

APO: Travel Request

Total Requested: 685

- 395 Transportation
- 190 Lodging
- 25 Registration

Conference Details: APO Regional Conference, October 27-29 in Dallas, Texas

- 1 Delegate attending

Presentation Details:

- Really want to get the chapter involved in APO on a larger basis, work with community service
- Hope to lead the conference soon, but need to start sending delegates soon
- Asking for money for food, ubers to and from the airport...not funded

Debate Details:

- 430: 215 Flight, 190 Hotel, 25 Conference
- Funding in Full less Food and Ubers

**Funded 430, in Full less required cuts; 12-0-0**

SWE: Travel Request

Total Requested: 2039

- 600 Transportation
- 3790 Lodging
- 1520 Registration

Conference Details: SWE Conference, October 25-28 in Austin, Texas

- 16 students attending; 1 freshman, 1 sophomore, 2 juniors, 12 seniors

Presentation Details:

- Asking USG to match the amount that they have funded on their own
- Competing in a competition, doing extra outreach events to raise money; over 2000 for Conference, 900 from NCI
- Biggest part is the career fair, bring people to interact with different engineering companies. Interviews with companies, about half of last year's attendees received/accepted offers
- Important for senior officers to attend to remain in good standing with SWE nationals

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- Driving, taking 2 motor pool vans
- Applying for dean's grant, asking more from USG since it is looking less viable
- Staying in the least expensive hotel where there is a four block of rooms to stay in

Debate Details:

- So many seniors. Usually we ask people to pay a little something, but they have already fundraised a bunch
- 2039: Funding in Full
- We would probably cut the full amount down to more than this...

**Funded in Full; 12-0-0**

#### Debate Travel Request

Total Requested: 1207.88

- 647.88 Transportation
- 560 Lodging
- 480 Registration

Conference Details: San Jacinto Community College, October 20-22 in Pasadena, TX

- 14 students, 7 teams

Presentation Details:

- Rented vehicles, still trying to get Motor Pool drivers
- Staying in a nearby motel
- Not requesting registration

Debate Details:

- How hard is it to get certified for Motor Pool? Next semester require it
- 1207: Funding in full

**Funded in Full; 12-0-0**

## **BUDGETS**

#### German Club: Late

Total Requested: 300

Budget Items:

- 200 for PotLuck event
- 100 for Oktoberfest Trip

Presentation Details:

- Late because in past years the German club has not been very prevalent
- Potluck events to cook German food, eat together, have a good time
- Missed the deadline to volunteer at Oktoberfest, want funding for registration
  - Oktoberfest would be for juniors and seniors mostly
- Potlucks would be intended to be more for the club
- 15-20 club members

Debate Details:

- The potluck isn't fundable, plus it's a potluck?
- Looks like Oktoberfest is an event and the money doesn't go toward alcohol
- 100: Oktoberfest tickets
- 0: No funding for them

**Funded 100; 11-1-0**

IOTA: New

Total Requested: 1000

Budget Items: 200 each for 5 different panels

Presentation Details:

- 5 panels over the course of the year; 2 panelists for each panel, offering \$100 per panelist
- Just became an org
- Interfaith Organization for Tolerance and Acceptance: fill in the vacuum for an interfaith organization on campus
- Focusing on Asiatic religions, bring in people who are well-versed in those religions and can actually speak on them
- So far 20 members
- Standard honorarium for panelists is \$100
- Have not yet contacted panelists specifically, planning on religious leaders or academic scholars who both study and practice
- Would be 2 this semester and 3 next semester
- Looking into collaborating with different religious organizations on campus, trying to be as inclusive as possible

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- 600: 3 events in full
- It's already late in the year, difficult to start up as a first year organization, they can also coprogram

**Funded 600; 12-0-0**