

UPAC Allocation Night Minutes

Date: 09/21/2021

Organization Name: Uncensored America

Budget(s) to be Reviewed: Honoraria

Committee:	NAT
Committee Chair:	Kim Shea
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Committee Members:	Elonie, Cassandra, Yidi, Ryan, Aditi, Rohan, Ethan, Mitchell, Jeff
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SCT Member(s):	Alex

Organization Presenter:	Luca Miraldi, Sean
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Minutes:

Description of the Budget:	
Uncensored America	
Questions from the Committee:	Responses from the Presenter:
1. Have you paid for anything yet?	1. No
2. What is the mission of your organization?	2. A freedom of speech organization giving people on both sides the opportunity to speak and hear others.
3. Why did you select this speaker?	3. He has been kicked off multiple social media platforms, so we think it would be beneficial to hear what happened from his perspective.
4. Has this speaker performed here before?	4. Not at UP
5. What can this event bring to University Park?	5. On a college campus, you have an opportunity to hear all kinds of voices. We want to bring in opposing viewpoints to challenge how students think, while promoting diversity and inclusion.
6. How do you plan on advertising for this event?	6. Digital and print - through social media, posters and flyers
7. What is the priority of funding for the items you are requesting?	7. Honoraria, transportation, lodging, facility expenses, equipment, promotion

8. How long has your club been around?	8. 3 years
9. How will you pay for the portion that UPAC cannot fund? 10. How did you sell the tickets?	9. Students will have free admission, but they will be up charged for VIP tickets and the meet and greet. VIP seating will only be open to UP students and will be capped at 20 or 30. Outside guests will be charged. Tickets will be sold through Eventbrite.
11. Is it open to all students in UP?	10. Yes

Committee Discussion:

- Overall, I thought it was a good budget, which aligns with their mission. It is a college campus, so I like the open viewpoints. My only two issues were the VIP tickets, so I am glad it was brought up. My other concern is that they didn't tell me he was banned.
- Is there a section about the integrity of the speaker? I thought they did a nice job of phrasing it.
- Also, they mention that they have VIP before, so this might not be a huge concern.
- In their defense, they told me they were working out other things with honoraria.
- It meets the criteria of funding for UPAC guidelines, but I think that if the Anti-Defamation League has a page on you, there isn't a mistake with their messaging.

SCT Recommendation:

Recommendation:	Full funding to cap \$17,934.80 Full funding to cap for honoraria @ \$17,934.80 No funding for lodging No funding for travel No funding for equipment No funding for facility rental Based on student orgs responsibility to cover 10% of the total program costs.	
Amount Funded:	\$17934.80	
2 nd By:	Rohan	
Equipment Breakdown (If needed)	1. UP- Microphone – Over Ear 2. Promotion 3. UP – Microphone - Wireless	1. \$0 2. \$0 3. \$0 4. \$0

	4. UP – Podium 5. UP – Projector Screen 6. UP – Projector – Event Space 7. Travel 8. Lodging	5. \$0 6. \$0 7. \$0 8. \$0
Vote: 9-0		

Additional Recommendations:

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Comments:

Vote: