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Graduate & Professional Student Senate

GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDENT SENATE Meeting Agenda

Monday, October 31, 2011; 7:00 PM
South Ballroom, MU

- I. Call to order 7:00 P.M.
 - a. Roll Call
 - b. Statement of Quorum by Speaker
 - c. Approval of the Minutes
 - d. Amendments to the Agenda
- II. Introduction of new bills and resolutions
 - a. Senate Bill F11-04 - Special Allocation For Society Of Women Engineers
 - b. Senate Bill F11-05 - Graduate And Professional Student Senate (GPSS) Budget For Fiscal Year 2013
 - c. Senate Bill F11-06 - Fall 2011 Graduate And Professional Student Senate (GPSS) Allocations
 - d. Senate Bill F11-07 - Allocating Funds For 2nd Screening Of “PhD Movie”
 - e. Senate Resolution F11-01 - Supporting ISU Research Misconduct Policy
 - f. Senate Resolution F11-02 - Supporting Phase II Of The Intermodal Facility Through TIGER
- III. Open Forum
 - a. Sarah Passonneau, Assistant to the Dean of the Library
- IV. Senate Forum
 - a. OPEN
- V. Remarks and Reports
 - a. Report of the President - President Smith
 - b. Report of the Vice President and Rules Committee - Vice President Fateh
 - c. Report of the Treasurer and Finance Committee - Treasurer Gross
 - d. Report of the CIO and Election Committee - CIO Sarkar
 - e. Report of the URLA Chair - URLA Chair Pelzer
 - f. Report of the PAG Chair - PAG Chair Brgoch
 - g. Graduate and GSB Senator Report
- VI. Old Business
 - a. OPEN
- VII. New Business
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VIII. Announcements

IX. Adjournment

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GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDENT SENATE Meeting Minutes

Monday, September 26, 2011; 7:00 PM
Gilman 1352

- I. Call to order 7:00 P.M.
 - a. Roll Call – DONE (54/70)
 - b. Statement of Quorum by Speaker - MET
 - c. Approval of the Minutes - Approved
 - d. Amendments to the Agenda - NONE
- II. Introduction of new bills and resolutions
 - a. Senate Order F11-02 – Nominating Graduate Students to the GSB Senate
CIO Sarkar introduced the bill, about nominating graduate students from GPSS to GSB
 - b. Senate Bill F11-03 - Special Allocation for Social Event
Senator Woolcock presented the bill, about holding pizza socials in fall semester
- III. Open Forum
 - a. Dakota Hoben, GSB President
Thanks for inviting, what we are doing now?
 - 1) Post office issue – #1 priority, GSB has communicated the importance of the issue, has written a resolution for MU post office, submit surveys.
 - 2) Lighting and cameras in campus town issue – GSB Senate resolution passed, Ames police chief came to GSB meeting and asked for senate feedback. Positive resolution passed the senate. The increased lighting would possibly deter future problems and would be helpful in resolving problems. Local business owners also support this.
 - 3) CyRide issue – Agrees that it is an unfortunate thing with the budget and needs to be dealt with. Working together with GPSS president Erica towards it. There is a healthy GSB trust fund, steps need to be taken to alleviate and avoid future problems.
 - 4) New projects – financial counseling – big issue for UGs also, ISU has huge student debts. Asking for inputs for financial counseling from grads which might be beneficial to UGs.
 - 5) ISU Ambassadors issue – coordinated effort is required, constitutes the main lobbying branch of the student government, they met regents at the capitol. There was a lot of divide among college groups last year, however, this year they are working with both Democrats and Republicans and have a more unified voice, and target is to lobby the legislature. Topics include graduate funding as well.
 - 6) Fun things – large events account / cyclone cinema – cool things, success so far, hoping new success.

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- 7) The next ISU president to be announced tomorrow.
- 8) Open to questions from GPSS:
 - a. Senator Russell – any updates about bicycle racks in campus town? YES, part of ongoing discussion, this issue has come before, will address this time, however vandalism is an issue.
 - b. President Smith – any updates about Regents Day – what effort do you want to see from GPSS – soliciting apps for ambassadors, and lobbying interests, graduate student opinion voicing would be good. There will be a research fair from all 3 regent universities, would be a good exposure for all graduate students to present their work and increase awareness. More details on this will be mailed.
- 9) Done, thanks.

b. Nancy Levandowski , Director, ISU Dining

Thanks for inviting; she has been with ISU for 5 years now. The dining services develop 5 year strategic plan, she is looking for GPSS involvement in focus groups/talks. Previously they invited folks for discussion at which 10 people showed up and got to decide about the future of ISU dining.

