

June 29, 2021

Directors
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation

Re: 2020-21 Student Fee Advisory Committee Funding Recommendations

Dear Student Achievement and Equity Innovation Directors:

The Student Fee Advisory Committee (SFAC) was charged with reviewing funding proposals for the allocation of Student Services Fees and Measure 7 Student Programs Fee. The committee employed a data-driven approach using established criteria and metrics to review proposals that were submitted by various campus community members. I am pleased to notify you that Interim Vice Chancellor Jennifer Baszile has approved the following one-time allocations to Student Achievement and Equity Innovation, consistent with the recommendations submitted by the SFAC.

Division	Department / Program	Author(s) of Proposal	Description	Fund Source	Amount
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	Services for Transfer and Re-entry Students (STARS)	DeShonne Keller, Sara Radoff	Personal Care Pantry @ STARS	20360 M7	\$6,035
			<i>Full funding for personal care items.</i>	20000 SSF	\$1465
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	Disability Resource Center	Rick Gubash	Disability Community Building and Stigmatization Programming <i>Funding for Disability Identity Events (\$5,892 - speaker and movie events) and Resiliency Workshops and Self-Care Fair (\$4,720 - 8 small scale events).</i>	20360 M7	\$10,612
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	STARS / Underground Scholars Program	Joshua Solis, Sara Radoff	Underground Scholars Outreach and Recruitment Program <i>Funding for 2/3 of student employees + supplies.</i>	20000 SSF	\$11,422
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	Resource Centers / African American Resource and Cultural Center	Riana Howard	F.R.E.D (Facilitators for Racial and Ethnic Diversity) <i>Funding for two facilitators and one program coordinator</i>	20360 M7	\$18,995

Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	STARS / Renaissance Scholars	Sandra Ramirez, Sara Radoff, James Retana	Renaissance Scholars Peer Mentor Program <i>Funding for student employee salaries.</i>	20360 M7	\$20,000
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	STARS	Heather Willoughby, Jannet Ceja, Sara Radoff	Student Parent Meal Plan <i>Funding for gift cards as outlined in the proposal.</i>	20000 SSF	\$18,000
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	Resource Centers	Nancy Kim	Graduate Student Diversity, Wellness, and Retention <i>Funding for one graduate student employee.</i>	20000 SSF	\$19,182.16
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	Resource Centers	Nancy Kim	Resource Centers Student Employees <i>Funding for work study or non work study employee at author's discretion.</i>	20360 M7	\$20,000
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	Resource Centers / American Indian Resource Center	Rebecca Hernandez, Jemzi Ortiz, Serah Zetaryalai	Honoring Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls <i>Funding for programming (no meals to be funded).</i>	20000 SSF	\$4,750
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	Learning Support Services	Sharon Castro	Creating Leadership Opportunities and Offering Skill Development to Deepen Enriching Learning Environments at LSS <i>Funding for two mentors and 20 student stipends for 3 quarters.</i>	20000 SSF	\$19,000
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	Educational Opportunity Programs (EOP)	Mario Wash, Aaron Jones	Crossing the Finish Line (CFL) <i>Funding for three students.</i>	20000 SSF	\$26,904.96
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	EOP	Wassila George	Breaking Barriers to Graduate School Fund <i>Program funding with no restrictions.</i>	20000 SSF	\$5,000
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	EOP	Wassila George	Pathways to Research (P2R) Program Proposal <i>Funding for one year, not to be used on tuition remission or travel.</i>	20000 SSF	\$20,000
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	EOP	Ilda Lara Aguilar Chyna Ellis, Aaron Jones	EOP Textbook Lending Library Student-Staff Salary Request <i>Funding for half of proposal scenario B - student employment.</i>	20360 M7	\$17,355

Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	EOP	Thomas Logwood	EOP's Black Men's Initiative: Sustaining Campus Efforts in Support of ABC-identifying Men at UCSC <i>Funding for program with no stipulations.</i>	20000 SSF	\$20,000
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	First Generation Initiative	First Generation Initiative	First-Generation Programming <i>Please submit spending plan by October 1, 2021</i>	20000 SSF	\$20,000
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	Resource Centers / Women's Center	Nancy Kim	Sister Solidarity <i>Program funding with no restrictions.</i>	20000 SSF	\$5,000
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	Resource Centers	Nancy Kim	Resource Centers Year End Ceremonies <i>Funding for 1/3 of each line item: African Black Recognition Ceremony, Chicax Latinx Year End Ceremony, Asian American/ Pacific Islander Year End Ceremony, Lavender Ceremony, American Indian Year End Ceremony</i>	20000 SSF	\$9,700
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	Resource Centers/ Asian American Pacific Islander Resource Center	Caz Salamanca	Southwest Asian and North African Student (SWANA) Programs Intern <i>Funding for non work study student intern.</i>	20000 SSF	\$4,567
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	Resource Centers/ Asian American Pacific Islander Resource Center	Caz Salamanca	Student Alumni Inspiring Leadership (SAIL) Mentor Program <i>Funding for Honorarium, Tech Fees and Alumni line items.</i>	20000 SSF	\$5,080
Student Achievement and Equity Innovation	STARS / Veteran Resource Center	Julie Howell	Veteran Resource Center (VRC) funding for an Early Move-In Orientation Program <i>Program funding with no restrictions.</i>	20000 SSF	\$2,300

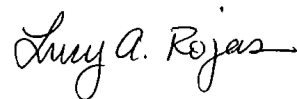
These funds are to be expended in the manner outlined in the funding proposal submitted by the author(s). SFAC award funding will be provided on a reimbursement basis.

Financial requirements include:

- **2020-21 cycle awards will end on June 1, 2022 (no requests for extension will be considered). Units have until June 15, 2022 to request reimbursement. Awardees should be prepared to close all payroll by the end of May 2022.**
- **All expenditures must be posted to the fund source provided (20000 or 20360).**
- Funds will be transferred based on actual expenses up to the approved amount.
- For instructions on how to submit your reimbursement request, please see the SFAC [website](#).
- Any unspent funds will remain with the SFAC for future allocation.
- Any student groups that require funding to be released in advance of an event in order for that event to be approved, should contact me directly to coordinate the transfer of funds.
- More resources for awardees can be referenced on SFAC's [website](#).

If you or your staff has questions about your allocation or reimbursement process, please do not hesitate to contact me at extension 9-1676 or via email at larojas@ucsc.edu.

Sincerely,



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Assistant Vice Chancellor & Chief of Staff

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