

***Student Organization***
Resource Fee

**SORF Meeting**

*Thursday, September 23, 2021 at 5:00PM*

**Call to Order**

5:33 pm

**Roll Call**

Present

* *Michael Isaacson, Chairperson*
* *Alex Wang, Vice-Chairperson*
* *Umar Ahmed, SORF Treasurer*
* *Jimmy Song, Undergraduate Board Member*
* *Nicolas Perez, Undergraduate Board Member*
* *Inaaz Mirza, Undergraduate Board Member*
* *Ashley Winters, Undergraduate Board Member*
* *Amir Jafari, Graduate Board Member*
* *Brian Farber, Faculty Member*
* *Nick Fink, SORF Advisor*
* *Kaitlyn Luong, SORF Secretary*
* *Alex Suñé, Associate Director of Student Engagement*

*Absent*

*Note: Inaaz left the meeting at 6:13 pm*

Michael motions to vote by unanimous consent to approve the current week’s meeting minutes.

Michael motions to vote by unanimous consent to approve last week’s meeting minutes.

**Old Business**

**Co-Hosting Large Scale Programming Fund**

* Michael Isaacson requesting a review of the wording of the new approved standard
* Nick noted to specify that the total dollar value available should be 30% of the *annual* SORF fund balance
* Nicolas explained how there should be a limit for spending or regulating how many people attend and how much money each RSO should be receiving
* Alex explained that the large scale events should be focused on an audience larger than the RSO general member base, and therefore, the budget currently is justified for being at a set amount, despite how large the RSO general member base is
* Umar noted that there are organizations, such as Business Fraternities, that receive resources from outside sources in addition to SORF that will influence how much money they will have as a fund for large scale programming

Jimmy motioned to table the Co-Hosting Large Scale Programming Fund until further notice.

Tabling passed with vote: 9-0-0.

**New Business**

* Inducting of new undergraduate board member Maha Hussain
	+ Vote: 7-0-0
	+ Passed new undergraduate board member

**Contingency Application**

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| **App No.** | **RSO Name** | **Funding Requested** | **Amount****Funded** | **Vote** |
| 119288 | Habitat for Humanity Campus Chapter | $214.00 | $0 | 8-0-1 |
| 118502 | Tau Sigma National Honor Society | - | - | - |
| 117965 | Hermandad de Sigma Iota Alpha, Incorporada | $936.60 | $0 | 9-0-0 |

* Application 119288
	+ Event had already occurred
	+ Vote to Zero fund: 8-0-1
* Application 118502
	+ Denied as an incomplete application
* Application 117965
	+ Nicholas motion to zero-fund the application
	+ Vote to Zero fund: 9-0-0

**Application Review**

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| **App No.** | **Funding Type** | **RSO Name** | **Funding Requested** | **Amount****Funded** | **Vote** |
| 116616 | Programs | American Nuclear Society, University of Illinois Student Section | $1,974.68 | $1,373.39 | 8-0-0 |
| 116058 | Programs | College Republicans at UIUC | $5,000.00 | $0 | 7-0-1 |
| 117012 | Services | Illini 4000 | $6,174.94 | $6,174.94 | 7-0-0 |
| 117213 | Programs | Illini Women’s Soccer Club | $250.00 | $250.00 | 6-0-1 |
| 116930 | Services | IlliniFurs | $7,385.59 | $7,385.59 | 6-0-0 |
| 115086 | Services | Illinois Men’s Rugby | $5,500.00 | $5,300.00 | 7-0-0 |
| 116215 | Services | Illinois Model United Nations | $9,942.00 | $9,942.00 | 5-0-1 |
| 117034 | Services | Illinois Synchronized Skating | $5,400.00 | $5,400.00 | *tabled* |
| 116882 | Programs | Illinois Women’s Fastpitch Softball Club | $570.00 | $285.00 | 7-0-0 |
| 117061 | Services | ImagiNation Dance Crew | $420.00 | $420.00 | 7-0-0 |
| 117168 | Programs | Iranian Cultural Association | $856.00 | $556.00 | 6-0-1 |
| 116838 | Projects | Rube Goldberg Society | $1,302.59 | $50.00 | 6-0-0 |
| 117195 | Programs | Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers | $9,000.00 | $0 | 6-0-1 |
| 117204 | Services | Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers | $212.44 | $212.44 | 5-0-1 |
| 117219 | Programs | Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers | $9,936.00 | $0 | 6-0-1 |
| 115257 | Programs | Taiwanese American Students Club | $229.20 | $171.91 | 7-0-0 |
| 116900 | Services | Traveling Illini | $4,999.96 | $0 | 6-0-1 |
| 116902 | Programs | American Concrete Institute | $2,483.16 | $0.00 | 8-1-0 |