- 1) Nancy has been involved with the food industry for 34 years now, from Santa Clara University, has worked in 30 diff universities thus far.
- 2) Mission statement – *“ISU Dining is dedicated to providing a variety of quality and sustainable culinary experiences, which enhance the educational and cultural aspect of Iowa State University.”*
- 3) ISU Dining current staffing totals; 363 Full Time & over 1400 Student employees, Dining’s budget - over \$37 M -Dining Services is a self-supporting, self-funded division of the University, ISU Dining responsible for all dining on campus including Residence Dining, Catering, Retail and Vending, Supporting these areas are an administrative staff, a Central Food Stores and Central Bakery and Commissary Kitchen.
- 4) Number of chefs on campus has been increased from 2 to 8.
- 5) Increased meal bundles to three sides choices – some healthy cheese cups, grapes, apple slices, added Bacon cheese burgers and Burgers of the month, Gentle Doctor got a new larger Grab and Go case, New Commissary items show NEW stickers always adapting for requests, MU featuring Turkey Cranberry Panini, MTO Sizzling Asian Salad, MTO meatball Sub, Thai Chicken Curry with Jasmine Rice, Grilled Tuna Steak, Roast Pork Loin with Masala Sauce, Savory Empanada (vegetarian) New Chicken Parmesan.
- 6) Continually making changes and updates to better serve our customer base, such as recent renovations to hawthorn Market and Café – include Hot Stuff Pizza, Starbucks Frappuccino, Order Kiosk (students have done

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the programming and implementation), Toasted Subs, Expanded WEB Foods program, Dining room access 24/7, Wireless paging etc.

- 7) Do internship programs for HRIM & FSN and some of our students in business do office billing & cash accounting, students in Ag are doing our sustainability. We do all the suites and club sections for Football and Basketball one of our past students now does the Suites for the Yankees and used to do the Chicago Bears.
- 8) Students learn some basic cooking terms, develop some life skills. They are learning how to hire and train their peers considering we have 1400 students working for us it is a great process to even run your own temp agency. The old Dining center is a Training Center for staff, managers and students.
- 9) Clyde's – smartphone app coming up soon, the place had problem with slow service initially, that has been addressed and resolved now. The bar in the front was renovated; the throughput and footfall have doubled.
- 10) Have meal plans and bundle, meal bundle is like a deal, get from any location.
- 11) Introduction of rewash-able containers, can take food to outside from all-you-can eat buffet; 100 so far, 500 more coming up soon.
- 12) WOW events – circus event on Oct 12, Seasons is having biker night; Oct 17 dinner for America event.
- 13) Text and tell - instant feedback is desired and required, Feedback is important to us and instant response to you; last year Food Committee and IRHA shared these to keep costs down.
- 14) Hired an intern from Dietetics that does a program each month supervised by our on campus Dietitian at the 4 Dining Centers, Memorial Union and Hawthorn market; allergy training – explored intolerance towards certain food, dieticians work with students.
- 15) Focus on sustainability – tray-less / compost / trash disposal and recovery etc.
- 16) Exploring several other options like vegan / kosher and halal, etc. Since they are generally more expensive, target is to make sure prices don't increase for all.
- 17) Email is nancyl@iastate.edu; please send her any questions or suggestions about ISU dining.
- 18) Smart customer service, want feedback from students, GSB/IRHA/ maybe some from GPSS – would be greatly appreciated.
- 19) They send surveys to every 5th person in campus annually, graduates/female students' response are weak areas; there could be significant improvement there.
- 20) How would one define value:
 - a. Low price
 - b. Quality
 - c. Variety

