

9/3/2024:

Land acknowledgment - 5:33

Ice Breaker - 5:34

TG Presentation 1 - 5:38

Period of Q+A - 5:43

Discussion - 5:47

Motion to vote - 5:50

TG Presentation 2 - 5:51

Period of Q+A - 5:57

Discussion - 5:59

Motion to vote - 6:00

Meeting conclusion - 6:02

9/10/2024:

Attendance - missing Jakye and Brooke

Land Acknowledgement - 5:33

Ice Breaker - 5:35

First BSOF presentation - 5:40

- French club
- October 10th, 11am - 2pm and March 27th, 11am - 2pm
- Asking for money for the language festival
 - Here on behalf of the other 10 language clubs
- This money will be split between the two language festivals for both fall and spring
- Hoping that 300-500 students will attend
- In the LSC Plaza
- Open to all students on campus
- Each club is asking for 500 for food which will be split between fall and spring semester
- All food will be individually wrapped and approved by LSC catering

Q+A - 5:47

Discussion - 5:48

Motion to vote - 5:53

Second BSOF Presentation - 5:58

- Indian Students Association
 - India Nite
- Flagship event that was started in 2002
- Variety of cultural programs and performances
- Historically have had around 1200 + people attend this event
- Draw from all Colorado schools
- Free admission and free food!
- October 6, 2024
 - 4:30-8:30pm
 - Grand Ballrooms at LSC

- Bridal fashion show
- Estimate to have 800-900 people attend
- Marketing
 - Collegian
 - Flash mob at the plaza and in old town
 - Social media
- The menu is made and served by LSC catering
- Only asking BSOF to pay for room rental in LSC and food, the rest is covered completely by co-sponsors
- Event promotes Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

Period of Q+A - 6:04

Discussion - 6:05

Motion to Vote - 6:16

Travel Grant presentation #1 - 6:19

- Ag biology
- Weed science and molecular biology
- Conference is in India
- Presenting findings at the conference
 - Keynote speaker!
- Travel, lodging, food
- Last opportunity to attend
- Will be patented
 - Tech she developed

Q+A - 6:23

Discussion - 6:26

Vote - 6:27

Approved!

Travel Grant presentation #2 - 6:29

- Society of Asian Scientists and Engineers
- Boston Massachusetts
- 4 exec members and 3 general members
- 2 paid through scholarship
- Networking opportunity
- Connects chapters from all over the country
- Large scale career fair with 400+ recruiters and 90+ companies
- Relatively new chapter
 - 200% growth of the CSU chapter
- Make event as financially accessible as possible
- Funding 7 members
- Requesting 1200
- Using some SOFA account funds

Q+A - 6:37

Discussion - 6:40

Motion to vote - 6:41

Approved

Travel Grant Presentation #3 - 6:42

- PRSSA
- 5-22 members in one year
- Have had travel opportunities before
- 13th - 17th of October
- Anaheim CA
- Requesting 1,200

Q+A - 6:46

Discussion - 6:46

Motion to Vote - 6:47

Approved

Meeting close - 6:51

9/17/2024:

Land Acknowledgement - 5:31

Ice Breaker - 5:33

Outreach event chat - 5:35

First TG Presentation - 5:45

BSOF Presentation 1 - 5:54

- Music business collective
- Rams of rock at homecoming tailgate
- Hands on experience in the music industry
- Providing networking and educational opportunities
- Mission
 - Nurture growth of music and music business scene here on campus
 - Promote both local and student artists
- Values
 - Professionalism
 - Passion
 - Teamwork
 - Integrity
 - Wellness
 - Empathy
- Goals of the event
 - Contribute to wellbeing of campus through the power of music

- Hands on experience in the music industry through planning and execution of event
- Event
 - Concert hosted at the student tailgate
 - October 26th
 - Music business collectives personal OA system
 - Booking for Violet Visionaries and Stil Runnin
- Budget
 - Total amount requested of BSOF - \$1,819.35
- Outreach
 - Over 1000 instagram followers
 - Over 50 current members
 - Street teaming
 - Social media
 - Promotion at other MBC events

