



Science Undergraduate Society



The Science Undergraduate Society of UBC – Abdul Ladha Centre – 2055 East Mall - Vancouver, BC V6T 1Z1
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Attendance:

VP Finance	Jesse Grist
General Officer	Jeffrey Pea
General Officer	Vanessa Li
MBIM Representative	Marta Mroczek
Member-at-Large	Parisa Roshanzamir
Member-at-Large	Ana Obrknezev
Astronomy Representative	Andreaa Pirvu
Member-at-Large	Caroline Chang

Regrets:

Member-at-Large	David Zheng
Vice-Chair	Tammy Tsui
Integrated Science Representative	Tamara Nee

Called to Order: 4:47pm

Introduction

Combined Major In Science Student Association Club Op Review

Membership: (3/10)

- No membership list given
- Exec to general members ratio is quite large
- Input on year-long membership passes not given
- Some variety of years throughout exec
- Entire membership (all of CMS) is not well connected to club -> no indication of total true members

Events: (15/30)

- No description of upcoming events
- Not the best distribution of events
- Very little academic events, however this can be connected to the nature of the club
- Very social-based
- Low budget events with decent turnout

Budget: (13.5/30)

- Event costs are reasonable
- Budget has no breakdown however
- Very bare, unclear.

Rationale: (15/30)

- Quite short and general
- Not very much collaboration



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- Membership Night is a quite common event and not unique

Total Score: 46.5/100

Amount to Grant: $46.5\% * 1000 = \$465$

Moved: Ana

Second: Marta

Approve – 7

Oppose – 0

Abstain – 0

Carries...

Undergraduate Research Opportunities Club Op Review

Membership: (9/10)

- For a new club it has grown amazingly
- Mostly younger students
- Primarily science students
- Reasonable Fees

Events: (26/30)

- Some collaboration
- Primarily academic, but it is associated with the nature of the club
- Only three flagship events
- Turn out is good
- Nice descriptions

Budget: (27/30)

- Quite detailed, shows breakdown well
- Rely a lot on external grants
- Expenses are reasonable

Rationale: (30/30)

- Very convincing and well written
- Effortful
- Highlights growth
- Really highlights the purpose of the club

Total Score: 92/100

Amount to Grant: $92\% * 1000 = \$920$

Jeff Pea conflict of interest

Moved: Vanessa

Second: Andreaa



Approve – 6
Oppose – 0
Abstain – 0

Carries...

Environmental Sciences Student Association Club Op Review

Membership: (7/10)

- Membership fee reasonable
- Decently distributed
- Year numbers not given

Events: (28/30)

- Description for events given
- Not a whole lot of academic events
- A whole bunch of career building opportunities and social events

Budget: (19/30)

- Huge discrepancy between expenses and revenue
- A lot of money going to trips limited to a few students

Rationale: (25/30)

- Well-written
- Broad statements, would prefer more detail
- Collaboration present

Total Score: 79/100

Amount to Grant: $79\% * 1000 = \$790$

Moved: Andreaa
Second: Ana

Approve – 7
Oppose – 0
Abstain – 0

Carries...

Heart and Stroke Foundation Club Op Review

Membership: (8/10)

- All the information is present
- Execs not listed
- Membership fees reasonable

Events: (30/30)

- Great for the cause they are supporting
- Creative events
- Very detailed descriptions
- Vary in content throughout the year



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- Low collaboration, but it is the nature of the club

Budget: (15/30)

- Excessive “Start Up Costs”
- T-Shirts Charged Twice For roughly \$550
- Fundraising events are not listed
- Quite a lot of membership appreciation events, could be consolidated
- Revenues are slightly confusing mixed in to expenses

Rationale: (30/30)

- Very well-written and passionate writing
- Explains club purpose well
- Detailed
- No explanation of where grant money would go → Broad Statement

Total Score: 83/100

Amount to Grant: $83\% * 1000 = \$830$

Moved: Vanessa

Second: Parisa

Approve – 7

Oppose – 0

Abstain – 0

Carries...

Parisa Excused

Women In Science Clup Op Review

Membership: (8/10)

- Good variety of year levels
- A lot of members for a new club
- Membership fees reasonable
- Small Club

Events: (29/30)

- Detailed and well-formatted
- Good balance of social and academic
- Great mentorship opportunity
- Even distribution
- Low turnout

Budget: (28/30)

- Clear
- Detailed and brokendown
- Reasonable costs
- Could elaborate on the grants expected



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Rationale: (25/30)

- Very Well-written
- Talked about the clubs purpose
- Touch upon important points such as their new projects
- Collaboration section is broad

Total Score: 90/100

Amount to Grant: 90%*1000 = \$900

Moved: Ana

Second: Vanessa

Approve – 6

Oppose – 0

Abstain – 0

Carries...

Ana Excused

Biological Science Society Club Op Review

Membership: (6/10)

- Membership fees reasonable
- Spelling mistakes
- No detailed breakdown of distribution
- For a big major it is a small club

Events: (13.5/30)

- Not too many events/variety of events
- For a big major not very many events
- Only four events not sales related
- Not many biology related events
- Decent turnout

Budget: (27.5/30)

- Format causes some confusion
- Simplistic
- Costs are reasonable
- Would like more breakdown

Rationale: (14/30)

- Minimal effort
- Does not cater to the entire bio community as mentioned
- Collaboration present
- Not many events, as claimed



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Total Score: 61/100

Amount to Grant: $61\% * 1000 = \$610$

Moved: Jeff

Second: Vanessa

Approve – 5

Oppose – 0

Abstain – 0

Carries...

Closing Remarks

Meeting Adjourned: 6:10pm