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- d. Large value
 - e. Made the way I want it?
 - f. Convenient, easy access?
 - g. Healthy
- 21) Addressed issues about crowding, 4000 food seats on campus total.
- 22) Introducing new weekend breakfast plans.
- 23) Reduced student catering guide to be developed – what time is best to get to different places to eat and expect minimum crowds.
- 24) Feedback requested - Talk with a manager; Suggestion Forms; Text and tell at UDM; NACUFS Annual Survey in Fall; Last year in spring Focus Groups, interviews and survey went to everyone on campus and we will be doing more this spring; Food Committee; Annual Review Committee representative (need one from GPSS), this year our managers are going out to Hall Councils and Floor meeting as requested and reach out each year; IRHA review of meal plan rates each year.
- 25) Questions
- a. Senator Anderson – what about allergy issues?? YES, go online and check the gluten free items.
 - b. Senator Sridharan – what about improved nutrition labels?? YES, ongoing effort.
 - c. Senator Perrine – Prices at most of the ISU dining locations are really very high – why? NOT always, we do regular comparison to other areas; however comparing with stores like Wal-Mart and all would be unfair.
 - d. CIO Sarkar – how to get refunds from faulty bending machines? Email Nancy or call the number on label on all machines.
 - e. Senator Russell – Why is it cheaper to eat off campus than on campus almost always? THE labor rates are the main difference, they increase 7% every year, and labor is bigger than food costs.
 - f. Senator Holmes – (i) Can we use credit card in all the vending machine? NOT yet, it takes \$2000 to get wiring to them, however dining dollars or CyCash is widely accepted. (ii) What about increased class hours and corresponding food places time hours? NEED to start addressing increased class hours. (iii) Darlene in HUB is fabulous (comment).
 - g. Senator Dilshan – Question about Café, the chicken salad has very less chicken? WILL look into it.
- 26) Done, Thanks.

IV. Senate Forum

- 1) Senate Training Presentation – Erica, Aaron, Subhadarshi, Benazir, Jakoah, Chris

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V. Remarks and Reports

a. Report of the President - President Smith

- 1) CyRide – issue in a nutshell - last year CyRide had huge budget fall, they had contract on gas prices, their estimated non-contract price led to budget fall, they have a trust fund they built over the years, the excess money every year goes there, \$1.4 million, increased in the last 5 years. One major project approved last year is GPS tracking on buses (gave example), GSB is very passionate about it, also looking at bus scheduling, new apartments in south, On Oct 3rd or 4th, there is a trustees meeting where they will discuss about CyRide issue. I think we need to use trust fund before rushing to increase student fees, more discussion about that in next 2 weeks, follow Iowa State Daily closely.
- 2) University Budget – news from Board of regents and also State Governor - when state gets revenue, there might be back pay cuts to the university; looking very optimistic, certain appropriation increases, very encouraging news.
- 3) University budget committee update – 1st memo came out recently, call for proposals for funding for research, don't know how many they are giving, 25-100K \$, proposals requested from profs and department chairs, request to pass on the information to individual professors, funds amount is \$4.1 million total, needs to dispersed.
- 4) ISU President Search coming to end, interview tomorrow 10.30 am - 3pm, announcement at 4 pm. The winner will be the 15th president.
- 5) Welcome back picnic – on behalf of the entire Exec board, we apologize for certain events beyond our control. The grill team came late, the burners won't work and the burgers could not be served till 6 pm.
- 6) PhD movie – tomorrow night 7pm, thanks to Senator Steven, he put in lot of hard work. The 1st 2/3 rows are VIP rows.
- 7) Question about Food prices – 7% salary increase, doubtful, will follow up on that. Adviser Michelle – the average increase is about 7%.
- 8) Questions:
 - a. Senator Deleon – what's the allocation of \$1.4 million of CyRide? NOT all, around 36% of the student fees are going there, good reserve amount would be not greater than 0.5 million, rest for investing in newer buses etc.
 - b. Senator Anderson – thinks that the CyRide tracking project is most likely an irresponsible use of money, can we stop it? PROBABLY not, very strong support from GSB leadership, it will stick, however we can write resolution.
 - c. Senator Deleon – the turnout for the picnic on Friday was smaller than previous year - Why? DON'T know exact reason, time clashing with another event at the same time maybe, we believe we are moving in the right direction.