Questions - 6:04

Discussion - 6:07

MTV - 6:27

Approved

BSOF Presentation #2 - 6:55

- IEEE
 - Institute of electrical and electronics engineers
- Mission statement
 - Foster technological innovation and excellence for the benefit of humanity
- Event on October 10th
- Have held this event before
- Employers connections night
- 8-12 industry representatives
- Estimated student attendance - 70
- Purpose
 - Get students prepared for a career/research
 - Students connect with faculty, professionals, peers
 - Open to everyone with a focus on the tech industry
- Open to all students
- Coordinate with other student organizations on campus
- Marketing
 - Mass email
 - Flyers all over campus
 - SLiCE will broadcast through rmlink
- Asking for 1255.68 from BSOF
 - Have the 10% co-sponsorship
 - IEEE is the co-sponsor

Questions - 7:04

Discussion - 7:05

MTV -

10/08/24:

Attendance: - missing Jakye, Joseph, Nick, Brooke

- Grace
- Areen
- Maddie
- Kyle
- Lorenzo
- Sophie
- Tangia

Land Acknowledgement - 5:32

Budget Update - 5:35

Bylaw Review - 5:36

Liaison Role Review - 5:39

- Saving this for next week when we have everyone here

Ice Breaker - 5:40

TG Presentation 1 - 5:51

BSOF Presentation 1 - 6:03

- Two different events
 - Shabbat in the fall and Passover in the Spring
- Shabbat 500 Dinner
- Friday November 1, 2024 - 7pm
- Hoping to get 500 guests
- Have been doing this for more than 10 years
- Brings together the jewish community of fort collins
- Very educational event where you can learn, observe, participate, celebrate
- Great space to learn and share
- Goal is to create a home away from home
- A day to expand weekly Shabbat dinner to the entire CSU community
- Collegian has been doing articles and interviews about this event for a long time
- 21st annual Passover event
- Have been working with BSOF for a really long time

Q+A - 6:11

Wait to vote - didnt meet quorum

10/15/24:

Land acknowledgement - 5:30

Liaison discussion - 5:32

Ice breaker - 5:34

BSOF presentation - 5:52

- Front Range Student Ecology Symposium
- Mission
 - Showcase research in all stages
 - Poster and oral presentations
 - Feedback
 - Network
 - Friendly but professional setting
 - Skill building workshops
 - Panel discussions
 - Networking events
- Open event to all students across the Front range at the undergrad and graduate level
- 31st edition of this event
- Previous events numbers - Spring 2024
 - 300 attendees
 - 40 poster presentations
 - 40 oral presentations
 - K-12 student presentations
- Predicting similar numbers as last year - Spring 2025
- Tentative theme is "Back to our Roots"
- February 13-14
- Jennifer Ackerfield
 - Invited speaker
 - Assistant professor in indigenous natural sciences
 - Department of forest and conservation sciences
 - Wrote the book Flora of Colorado
- Some conference in this area are really expensive, so it is nice to have this free opportunity for students to practice in a more low pressure situation
- Marketing strategy
 - On-campus recruiting
 - Social media
 - Outreach outside of CSU
- Funds raised for 2025
 - Have already raised \$4800 from all different departments on campus
- Total for speaker - travel costs and honorarium fee
 - \$1534
- Mainly asking for LSC rental and catering
 - Roughly \$4,500
 - See budget

- Other expenses
 - \$2650
- FRSES Branded Keg
 - This is being covered by their co-sponsor/pledge
- TOTAL Budget
 - \$8,800

