

**Student Fee Advisory Committee
Meeting Agenda
April 13, 2025
Bay Tree Conference Center Amah Mutsun or Zoom
11:00 am - 2:00 pm**

Zoom: <https://ucsc.zoom.us/j/98559266028?pwd=XOXI1eAbHbfVmdgNNgEAcBZ9mM86JT.1>

1. Welcome and Introductions
 - a. Members introductions: Name, Pronouns, Year, Major, and Space.
 - b. Order: Cowell, Stevenson, Crown, Merrill, Kresge, Porter, Oakes, RCC, C9, JRL, GSA, GSC, SAB, Provost, SUA, Lisa, Lucy
2. Approval of Agenda & [4/8/25 Minutes](#)
3. 2024-2025 Funding Call
 - a. Resources
 - i. [Proposal Folder](#)
 - ii. [Rating Worksheet](#)
 - iii. [Absent Member Notes](#)
 - b. Proposals to review and discuss this meeting:

24	Slugworks Nook Launch Supplemental Funding	Nicolas Kouatli, Tamara Ball	Slugworks	\$71,000.00
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- [Email from Slugworks](#)
- **No response (as of 4/11/25) to follow up request for information on 3/28/25 (requested response by 4/8. Send one final email on 4/11/25)**

26	Minorities and Philosophy Speaker Conference	Somreeta Paul, Charissa Zeigler	Minorities and Philosophy UCSC chapter	\$5,000.00
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29	Academic or Personal use Loaner Laptops & Chargers funding proposal	M Pratt, A Kelkar, M Douglas, A Popkey	na	\$25,329.00
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- **[Follow up from ITS \(questions posed by SFAC\)](#)**

41	Black Academy & Transfer Prep Partnership	Lenora Willis, Autumn Johnson, Lorato Anderson, Sara Radoff	Black Academy	\$55,000.00
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- Updates from Lucy regarding proposal #41: DSAS will likely be giving funding to this program but it might not cover all costs. The department would still need partial funding to implement the program.

42	African American Mentorship Program	Autumn Johnson	African American Resource & Cultural Center	\$44,309.00
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- Updates from AARCC Director regarding proposal #42: At this juncture, given the state of the budgets, we are willing to accept any amount of funding to ensure that our current mentors retain their positions for AY26 to properly plan to sunset the program in AY27 if we are unable to procure stable funding.

46	Afya (Swahili for Good health)	Lenora Willis, Jennifer Roldan, Santos, Dr. Erica Little	ABC Student Success, College Student Life	\$120,000.00
47	ABC Transfer Programs	Autumn Johnson	African American Resource & Cultural Center	\$13,920.00
48	AA/PIRC Student Interns	Caz Salamanca	Asian American/Pacific Islander Resource Center	\$74,896.00
49	Funding for Travel to Mock Trial Tournaments for the 2025-2026 Season	Andres Martinez-Sabino	Mock Trial at UC Santa Cruz	\$25,000.00
50	Bridge to Success Program (BTS)	Caz Salamanca	Asian American/Pacific Islander Resource Center	\$74,642.00

51	Chicane Latiné Year End Ceremony	Xiomara Lopez	El Centro	\$10,000.00
52	SCEE (Student Creativity & Entrepreneurship Empowerment) SFAC Funding Proposal	Ishaan Bansal, Alexander Aghili	SCEE (Student Creativity & Entrepreneurship Empowerment) Club (no budget required this is a student group)	\$75,000.00

53	Enhancing the Veterans Resource Center at UC Santa Cruz	Jerry Cabilatazan, Brian Hudick Leah Rilat Jacquelyn Meek Bridget Nothelfur Norah Johnson Paige Helmer Dakota King Benjamin Vriens Azrael Aguirre Daniel Martinez Nicholas Kuipers Rossonya Ross	STARRS Veteran Resource Center	\$75,000.00
54	Gender Euphoria: Trans and Nonbinary Wellbeing Internship and Programming	delfin bautista	SSE / RCs / Cantu Queer Center	\$62,000.00
55	AA/PI/SWANA Heritage Months Programming (Night Market + Spring Celebration)	Caz Salamanca	Asian American/Pacific Islander Resource Center	\$58,303.00
56	EOP Food & Hygiene Pantry	Lucia Ortiz	Educational Opportunity Programs (EOP); SSE	\$20,000.00
57	Collaboration with Women-Identified Student Organizations and Partners	Mai Foua Her	Women's Center	\$57,912.00
58	Art Fridays at the Eloise Pickard Smith Gallery	Alice Folkins and Susana Ruiz	Cowell College / Eloise Pickard Smith Gallery	\$37,250.00
59	Native Student Orientation F25	Angel Riotutar, Alexa Jobe	SSE/American Indian Resource Center	\$13,536.00
60	People of Color Sustainability Collective (PoCSC) Student Interns	Angel Riotutar	SSE/American Indian Resource Center/People of Color Sustainability Collective	\$29,931.00
61	American Indian Resource Center's Year End Ceremony 2026	Angel Riotutar, Alexa Jobe	SSE/American Indian Resource Center	\$13,697.00

62	StarChrome	Keith Tinoco	StarChrome - No operating budget. Not required. This is a student group.	\$15,000.00
63	Campus/Community Mutual Aid	Flora Lu	College 9/JR Lewis College	\$74,192.00
18	Graduate Peer Mentor Program	Daniel Pfaff, Sophie Trobitsch, Ashley Rosenfeld, Melissa Chen, Rachel Neuman	Graduate Student Commons	\$18,000
20	CAPS Peer Education Program	Jessica Magallanes-Evans , PsyD; MaryJan Murphy, PhD	Counseling and Psychological Services	\$16,000
21	Graduate Student Summer Activities (GSSA)	Rachel Neuman, Daneil Pfaff, Natalie Pedicino	Graduate Student Commons (GSC)	\$6088.00
35	Writing Support Program (Sluggish Writers' Collective)	Betsy Centeno, Grace Yun, and Rachel Neuman	Graduate Student Commons	\$20,000
28	The Colleges-Sponsored Writing Center	Jaime Cortez	The Colleges - Sponsored Writing Center	\$75,000.00

- **Tabled based on Manel's feedback; please confirm with Manel before making any final decisions.**

4. Adjournment

Upcoming Guests/Topics:

- Discussion on TAPS Letter
 - [2024 Letter](#)
 - [Response from Dan \(to questions we developed on March 11th\)](#)
- Results of 2023-2024 progress reports from awardees
- Student Fee Summit
 - [Google Doc](#)
- Campus Based Fees Review for summer session, FY 26