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- d. Senator Perrine – Can only the people who use CyRide pay for it? IT is hard to implement, 98% of students use it sometime or other and we pay only 63% of operating costs. Very difficult to monitor the use.
 - e. Senator Ruse – from the \$1.4 million, has \$250K been already taken out yet? NOT yet.
 - f. Senator Nteeba – In case students need to pay for CyRide, I propose that we pay very low part of it, and majority come from trust fund. (i) How long students continue paying? ONCE the cost goes up, it is most probably not going to be decreased again. (ii) Comment from Treasurer Aaron – How the trust fund was designed - Hill pushed for capital funds from this, instead of building this, tough to decrease student fees since the enrolment projections are very grim.
 - g. Senator Batinov – (i) details about research funds dispersal? \$4.1 million research is there, proposals have to come from professors or Deans, go through the provost office memo for more details, 1-time distribution, own funding agency, incorporating grad and undergrads in this proposal, (ii) CyRide fund – \$1.4 million is excessive, 0.5 million is ok, considering volatility of gas prices, 2 year buffer would be nice.
 - h. Senator Huffman – We are operating in the red, buffer needs to be larger? WE are not the only one in the pot; city and university are also there.
- b. Report of the Vice President and Rules Committee - Vice President Fateh
- 1) GPSS fall picnic - rocky start, poor performance from B&B, many constituents had turned up, glad to see that people were happily waiting and chatting, the nice weather surely helped. We are under the estimated \$1500 set aside for the picnic.
 - 2) Rules committee reviewed the bills, found them to be conforming to the constitution and bylaws.
 - 3) Questions:
 - a. Senator Deleon - Any contract with B&B? THERE was a contract, since they are student organization, we will pay them only for the hours we provided support.
 - b. Senator Perrine – alternatives for the next year, there is a Vet Med group who have grills, you might contact them.
- c. Report of the Treasurer and Finance Committee - Treasurer Gross
- 1) There is one financial bill this meeting - about pizza socials. If no tip is included in the bill, someone has to pick it up
 - 2) Regular allocations updates.
- d. Report of the CIO and Election Committee - CIO Sarkar

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- 1) CIO updates.
- e. Report of the PAG Chair - PAG Chair Brgoch
 - 1) We are out of money for fall, mid of October. Ready to accept spring allocation, forms are available online. Previous support of \$75 from Graduate College has been removed.
 - 2) Research and peer teaching awards information is available online, send questions and forms to him.
 - 3) Questions:
 - a. Senator Deleon – is there any way to accommodate the now removed \$75? YES, we need to write a bill to do that. Comment: Treasurer Aaron - currently \$70k is given out, that's a large sum of money.
 - b. Senator Peters – please increase the visibility of access information of PAG.
- VI. Report of the URLA Chair - URLA Chair Pelzer
 - 1) Currently there are 2 open committees - performing arts council and ISU dining committee, both meet once a month, email Chris for details.
 - 2) Question:
 - a. Senator Stoehr - what day do they meet? PLEASE meet after meeting, will confirm the times and let you know.
- VII. Graduate and GSB Senator Report
- VIII. Old Business
 - a. OPEN
- IX. New Business
 - a. Senate Order F11-02 – Nominating Graduate Students to the GSB Senate
 - i. CIO Sarkar presented the bill and explained the election procedure.
 - ii. There were 3 candidates:-
 1. Anne Smazal
 2. Xuhui Feng
 3. Amanda Riddle
 - iii. Each candidate were given time to introduce themselves:
 - 1) Anne – previous education from New Orleans, she held 2 student leader positions there, managing 1400 sorority girls, also the vice-president of student affairs; she is unafraid of long meetings and has good time management skills. Wants to get involved with GPSS.
 - 2) Xuhui – Mechanical engineer, this is his last year at ISU, wants to get more involved in university issues and also have fun,

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international student, exchange ideas with fellow students, want to bring the issues up to GPSS. GPSS would be perfect channel for those ideas.

3) Amanda – Amanda could not make it to the meeting this evening as she was on way to a developmental conference in Minneapolis. She has a good amount of interaction with the graduate student community. Being in an interdisciplinary program, along with a large home department, she has a unique opportunity to get to know a lot of people, who would be comfortable voicing their concerns and suggestions to her. She will also be serving as the MCDB senator on the GPSS, which will allow her to stay connected and communicate the group's collective feelings on different issues to the GSP. She would really enjoy the chance to be more involved as well.