Discussion - 6:08

- Made a very clear effort to reduce costs for this years event

Motion to Vote - 6:09

Approved

Travel Grant Presentation 2 - 6:23

- Phi Kappa Theta Fraternity
 - Catholic, community oriented, social fraternity
 - Welcomes all backgrounds as long as they adhere to our values
 - 20 hours of service per semester
 - 22 active members
 - Brothers involved in 30+ other RSO's
 - Mission
 - "Give expecting nothing thereof"
 - Fraternal
 - Leadership
 - Intellectual
 - Social
 - Spiritual
- Has utilized BSOF before
 - March of 2024
 - RailJam
- Travel Overview
 - Puebla Mexico
 - Flying into Mexico City
 - Staying in the heart of the community assisting locals with various service projects including community reconstruction
 - Collaborating with a vocational director to have a curriculum designed to help participants gain service skills
 - Leave Nov 22nd and return Nov 26th
 - Taking a bus from Mexico City to Puebla
 - 12 active members and two officers
 - \$358 per ticket
 - \$30 for bus
 - Asking for the full amount - \$1200
- Serves as an opportunity to improve the image of Greek Life at CSU
- Hoping to spread love

Questions - 6:32

Discussion - 6:34

Motion to vote - 6:39

Approved

10/22/24:

Attendance: tangia, sophie, maddie, areen, nick, kyle, grace, lorenzo, joseph

Land acknowledgement - 5:32

Budget update - 5:33

- 98,044.62 remaining

Marketing ideas for next info session - 5:33

- Barstool?
- Email people who are in leadership positions within international organizations
- Main CSU instagram account
 - Lily has contact with main CSU instagram account
- International services instagram and newsletter
 - Through Areen
- More of a social/networking event

Ice breaker - 5:37

- If you could only eat one cuisine what would it be?

BSOF presentation 1 - 5:45

- Mainstreet A Cappella Fall Showcase
 - Founded in 2013
 - First competition in 2017
 - First ICCA in 2021
 - Strive to make the best music possible and bring the most amount of joy
- Event Details
 - 17 members performing and an expected audience of over 100
 - The Lyric Cinema - Mothership theater
 - November 17th 5-8:30pm
 - End of semester performance to display all the music we have learned since August
 - Helps fundraise for the Spring competitions
 - Charges \$5 for students and \$10 for general admissions
 - All revenue goes directly to Mainstreet's SOFA
- Event total is \$700
 - \$500 venue fee
 - \$200 is a sound and equipment fee
- Amount requested from BSOF is \$350

Questions - 5:52

- How are you planning to market?
 - Main marketing is through social media
 - Advertising through other earlier events
 - Flyers throughout several departments

Discussion - 5:55

MTV - 5:58

Approved!

10/29/2024:

Attendance: Sophie, Joseph, Lorenzo, Jakye, Nick, Grace, Areen, Kyle, Maddie, Tangia

Land Acknowledgement - 5:32

Ice Breaker - 5:33

BSOF Presentation 1 - 5:42

- Dean Student Leadership Council
 - Composed of 26 students
 - Undergraduate business students from CSU college of business
- Event Overview **March 24-26**
 - Business Day
 - Event held for 47 years
 - Held in LSC Ballroom D
 - Sports Theme
 - Going to have a speaker
 - Providing snacks and refreshments for first two days and full dinner on last day
 - 3-5:30 Monday
 - 3-5:30 Tuesday
 - 6-8:30 Wednesday
 - Open to all colleges not just CoB
 - Room rental and equipment
 - \$1769.40
 - LSC Catering
 - \$6010
 - Both room rental and catering will be coming from BSOF
 - Total amount of event
 - \$10113.22
 - 30% co-sponsorship
- Really trying to get more attendance since it has dropped after COVID
- Marketing will be done by CSU CoB MarComm department
- Will also be tabling on plaza and in the CoB

Questions - 5:52

- Will the co-sponsorship cover the speaker/honorarium?
 - Co-sponsorship will be from College of Business and they will be covering all expenses to cover all speakers for the event \
- How will you bring people in from the international business side?
- What are the attendance numbers?
 - Last year they had 60-80 students attend each session
 - Would like to be a lot higher
 - Pre-covid it would be 300 or more students at each session
 - Using sports theme to incentivise engagement

- Asked all professors to excuse absences and offer extra credit to students who attend

Discussion - 5:56

- Anything not listed on the budget will be covered by college of business
- Can we approve something without a concrete number
 - If things continue the way that was discussed now then we can fund, but if that number changes and the co-sponsorship amount changes then we change the amount we pay

MTV - 6:04

Approved!

