

UNIVERSITY OF IOWA GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDENT GOVERNMENT

17th Session-February 25, 2025

GPSG

D.B. #8

Sponsor: GPAC Director Nathan Chen

GPSG Action: Passed

AN ACT

Amending the Graduate and Professional Allocations Committee (GPAC) Funding Tenets

Section 1: Short Title

This Act may be cited as the "GPAC Funding Tenets Amendments"

Section 2: Discussion

WHEREAS, the GPAC Funding Tenets and Guidelines are designed to help graduate and professional student groups understand parameters for obtaining funding allocations from GPAC;

AND WHEREAS, the nine members of GPAC have reviewed changes to the current funding tenets and have recommendations to amend the current funding tenets.

Section 3: Action

Resolved, GPSG shall amend the Funding Tenets with the following changes:

- 1. On the first page: "A maximum of one event will be funded per calendar month per student org, regardless of the amount or categories funded."
- 2. Organization Travel Reduce maximum per student organization from \$2000/year to \$1500/year.
- 3. Organization Travel Set a limit of \$200 per traveling graduate/professional student per trip.
- 4. Food Under the "Notes" section, include the statement "GPAC will allow for food to be funded for one introductory event at the start of the academic year. This amount will be included in each student org's annual food maximum."
- 5. Not Funded Items Include the following as not funded items in the GPAC Tenets list: Care packages, party/event/conference favors, books, merchandise, and other similar items.
- 6. Room Rental Include Hancher Auditorium with "IMU Main Lounge" for a maximum of \$560/event that can be funded
- 7. Speakers: Decrease the speaker maximum per year to \$1000 total for up to 2 speakers
- 8. Event Supplies: Set a cap of \$1000 maximum per year for student orgs. Continue to allow a maximum of \$500/event.

THEREFORE, be it enacted that, upon passage, these amendments will be added to the GPAC Funding Tenets and Guidelines.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF:

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Cabinet Director, Airiana Mohr

APPROVED:

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President, Khyathi Gadag

2/25/2025

Date