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University of Central Florida
 Forty-Sixth Student Body Senate
 Bill 46-20

[Funding for 16 members of the Graduate Writers Association to attend the 2014 Association of Writers and Writing Programs Annual Conference in Seattle, WA from February 25 – March 3, 2014]

- .01 WHEREAS, Graduate Writers Association (GWA) has been a Registered Student Organization since 2011;
- .02 WHEREAS, The mission of GWA is to help students successfully transition from the university into the changing literary field
- .03 by their creating and participating in enhanced networking and professional development opportunities and sharing knowledge
- .04 of existing literary organizations;
- .05 WHEREAS, GWA has 30 active, dues-paying members;
- .06 WHEREAS, GWA members pay dues of \$5.00 per semester;
- .07 WHEREAS, GWA will provide creative and professional opportunities such as workshops, readings, and presentations on
- .08 writing, teaching, editing, publishing, at and beyond the university level for students interested in literary writing;
- .09 WHEREAS, GWA members will be speaking with possible guest speakers and editors and managing UCF's literary magazine,
- .10 The Florida Review, table at the conference;
- .11 WHEREAS, The conference will host panels and workshops on writing, publishing, and editing, as well as a multiple ballroom
- .12 book fair where thousands of literary magazines are circulated, which will provide insight and opportunities for current and
- .13 future UCF student writers in the greater literary community;
- .14 WHEREAS, Graduate Writers Association will be lodging at the La Quinta Inn & Suites Seattle Downtown; and
- .15 WHEREAS, Graduate Writers Association received \$744.00 via CRT Allocation 45-530, \$1,000.00 via FAO Allocation 45-
- .16 127, and \$0.00 in the 2013-2014 Activity and Service Fee Budget;

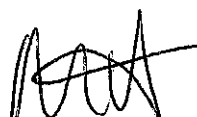
THEREFORE, BE IT

ENACTED, by the Forty-Sixth Student Senate of the University of Central Florida that \$4,829.28 be allocated to Graduate Writers Association from the Registration and Travel Account (7140-0007) according to the following breakdown:

| Item | Description | Cost |
|---|---|-------------------|
| Airfare | (\$376.59 per member x 16 members) | \$6,025.44 |
| Lodging | (\$151.38 per night x 6 nights x 4 rooms) | \$3,633.12 |
| Total Cost | | \$9,658.56 |
| Total Graduate Writers Association Contribution | | \$4,829.28 |
| Total Senate Contribution | | \$4,829.28 |

BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That all unspent funds revert back to their originating account by April 18, 2014; and
BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Graduate Writers Association completes a post-travel form and returns it to the Operations and Review Committee (ORC) by April 18, 2014, as a condition of receiving funding.

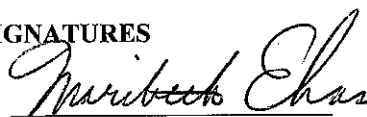
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