Graduate Student Council: Funding Committee
March 1st, 2015

American Studies Junto GSO
Requested: $1,636
Funded: $950
Funding for meeting food, wine and cheese, and Junto roundtable. Cannot sponsor cinema tickets.

AstroGrad Network GSO
Requested: $200
Funded: $200
Full funding for Mentoring Program and Orientation Dinner.

Chiasmi GSO
Requested: $1,000
Funded: $650
Conference expenses excluding speaker fees and Saturday dinner. Recommend ticketing or not covering all meals.

Chemical Biology GSO
Requested: $1,140
Funded: $600
Funding towards semester events, not to be used for executive board meetings.

East Asian Languages and Civilizations GSO
Requested: $1,000
Funded: $400
Funding to be used towards refreshments at each event ($100/each). In the future, please provide more detailed event descriptions.

Germanic Circle GSO
Requested: $2,700
Funded: $400
$50/event for snacks and beverages, funding not to be used for speaker dinner.

Landscape Architecture/ Urban Planning GSO
Requested: $1,800
Funded: $1,400
Funding for conference materials and lunch, not to be used for election meetings.

Harvard Graduate Students in Linguistics GSO
Requested: $770
Funded: $600
Full conference funding minus the travel award, remainder to be distributed towards happy hour and picnic.

Pátecníci GSO
Requested: $600
Funded: $300
Funding to be used for events ($50/each). Please provide more detailed budget/event descriptions in the future.

South Asian Studies GSO
Requested: $1,010
Funded: $195
Funding for use towards monthly reading group.
Argentine Tango Society GSG
Requested: $2,000
Funded: $500
Funding towards instructor fees and venue/operational expenses for listed Spring 2015 events.

Canadian Club GSG
Requested: $500
Funded: $300
Sponsoring poutine and curling events. In the future, please provide a more detailed budget and number of expected attendees.

Harvard Chinese Student Scholars Association GSG
Requested: $2,000
Funded: $550
Partial funding for semester events excluding chess and card tournaments. Please provide much more detailed information about events. Total 2014 funding prior to this round is already consistent with the total awarded in any past academic year.

Consulting Club GSG
Requested: $1,800
Funded: $300
Funding to be used towards non-alcoholic refreshments at case study and alumni networking events, not to be used for room rental fee. As suggested last round, may wish to coordinate more with other consulting clubs across Harvard for such events.

Harvard Educators Advancing Teaching GSG
Requested: $510
Funded: $510
Extension request granted for funding from prior period, net new funding $0.

Harvard Grad Business Club GSG
Requested: $2,930
Funded: $1,470
Funding for 3/6 toast masters (3* $50), 1 entrepreneurship talk ($160), 1 data science panel ($355), 2 biz journal club (2* $80), 1 jargon jungle ($250), 1 pizza and finance event ($250), 1 finance career talk ($250), econ workshop ($95), alumni gathering ($350), publicity ($100).

Graduate Dormitory Council GSG
Requested: $1,900
Funded: $550
Funding for BBQ (but not for both Zipcar and Peapod delivery service—please choose one). Funds remain from December award.

Iranian Student Association GSG
Requested: $3,285
Funded: $500
Funding to be used for movie series ($120), language table ($100), panel ($90), New Year’s celebration ($140), and food at end of year gathering ($50). Recommend ticketed event price goes towards food and expenses, funding not to be used for tournament prize.

Science in the News GSG
Requested: $1,340
Funded: $800
Funding for lectures and zoo event.
Science Policy Group GSG
Requested: $1,300
Funded: $750
Full funding for career panel and partial funding for Washington DC trip.

Harvard US-China economic Interaction Council GSG
Requested: $6,615
Funded: $1,800
Given the size of the request and in fairness to all groups, the Committee tried to be consistent with last year's funding for this conference. Funding applicable towards programs, microphone, coffee, screen/projector, posters, and custodian fee, not to be used for speaker-related expenses.

Voice Lab GSG
Requested: $1,000
Funded: $400
$350 for marketing and production costs and $50 for concert, not to be used for CD expenses. Please advertise much more aggressively, both at Harvard, and online (e.g. iTunes, Spotify, YouTube).