



**74rd Student Senate
Resource for Travel Allocations Committee
February 15th, 2022**

Call to Order: 2:23pm

Members Present: Chair Rider, Members Carolina Sena and Sabrina Polynice

Members Tardy: none

Members Absent: none

Guests: Senator Everly Marie Soares, Jack Rowan, Zach Morby

Opening Remarks:

- Chair
 - Land Acknowledgement:
 - The Student Government of Florida State University acknowledges that it is located on land that is the ancestral and traditional territory of the Apalachee Nation, the Miccosukee Tribe of Florida, the Muscogee Creek Nation, and the Seminole Tribe of Florida. We pay respect to their Elders past and present and extend that respect to their descendants and to all Indigenous people. We recognize this land remains scarred by the histories and ongoing legacies of settler colonial violence, dispossession, and removal. In spite of all this, and with tremendous resilience, these Indigenous Nations have remained deeply connected to this territory, to their families, to their communities, and to their cultural ways of life. We recognize the ongoing relationships of care that these Indigenous Nations maintain with this land and extend our gratitude as we live and work as humble and respectful guests upon their territory. We encourage all to learn about and educate others on the contemporary work of the Indigenous Nations whose land we are on and to endeavor to support Indigenous sovereignty in all the ways that we can.
- Vice-Chair
- Members

Committee Business:

- National Association for Business Economics (NABE) at FSU

- **Application Link:**
https://fsu.qualtrics.com/CP/Report.php?SID=SV_a9MMDqSFCtdeQ9n&R=R_3J5h8ezYXLmFPtv
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- **Name of Event:** 38th annual NABE Economic Policy Conference
- Owen Ragsdale speaking
- **Preliminary Remarks: none**
- Asking for
 - Registration: \$75
 - Travel: \$475
 - Mileage: \$
 - Lodging: \$299
 - Other : \$0
 - Total: \$849
 - QUALTRICS WAS WRONG AGAIN WITH THESE NUMBERS
- **Date of Event:** March 20-23
- **Number of Active Members:** 25
- **Number Traveling:** 14
- **RSO Presentation:**
- The mission of our organization is to 1. stimulate interest in economics as a major and promote interest in graduate studies in economics; 2. provide for the mutual association of students who are interested in or who are studying economics, in order to create a forum for the discussion of economic issues; 3. provide for communication and exchange of experience between students and the business community; 4. promote and encourage friendly relations between its members and professional economists; 5. provide a forum for discussion of relevant economic issues by leading economists, business leaders, and faculty; 6. promote interest in economics as a career and to provide opportunities for professional development through the use of the NABE Mentor Program; 7. provide opportunities for students to attend seminars, conferences and meetings where they may enjoy networking opportunities, meet the industry's top leaders, and stay up to date on relevant, timely, and important economic issues.
- NABE is the premier professional association for business economists and others who use economics and quantitative analytics in the workplace. Our FSU student chapter of the NABE has been recognized as a model chapter for the entire United States, and our presence at the Annual NABE Economic Policy Conference each year has helped our chapter to maintain this national reputation. We represent the whole University and its commitment to developing the professionalism of the student body. Our presence at the Economic Policy Conference over the years has allowed many top-level professionals and employers in the field

to witness the value of the Florida State University and its academic and professional programs, leading to better quality job placements and network contacts for many of the University's graduates. Additionally, the world-class nature of the featured speakers and the intellectual environment stimulated by the Conference provides an invaluable experience for the students who attend.

- **Deliberations started off with 3000\$, motion to strike out transportation and fund 50% of registration which is 600\$, This brought the total to 2,050\$.**

Questions to ask- Was this event advertised to all FSU students?

-are you financially certified?

-Any past fundraising?

-ensure all information is correct from survey due to the change in leadership some communication has been lacking on the email

-what is the minimum funding you need to actually go?

3 nights, 4 rooms, 3- 4 in each room

-how did you select who's going on the trip?

Advertised on public social media

Tv set in bellamy showed the event

Emals the entire economics department

Are Financially certified

Need at least 2000 to go at all

Fundraising- in past they have only raised funds through dues, 50 dollars to be a member, 30 to national 20 to fsu

They have not spent the registration fee, so not a reimbursement

First in person event!

Oi told them that we don't cover uber

DELIBERATIONS

STRIKE OUT TRANSPORTATION

\$2650

Taking about bringing down registration to 50 % and it was seconded

Motion to strike out 350 from transportation

Motion to fund 50 percent

Chair Rider:

Votes (yay or nay):

Caro: yay

Sabrina: yay

Committee Business:

- **Renegade Boxing Club**

- **Application Link:**
https://fsu.qualtrics.com/CP/Report.php?SID=SV_a9MMDqSFCtdeQ9n&R=R_CfdBuYQ0StCgSwp
- **Name of Event:** USIBA Nationals 2022
- **Preliminary Remarks:** none
- Asking for
 - Registration: \$0
 - Travel: \$0
 - Mileage: \$
 - Lodging: \$232
 - Other : \$0
 - Total: \$
- **Date of Event:** March 16-19
- **Number of Active Members:** 16
- **Number Traveling:** 10
- **RSO Presentation:**
 - The mission of Renegade Boxing is to spread the sport of boxing to a group of a traditionally underrepresented group in the sport (those pursuing higher education), while teaching self-defense. Those whose skills are shown have the ability to represent Renegade Boxing and Florida State as a whole at the United States Intercollegiate Boxing Association (USIBA) national tournament over spring break. This year, the team is traveling to Atlanta to compete at the 10th anniversary of USIBA being hosted by Georgia Tech
 - This trip will benefit the FSU student body by financially supporting 2 coaches (both current undergraduate students, one man, one woman) and 8 fighters (7 men, one woman) competing in their respective brackets. We could have FSU's first team title as previous year's we were only able to send in a small team with our best being 5 in 2018 (At Illinois), where we placed 3rd overall). This also is likely the year we have the most individual titles as well as the coaching championship as well. It'd be a great opportunity to show the FSU student body about a club not too many know about as well as helping out some students who have already spent a lot of their own money towards USA Boxing passbooks, USA boxing physicals, and USIBA registration (\$130-200 of our own). This could also allow us to get more local business support so the next year we do this, we wouldn't need RTAC money. Our current president's freshman year he spent \$800 of his own to compete and win to represent the University at Syracuse. We are just trying to get hotel room coverage.

Individually we are all driving up and back on our own and handled our own registrations for the tournament itself

- **Deliberations; This event was not advertised properly and therefore was not able to receive funding from RTAC.**

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- please state how much you are asking for in each category

-ensure they follow financial manual for lodging

-are you financially certified?

-Any past fundraising?

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-what is the minimum funding you need to actually go? Is 1100

How much are your members paying- 115, sports physical- gear, gas carpooling 3 members food and water is on own,

3 day competition

Self defense club

Early mornings so they want a close hotel to the venue for the athletes

If not on time they get eliminated

Came in with three hotels

8 fighters 2 coaches

Paying own gas, travel, food and water the team has already covered

-Caro Sena:

Chair Rider:

Votes:

THEY DID NOT ADVERTISE THIS EVENT TO THE WHOLE STUDENT BODY SO WE CAN'T FUND THEM. the club agreed and we recommended finding new fundraising ideas.

Closing Announcements: Thank you Jack Rowan for coming to the meeting and educating us on how to ensure we have proper procedures in RTAC! We love you!

PAC MEETINGS At MONDAY AT 7

Finance

- Chair Rider
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 - Members
 - None

Adjourned: 3:27pm