



Report of the Funding Committee

For the period 2019-06-01 to 2019-09-26

Summer Work and Changes for 2019-2020

- Funding Commissioners for 2019-2020
 - Charles Choi and Allie McGowan
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- Continuing with the process created for 2018-2019 using WP Forms/Redmine
- Updated sample budgets for legibility and ease-of-use
- New Funding Guidebook for 2019-2020
- New appeals form

Committee Formation

- Members-at-large finalized last week
- Still missing two councillors, if you would like to sit on this committee please let myself or the Funding Commissioners know ASAP
- Looking for a meeting time that will have quorum as much as possible.

Application Process and the Role of Council

- Applications are received and reviewed on a rolling basis until December 1st 2019 for the Fall Semester.
 - Funding Committee tries to meet every week and reviews every application received up until that point. Will decide either yes, no or delay the application to request more information.
 - Every council meeting, council will be presented with and asked to ratify the decisions made by the Funding Committee in the interim. It is only after this ratification that funding will be disbursed. Councillors have the right to question applications and may overturn a decision of the Funding Committee if they see fit.
 - Applicants that are rejected have the right to appeal their rejection. Should the Funding Committee reject an appeal, applicants have the ability to appeal this decision to the Legislative Council.
- 5 applications received at time of writing. No decisions to ratify at this meeting.