11/19/2024:

BSOF group 1 - Africans United - 5:50

- Similar event to last years event
- See presentation to fill in other details
- Q+A - 6:00
 - Will there be an after party
 - As of right now no
 - Where will the event be held
 - As of right now they do not know
- Discussion - 6:05
 - Really had a hard time understanding the budget and what exactly they are spending money on
 - Board really had a hard time approving
 - Proposed to wait and meet with Sophie and Tangia to revise budget and then come back and present budget only on December 3rd or they would not be eligible for funding

1/21/2025:

Attendance: Sophie, Tangia, Maddie, Areen, Yoseline, Grace, Jakye, Nick, Lorenzo, Joseph, Kyle

Land Acknowledgement - 5:34

Bylaw review - 5:36

Ice Breaker - 5:37

Bylaw Review Game - 5:39

TG Presentation - 6:05

- VPR vice president for research - Cass Mosley
- Graduate Student COuncil
- CoB
- Discussion - 6:17
- Approved - 6:20

Adjourned - 6:21

1/28/2025:

Attendance: Sophie, Tangia, Joseph, Lorenzo, Nick, Maddie, Yoseline, Areen, Grace, Luke

Land acknowledgement - 5:34

Ice Breaker - 5:39

Anybody want to table? - 5:40

- Outreach event is Feb. 11

BSOF presentation 1 - Group of Researchers across Microbiomes - 5:42

- Mission: Foster vibrant/dynamic community across microbiome disciplines
- 5th annual symposium - Front Range Microbiome Symposium
 - Regional conference that is designed to promote early career microbiome researches in mountain west
 - Coordinating caravans for transportation
 - 20 total and counting
 - 200 students total attending
- Total event cost: \$39,200
- \$8,553 from BSOF

Questions - 5:53

- What is BSOF funding for?
 - Flights

Discussion - 6:00

- Funding for?
 - Flights?
 - How is that being disbursed/how much?
 - Allocated \$500 with rest to be covered from other funding

MTV - 6:06

Approved!

Travel Grant - Club Mock Trial Team at CSU - 6:07

- Want to increase accessibility for pre-law opportunities
- American Mock Trial Association
 - Getting ahead of things coming in law school
 - Opportunity to become familiarized with the law system
 - Case in mock trial is on death on train tracks - inheritance of son
- Funding
 - Rams for Change - \$250
 - BSOF Travel Grant - \$1200 for lodging
 - Ramride - \$1500

Questions - 6:15

- Multiple teams at each school?
 - Typically more than 1
 - Average of 3
 - More teams means more fees and preparation
- Is money raised in SOFA?
 - Ramride money is, Rams for change is

Discussion - 6:18

- For lodging, looks good
- How recent was registration?
 - Finals week last semester

MTV - 6:18

Approved!

Travel Grant - RamRobotics - 6:19

- New program
 - Dissolved after seniors graduated and leadership fell apart
 - Competition based drone club
- Funding
 - \$1500 registration fee
- SUAS Competition
 - Unmanned/autonomous drone competition
- 8 students + 1 faculty advisor
 - Number of attendees will not change the registration fees
- Co-funding from Engineering Business Office
 - Will handle travel plans for actual competition in summer

Questions - 6:24

- BSOF can only cover \$1200 of \$1500 requested
 - EBO/SOFA account will fund the remaining \$300

Discussion - 6:25

- Good that it's international event, good exposure
- Although event is in summer, registration is in February, can BSOF fund?
 - Because it's due in February, good to go

MTV - 6:27

Approved!