1. App No. 116616
	1. Certain items that fall under the budget were reusable and fall under the Service category for funding
	2. Motion to zero-fund line items 3 & 5
		1. Vote: 9-0-0
	3. Motion to fund application at standard
		1. Vote: 8-0-0
2. App No. 116058
	1. The Honorarium costs are not specified, and seems more like a gift rather than an established contract,

The SORF Board does not allow for honorarium’s as they are not specifically listed in the current 2021-22 standards.

* 1. Motion to zero-fund the application:
		1. 7-0-1
1. App No. 117012
	1. Annual bike ride, equipment purchased is donated to members of the RSO members
	2. Motion to fund at standard:
		1. Vote 7-0-0, passed
2. App No. 117213
	1. Program funds that are for programs that reoccur, there should be one application for all the programs
	2. Games for this RSO can fall underneath the same program because of its similar spirit
	3. Motion to approve at standard:
		1. 6-0-1
3. App No. 116930
	1. Under the service funding request, there is a funding portion that was allocated to attend an event with their members, which would fall under the programming portion
	2. Motion to approve at standard:
		1. 6-0-0.
4. App No. 115086
	1. The application seems to be for a legal fee, but if the insurance fee is used, there may be other legal implications,

The SORF Board does not allow for insurance fees as they are not specifically listed in the current 2021-22 standards.

* 1. Motion to zero fund line item 2:
	2. Vote: 5-1-1
	3. Motion to approve application at standard:
	4. Vote: 7-0-0
1. App No. 116215
	1. Application is for a Google Suite use for organization emails and online tools, which requires a monthly service fee – allows for RSO to have customized email addresses and required amount of storage
	2. Motion to approve application at standard:
		1. Vote: 5-0-1
2. App No. 117034
	1. Motion to table the application discussion:
		1. Vote: 7-0-0
3. App No. 116882
	1. Motion to fund line items 1 & 2 at 50%:
		1. Vote: 6-0-0
	2. Motion to fund at standard:
		1. Vote: 7-0-0
4. App No. 117061
	1. Had a previous balance
	2. Motion to approve at standard:
		1. Vote: 7-0-0
5. App No. 117168
	1. Motion to zero fund line item 4:
		1. Vote: 6-0-1
	2. Motion to approve application:
		1. Vote: 6-0-1
6. App No. 116838
	1. Motion to zero fund line item 1-3:
		1. 7-0-0
	2. Motion to approve application at standard:
		1. 6-0-0
7. App No. 117195
	1. Motion to zero fund the application
		1. Vote: 6-0-1
8. App No. 117204
	1. Discussing whether or not an RSO banner is considered essential equipment
		1. Motion to approve application at standard:
		2. Vote: 5-0-1
9. App No. 117219
	1. Motion to zero fund application:
		1. 6-0-1
10. App No. 115257
	1. Applied for two budget requests for the same event, and wanted to see if it should be zero-funded as a reoccurring event
	2. Motion to assess the application at 75%
		1. 7-0-0
	3. Motion to approve application at standard:

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1. App No. 116900
	1. Discussing the issue about the misuse of SORF funds because the budgeting items do not fit with the SORF standards for “impacting the Illinois community”
	2. Motion to zero fund the application:
		1. 6-0-1
2. App No. 116902
	1. Event is off-campus and there is a fee to attend, which does not meet the requirements to be funded.
	2. Motion to zero-fund the application
	3. Vote: 8-1-0

