetings
- Have secured private fundraising from faculty advisor in the past and have fundraised about \$3000 this year
- Yay: 3
- Nay: 0
- Abstain: 0
- Voted to fund \$1625 in category of transportation

Turning Point USA at FSU

Preliminary Remarks:

- Non-partisan, educates students about free market, capitalism
- Attending CPAC
- Requesting \$5040
- Will have White House tour
- Possible networking with attendees, internships, etc

Questions/ Additional Questions:

- Trip was advertised on social media, have 500 person email list, advertise at meetings, all people who have reached out can go, 16 going right now
- Have not fundraised
- Yay: 3
- Nay: 0
- Abstain: 0
- Voted to fund \$1800 in category of lodging

Phi Delta Epsilon FL Zeta

Preliminary Remarks:

- International Medical Fraternity
- February 7-8 2020
- Annual conference in SE region, kaplan MCAT prep, suture workshops, networking
- Nominated for Chapter of Excellence award
- Requesting for 28 people

Questions/ Additional Comments:

- International board sends out emails to members about conference
- Have to be seeking MD or DO degree, have to have 3.2 GPA, have interviews
- Everyone who showed interest can go
- Yay: 3
- Nay: 0
- Abstain: 0
- Voted to fund \$1400 in lodging