BSOF presentation 2 - Students for Holocaust Awareness Week - 6:29

- Focus on reflection/remembrance of Holocaust
- Week
 - Keynote speaker: Holocaust survivor
 - Last year - Esther Bosh (Honey girl of Auschwitz)
 - Holocaust film with moderated Q&A session
 - Litany of Names
 - Field of Flags
- March
- 2,000 guests
- Funding
 - \$12,000
 - Co-sponsorship of \$7,075
- Way for to journey out into the world and share memories and experiences

Questions - 6:42

- Finding speaker?
 - Found one person who hid in chicken coop in holocaust and was adopted by Christian family

Discussion - 6:44

- Historically funded this event
- Impactful and they use funding

MTV - 6:46

Approved!

2/4/2025:

Attendance: Sophie, Tangia, Maddie, Areen, Yoseline, Grace, Jakye, Nick, Lorenzo, Joseph, Luke

Land Acknowledgement - 5:33

Ice Breaker - 5:37

Bsof Presentation - Tech Masters Connect: 5:50

- GMF Project Proposal Competition
 - GMF Financials will provide a case for competition
 - Teams of 3 students, 10+ teams
 - Winning team gets cash prize of \$300 and certification from GMF Financials
 - Registration deadline: 2/14/2025
 - Event is 3/14/2025

Discussion - 5:54

- By precedent, we have funded events that are competitions and are open to public spectators

MTV - 5:55

Approved!

TG Presentation - NIRSA 2025

- Network of 4,500+ professionals, students, and businesses
- Leadership/professional development conference for those involved in campus recreation
- Hope to bring back new strategies and improve our rec center
- Funding
 - Cover travel costs (flights/transportation)
- Additional Funding
 - \$1,400 from other sources for registration/ lodging
- Trip from 4/22 - 4/26

Discussion - 6:12

- Have to consider that the rec funds a lot of travel for students
 - Should we hold off so we can fund other students?
- Rec is really nice

MTV - 6:18

Approved!

2/18/2025

Attendance:

Land acknowledgement: 5:30

Ice Breaker: 5:32

BSOF Presentation 1: Pacific Club

- Lu'au event
 - 250 people in attendance
- Funding
 - Total BSOF amount: \$7,578.50
 - Co-sponsorship: \$5,581.00
 - Co-sponsorship percent: 30%
 - Total: \$14,709.50
- Want funding for flyers and other advertising as well as supplies for event

Questions: 5:46

- Are the LED lightings rentals?
 - Yes

Discussion: 5:48

- Does the DEI initiatives going into effect have an effect on this event?
 - No
-

MTV: 5:52

APPROVED!

BSOF presentation: Ram Racing

- Ram Racing vehicle reveal event
 - April 12, 5-10PM
 - 350 people in attendance
 - Taco bar
 - Networking opportunity
 - Recap/overview of the club and accomplishments
- As a club, they create and race an electric vehicle
- 70+ students involved, 7+ fields of study
- Student recruitment
 - Underclassman in engineering, business, art, compSI
 - Posters, mass emails, social media, word of mouth
- Funding
 - BSOF: \$5,341.60
 - Co-sponsorship: \$1,335.40
 - Co-sponsorship %: 20%
 - Total amount: \$6,677

Questions: 6:00

- How fast is car?
 - 70 MPH

Discussion: 6:01

- Is LSC reserving hourly?
 - No
- Is food expense too high?
 - For expecting 350 people
 - Need some incentive to get

MTV: 6:06

- 5 yes, 1 no, 1 abstention

APPROVED!

Travel Grant Application: Microbiome Science International Academic Meeting

- International conference to network with higher up professionals in the field
- Going to meet “rock stars” in the academic community
- Learning new technologies and practices in the field
- One of the 20 selected to present
 - 100 people applied to present

Questions: 6:15

- How can CSU students participate
 - GRAM is open to all students

Discussion: 6:16

- Didn't like diss on CSU events

MTV: 6:17

APPROVED!