**Approved Applications:**

**\*All approved applications met the SORF standards and did not indicate the need for discussion**

Michael entertaining a motion to mass approve all applications that have been marked as approved by reviewers. (Passed by vote: 7-0-0):

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| **App No.** | **Funding Type** | **RSO Name** | **Funding Requested** | **Amount****Funded** |
| 117066 | Programs | ACHA Men's Division II Hockey Club at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign | $2,335.00  | $1,167.50 |
| 117067 | Programs | ACHA Men's Division II Hockey Club at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign | $3,652.00  | $1,826.00 |
| 117070 | Programs | ACHA Men's Division II Hockey Club at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign | $840.00  | $420.00 |
| 117073 | Programs | ACHA Men's Division II Hockey Club at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign | $1,000.00  | $500.00 |
| 117077 | Programs | ACHA Men's Division II Hockey Club at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign | $387.50  | $387.50 |
| 117078 | Programs | ACHA Men's Division II Hockey Club at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign | $387.50  | $387.50 |
| 117080 | Programs | ACHA Men's Division II Hockey Club at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign | $387.50  | $387.50 |
| 117081 | Programs | ACHA Men's Division II Hockey Club at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign | $387.50  | $387.50 |
| 117083 | Programs | ACHA Men's Division II Hockey Club at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign | $387.50  | $387.50 |
| 117084 | Programs | ACHA Men's Division II Hockey Club at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign | $387.50  | $387.50 |
| 117086 | Programs | ACHA Men's Division II Hockey Club at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign | $387.50  | $387.50 |
| 117087 | Programs | ACHA Men's Division II Hockey Club at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign | $387.50  | $387.50 |
| 117088 | Programs | ACHA Men's Division II Hockey Club at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign | $387.50  | $387.50 |
| 117090 | Programs | ACHA Men's Division II Hockey Club at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign | $387.50  | $387.50 |
| 116616 | Programs | American Nuclear Society, University of Illinois Student Section | $1,974.68  | $26.15 |
| 117012 | Services | Illini 4000 | $6,174.94  | $6,174.94 |
| 117213 | Programs | Illini Women's Soccer Club | $250.00  | $250.00 |
| 116930 | Services | IlliniFurs | $7,385.59  | $7,085.94 |
| 115086 | Services | Illinois Men's Rugby | $5,500.00  | $5,300.00 |
| 116215 | Services | Illinois Model United Nations | $9,942.00  | $9,942.00 |
| 116882 | Programs | Illinois Women's Fastpitch Softball Club | $570.00  | $285.00 |
| 117061 | Services | ImagiNation Dance Crew | $420.00  | $420.00 |
| 117168 | Programs | Iranian Cultural Association | $856.00  | $556.00 |
| 116838 | Projects | Rube Goldberg Society | $1,302.59  | $50.00 |
| 117204 | Services | Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers | $212.44  | $212.44 |
| 115257 | Programs | Taiwanese American Students Club | $229.20  | $171.91 |
| 117217 | Programs | American Concrete Institute | $405.97  | $405.97 |
| 117221 | Programs | American Concrete Institute | $405.97  | $405.97 |
| 116218 | Programs | American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology Student chapter at UIUC | $5,242.76  | $2,621.38 |
| 115872 | Services | Amnesty International 124 | $1,000.00  | $1,000.00 |
| 115232 | Programs | Asian American Association | $1,175.00  | $1,175.00 |
| 115926 | Services | Asian American Association | $891.00  | $891.00 |
| 116715 | Services | Beekeeping Club @ UIUC | $983.40  | $983.40 |
| 116242 | Services | Cross Country Club | $3,880.00  | $3,880.00 |
| 115181 | Services | Doctors Without Borders at the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign | $500.00  | $150.00 |
| 116983 | Services | Eco Illini Supermileage | $3,349.88  | $3,349.88 |
| 115854 | Services | Engineering Outreach Society | $953.76  | $953.76 |
| 116969 | Services | Falling Illini Skydiving | $6,988.97  | $6,988.97 |
| 116971 | Projects | Falling Illini Skydiving | $930.00  | $930.00 |
| 116468 | Programs | Founders - Illinois Entrepreneurs | $1,334.22  | $1,334.22 |
| 117151 | Services | Grow2Give | $496.75  | $496.75 |
| 117097 | Programs | Habitat for Humanity Campus Chapter | $510.00  | $382.50 |
| 117166 | Programs | Hindu YUVA UIUC | $394.98  | $394.98 |
| 117174 | Programs | Hindu YUVA UIUC | $1,120.10  | $1,120.10 |
| 116999 | Services | Historical European Martial Arts Urbana/Champaign | $9,740.74  | $9,740.74 |
| 116770 | Services | Illini Bhangra | $1,920.00  | $1,920.00 |
| 117193 | Services | Illini Cycling | $6,535.00  | $6,535.00 |
| 117192 | Services | Illini Esports | $8,760.00  | $8,760.00 |
| 115741 | Services | Illini Fighting Alzheimer's | $235.00  | $235.00 |
| 117082 | Projects | Illini Formula Electric | $269.94  | $269.94 |
| 117042 | Services | Illini Motorsports | $2,900.00  | $2,900.00 |
| 116576 | Contingency | Illini Ridgebacks Quidditch Team | $510.00  | $510.00 |
| 116528 | Programs | Illini Student Musicals | $6,525.00  | $6,525.00 |
| 115127 | Services | Illini Vex Robotics | $825.08  | $825.08  |
| 115147 | Projects | Illini Vex Robotics | $3,901.47  | $3,901.47  |
| 115227 | Programs | Illini Wildlife and Conservation Club | $270.00  | $135.00 |
| 117182 | Services | Illini Women's Soccer Club | $2,509.16  | $2,509.16 |
| 117212 | Programs | Illini Women's Soccer Club | $250.00  | $250.00 |
| 116939 | Services | Illinois Men's Soccer Club | $9,894.76  | $9,894.76 |
| 117223 | Programs | Iranian Cultural Association | $50.00  | $50.00 |
| 116677 | Services | Jasmine Field Orchestra | $999.00  | $999.00 |
| 117215 | Services | Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers | $212.82  | $212.82 |
| 115309 | Programs | Taiwanese American Students Club | $425.92  | $319.44 |
| 115310 | Programs | Taiwanese American Students Club | $2,229.55  | $2,229.55 |
| 117154 | Programs | Taiwanese American Students Club | $229.20  | $171.90 |
| 115871 | Services | Tea & Company | $52.56  | $52.56 |
| 117092 | Services | The Fashion Network | $999.00  | $450.00 |
| 117135 | Services | Track and Field Club | $1,494.00  | $1,494.00 |
| 116914 | Programs | Women in Mechanical Science and Engineering | $98.12  | $73.59 |
| 116886 | Services | Illinois Women's Fastpitch Softball Club | $43.39  | $43.39 |
| 115773 | Services | Illinois Women's Rowing Club | $9,999.00  | $9,999.00 |
| 116995 | Services | Illinois Women's Volleyball Club | $6,810.46  | $6,810.46 |
| 116324 | Programs | Indian Student Association | $3,675.00  | $3,675.00 |
| 116727 | Services | Keramos | $75.00  | $75.00 |
| 115411 | Services | Makers for Change | $304.36  | $304.36 |
| 117003 | Programs | Muslim Students Association | $3,368.00  | $3,368.00 |
| 116895 | Services | NeuroTech@UIUC | $550.00  | $550.00 |
| 116899 | Projects | NeuroTech@UIUC | $1,686.23  | $1,069.86 |
| 117103 | Projects | Off-Road Illini | $1,386.38  | $1,386.38 |
| 116945 | Programs | Phi Delta Epsilon  | $1,900.00  | $1,900.00 |
| 116148 | Services | Recreational Volleyball | $1,024.00  | $1,024.00 |
| 117167 | Services | Club Tennis | $8,346.00 | $8,346.00 |

Motion to table to deny the applications to 9/30/21 (Passed by vote: 7-0-0)

**For the good of the order**

* Nick noting the importance of neutrality of reviewing; following the SORF standards is the priority
* Nick also mentioned a reminder to sign up for office hours

**Adjournment**

7:21 pm

By vote of 8-0-0, meeting is adjourned