4) Questions:

a. Senator Deleon – (i) to Anne – how long have you been at ISU and in what program? – 6 weeks, Nutritional Science.

b. Senator Goswami – (i) to Xuhui – can you share any previous experience? NONE in US yet, in his home country China, Xuhui was the president of a student organization.

c. Senator Deleon – (i) to Xuhui – if this is your last year in ISU, wouldn't you need to travel significantly? YES, that is a possibility, hard to say as of right now. But he will arrange for Sub in case he has to miss any meetings and will read the minutes to bring him to speed.

d. Senator Anderson – GSB time commitment is large? - Both candidates – they know the time requirements and are still game for it.

e. Senator Batinov – call to question, seconded.

f. VOTE:

(i) Anne – 43

(ii) Xuhui – 27

(iii) Amanda – 18.

g. Blanks in bill replaced with the following and passed.

(i) Anne Smazal

(ii) Xuhui Feng

b. Senate Bill F11-03 - Special Allocation for Social Event

i. Senator Woolcock – pizza social, similar to the ones done in previous semester.

ii. Treasurer Gross – proposed amendment to add no more than \$25 for tip for the delivery guy/driver, questioned, seconded.

iii. VOTE: Favor as amended – 46; Opposed – 2, Abstained – 1.

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- X. Announcements
 - a. PhD movie screening, please come and enjoy
 - b. Extra Root beer left for senators, please enjoy.

- XI. Adjournment @ 9.29 pm

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SENATE BILL F11-04 SENATE MEETING October 31, 2011

TITLE: Special allocation for Society of Women Engineers

WHEREAS: Society of Women Engineers (SWE) is an internal organization that is focused on the education and service to empower women to succeed and advance in the engineering profession, and

WHEREAS: To meet the needs of women graduate students within the college of Engineering a GRAD-SWE Committee, which is solely focused on developing a program that caters to graduate student priorities, and

WHEREAS: SWE cannot apply for funding through the Graduate and Professional Student Senate (GPSS) regular allocations, be it therefore

ENACTED: That the GPSS allocates \$435 to SWE pursuant to the following:

Seminar Luncheons

Date: February 22nd, Topic: Entrepreneurship and Patent Law

Location: On Campus

Luncheons provide an opportunity for GradSWE members to step away from the vigor's of their research and other studies. Seminars are designed to provide an educational or professional development experience tailored to the needs and interests of our graduate members.

Speaker gifts (2 speakers per seminar)	\$ 30
Printing and advertising costs	\$ 20
<u>Food supplies</u>	<u>\$ 50</u>

Total Request = \$100

Give-back Luncheon

Date: November 30th

Location: On Campus

Donating time and talent are very important to our graduate members. For this event we will be partner with a local charitable organization to donate engineering related toys for girls. Graduate members plan to raise the money for the purchase of these toys. The luncheon will provide everyone the opportunity view and wrap the presents that where purchases.

Gift-wrapping supplies	\$25
<u>Food supplies</u>	<u>\$50</u>

Total Request = \$75

Graduate Welcome

Date: January 27th

Location: Business in Ames, IA

The beginning of each semester offers us the opportunity to reach out to current, new or returning members to campus. Spring semester graduate welcome events will be held at a local

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41 Ames business that offers recreational classes, i.e. pottery, cooking, fitness. Funding will not
42 cover the complete cost, but will subsidize the cost of the event per participant.

43 Class registration cost \$50

44 **Total Request = \$50**

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46 **Research Seminar Luncheon**

47 *Date: March 7th*

48 *Location: On Campus*

49 GradSWE serves as a resource for undergraduate students interested in graduate school. A
50 research seminar luncheon will highlight the work of four graduate students who will speak
51 about their research and why graduate school is applicable to their career goals. The luncheon
52 will provide undergraduate members and opportunity to see firsthand graduate research and
53 hear from women currently in graduate school.

54 Speaker gifts (4 speakers) \$ 60

55 Food supplies \$ 50

56 **Total Request = \$110**

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58 **Technical Tour**

59 *Date: March 23rd*

60 *Location: Within 45-minute drive from Ames*

61 To gain a better understanding of applicability of graduate degrees within industry, we plan to
62 take a technical tour of a local company. We will be traveling via university transportation to get
63 to the destination.

64 Travel costs \$100

65 **Total Request = \$100**

66 **GRAND TOTAL REQUESTED OF \$435**

67 Sponsors:

68 GROSS, A.

69 PETERS, A.

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Erica Smith, President

Benazir Fateh, Chair of the Senate

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SENATE BILL F11-05 SENATE MEETING October 31, 2011

TITLE: Graduate and Professional Student Senate (GPSS) Budget for Fiscal Year 2013

WHEREAS: The GPSS's financial transactions from fiscal year 2011 have been reviewed by the GPSS Finance Committee, and

WHEREAS: The GPSS Finance Committee has developed a budget for fiscal year (FY) 2013 based on financial projections received, and

WHEREAS: The GPSS Executive Council has also reviewed a proposed budget for FY 2013, be it therefore

ENACTED: That the appended budget be adopted as the official GPSS budget for FY 2013 (July 01, 2012- June 30, 2013), let it be further

ENACTED: That all funds appropriated for the line item "Speaker/Programming" be rolled in to Summer PAG allocation by March 1, 2012 if a Speaker/Program has not been scheduled, let it be further

ENACTED: That all funds appropriated for the line item "Spring Social" be rolled into the Summer PAG allocation by March 1, 2012 if a social event has not been planned by the Executive Council.

Sponsors:

GROSS, A.	BRGOCH, J.	SWANSON, R.	RUSSELL, S.
WOOLCOCK, P.	PETERS, A.	KLEINHEKSEL, C.	PELZER, C.

APPENDIX: GPSS Budget for Fiscal Year 2013 – without surplus added to special allocations

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 43 allocations
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SURPLUS NOT ADDED TO SPECIAL ALLOCATIONS

Income		
<i>Projected SAF</i>	\$ 114,400	\$ 117,264
SAF	\$ 112,000	\$ 114,000
Vending	\$ 7,000	\$ 9,000
Interest	\$ -	\$ -

Total Projected Income	\$ 119,000	\$ 123,000
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Expenditures	FY 2012 Budget	Proposed FY 2013
PAG	\$ 70,000	\$ 72,000
Summer 2011 (FY 13)	\$ 5,000	\$ 6,000
Fall 2012	\$ 30,000	\$ 30,000
Spring 2013	\$ 30,000	\$ 30,000
Summer 2012 (FY 13)	\$ 5,000	\$ 6,000
Allocations (Regular)	\$ 21,000	\$ 22,000
Fall 2011	\$ 10,500	\$ 11,000
Spring 2012	\$ 10,500	\$ 11,000
Teaching/Research Awards	\$ 4,000	\$ 4,000
Exec. Scholarships	\$ 14,500	\$ 15,500
Wakonse	\$ 3,000	\$ 3,000
Specials Allocations	\$ 2,000	\$ 2,000
Office/Communications	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000
Social (Fall)	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,500
Social (Spring)	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000
Speaker/programming	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 119,000	\$ 123,000

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Specials Allocations		
New budget	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
Surplus [†]	\$ 49,429.99	\$ 45,781.57
Office/Communications	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
Social (Fall)	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00
Social (Spring)	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
Speaker/programming	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 168,429.99	\$ 168,781.57

Reserve Account	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 30,000.76
Surplus[†]	\$ 49,429.99	\$ 45,781.57

[†] Surplus as of July 1, 2011

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SENATE BILL F11-06 SENATE MEETING October 31, 2011

TITLE: Fall 2011 Graduate and Professional Student Senate (GPSS) Allocations

WHEREAS: The GPSS allocates funds to graduate and professional student organizations twice a year, and

WHEREAS: The GPSS Finance Committee has reviewed all Fall 2011 allocation requests and heard appeals for the recommendations made by the Finance committee, be it therefore

ENACTED: That the GPSS allocate funding to the graduate student organizations as follows:

Graduate Student Organization	Amount
Aerospace Engineering Grad. Stud. Org. (AEGSO)	\$490
Agricultural and Biosystems Engineering Grad. Stud. Org. (ABEGO)	\$1,000
Chemical Engineering Grad. Stud. Org. (CEGSO)	\$1,000
Community and Regional Planning Grad. Stud. Club at ISU (CRP Grad Club)	\$500
EERI Iowa State University Chapter (EERI)	\$1,000
Entomology Grad. Stud. Org. (EGSO)	\$1,000
Graduate Research in Evolutionary Biology and Ecology (GREBE)	\$630
Graduate Student Association of Hospitality Management (GSAHM)	\$0
Graduate Students of Social Psychology (GSSP)	\$530
Graduate Students in History (GSH)	\$900
Graduate Students of Counseling Psychology (GSCP)	\$1,000
Higher Education Grad. Stud. Org. (HEGSO)	\$300
Human Computer Interaction Stud. Org. (HCISO)	\$700
Material Research Society at Iowa State University (MRS)	\$740
TOTAL FALL ALLOCATION	\$9,790

Sponsors:

GROSS, A. BRGOCH, J. SWANSON, R. RUSSELL, S.
WOOLCOCK, P. PETERS, A. KLEINHEKSEL, C. PELZER, C.

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SENATE BILL F11-07 SENATE MEETING October 31, 2011

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TITLE: Allocating funds for 2nd screening of “*PhD Movie*”

WHEREAS: The 1st screening of the *PhD Movie* and hosting creator *Jorge Cham* was held in Great Hall, MU on September 27, 2011, and

WHEREAS: It was a huge success with close to 500 students attending, and

WHEREAS: There have been several 2nd screening requests from graduate students unable to attend the 1st screening, and

WHEREAS: There remains approximately \$800 from the initial \$2000 allocated, and

WHEREAS: The GPSS currently has a surplus of funds, be it therefore

ENACTED: That up to \$250 be allocated from reserve funds to hold a 2nd screening of “*PhD Movie*” at a later date in November 2011, and be it further

ENACTED: That if these funds are not utilized, then they are automatically returned to the GPSS reserve funds.

Sponsors:

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SENATE RESOLUTION F11-01 SENATE MEETING October 31, 2011

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TITLE: Supporting ISU Research Misconduct Policy

WHEREAS: The issuance of research misconduct policies by federal agencies prompted the need for the Policy Development Task Force to draft an ISU Research Misconduct Policy, and

WHEREAS: The ISU Research Misconduct Policy establishes procedures a recipient of federal funds must follow when research misconduct allegations are raised, and

WHEREAS: The policy sought to address the requirements of federal regulations while utilizing existing procedures. Importantly, the Policy Development Task Force wrote the policy to cover all instances of research misconduct, regardless of whether faculty, staff, or students are involved because research misconduct cases can involve claims against multiple individuals who are not of the same status, be it therefore

RESOLVED: That the Graduate and Professional Student Senate (GPSS) recognizes the importance of the ISU Research Misconduct Policy, and let it be further

RESOLVED: That the GPSS supports ISU Research Misconduct Policy with the intent that it covers all instances of research misconduct, regardless of status, and is adherent to federal research misconduct policies, and let it be further

RESOLVED: That copies of this resolution be sent to the University President Gregory Geoffroy, Policy Development Task Force (Contact: Paula Deangelo), Executive Vice President and Provost Elizabeth Hoffman, Vice President of Student Affairs Thomas Hill, Vice-President for Business and Finance Warren Madden, Alumni Association President Jeff Johnson, and Jake Lovett, editor of the Iowa State Daily.

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SENATE RESOLUTION F11-02 SENATE MEETING October 31, 2011

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4 TITLE: Supporting Phase II of the Intermodal Facility through TIGER

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6 WHEREAS: The City of Ames and Iowa State University have the opportunity to apply for
7 grant funding from the US Department of Transportation for the second phase of
8 the Intermodal Facility, and

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10 WHEREAS: Phase II of the Facility would include additional parking spaces, a bike path
11 extension, additional bike lockers, additional vanpool spaces, and a shuttle to
12 campus, and

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14 WHEREAS: These services would be greatly beneficial to Iowa State University Graduate
15 Students and Ames residents alike, be it therefore

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17 RESOLVED: That the Graduate and Professional Student Senate, on behalf of the graduate and
18 professional students, overwhelmingly support CyRide's application for the
19 TIGER grant through the US Department of Transportation, and be it further
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21 RESOLVED: That copies of this resolution be sent to the US Department of Transportation, the
22 Ames City Council, President Geoffroy, and CyRide to be included in the support
23 materials for TIGER funding.

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