Travel Grant: Gamma Zeta Alpha

- Santa Barbara, California
- Meet with other chapters
- Network with other chapters
- Connect with Board of Directors
 - Gain insight into financial advice
- Workshops for fraternity
 - Resume
 - Post graduation life
 - Job seeking and career development
 - Member development
- Asking for:
 - \$2100 for 6 members to fly
 - \$300 for 6 members for registration

Questions: 6:25

- Have they registered yet?
 - No
- Any new guys in the fraternity going?
 - Yes, 4
- How many members?
 - Roughly 8

- How long will trip be?
 - Feb 28 - Mar 3
- Have members been before?
 - Yes
 - Newer chapter, so going to gain insight and grow their chapter

Discussion: 6:28

- Questions for clarification on funding
- Cool that they are covering the guy's dues that is not going

MTV: 6:30

- 6 Approve, 1 abstain

Travel Grant: Request for funding: Bard Center for Electrochemistry workshop

- Joseph presenting
- Where: Allen J. Bard Center for Electrochemistry
- Who: 2 students, 1 faculty advisor
- Funding:
 - \$30 for 2 students
 - Lodging: \$670.32

Questions: 6:35

Discussion: 6:35

- Professor can't submit documents or request funding?
- Not a lot of information in the presentation, need more to approve

Motion to table this and further discuss with more information next week: 6:40

Motion approved! Will discuss more next week

3/4/35:

Attendance: Sophie, Tangia, Maddie, Areen, Grace, Yoseline, Nick, Jakye, Luke, Lorenzo

Land acknowledgement - 5:32

Budget Review - 5:33

Bylaw Review - 5:34

Ice Breaker - 5:34

BSOF Presentation 1 - 5:45

- Beta Gamma Nu Fraternity
 - Boys Youth Leadership conference
 - Bringing young men to campus and showing them the benefits of higher education and helping them to understand what higher education entails
 - Total budget is \$1487.97
 - Will be having a guest speaker
 - Foundry meal
 - Bus parking
 - Never No Summer Ballroom
 - Marketing
 - Created a very nice flyer
 - April 11th

- Reached out to Denver Public Schools and already have interest
 - Want to be open up this event to the community for volunteering
 - Expecting around 60 students
 - Questions - 5:54
 - Discussion - 5:55
 - MTA - 5:57
 - Approved!
- BSOF Presentation 2 - 5:57
- Minoritized Genders in Natural Resources
 - MGNR Congress
 - April 16th 5:30-8:30pm in the Michael Smith Natural Resources Building Atrium
 - Keynote Speaker - Founder of Eco Inclusive Strategies and Summit for Action
 - Main part of the event
 - For professional networking
 - Only asking BSOF to pay for the speaker - \$3000
 - Expecting around 100 attendees
 - Questions - 6:03
 - Discussion - 6:04
 - MTV - 6:06
 - Approved

3/11/25:

Attendance:

Land Acknowledgement - 5:32

Budget Update - 5:34

Ice Breaker - 5:35

BSOF Presentation 1 - 5:44

- Engineering College Council
- E-Days - April 18th
 - Marketing
 - Flyers
 - Event Signage
 - Posters
 - Event Set up
 - AV
 - Tables for Plaza
 - Chairs for Plaza
 - Rentals through LSC
 - Catering
 - Room Reservations
 - Total requested from BSOF - \$8,465.70
- Questions - 5:51
- Discussion - 5:53
 - Approved

BSOF Presentation 2 - 6:03

- Ascent Project
 - ONE - April 11th 7:00-9:00pm
 - At colorado house of prayer
 - Place where lots of religious organizations can come together and create unity between groups on campus
 - 300+ attendees
 - Marketing
 - Flyers
 - Chalking the plaza
 - Social media and word of mouth
 - Speaker/Band
 - Marketing
 - Production expenses
- Questions - 6:12
- Discussion - 6:15
 - Tabled

BSOF Presentation 3 - 6:22

- Ram Country Dance Club
 - Spring Formal - April 13th 6-10pm LSC ballroom A&B
 - Asking BSOF for room rentals, AV, and Equipment
 - RCDC will be covering all catering and lighting
 - Has another co-sponsor for decorations
 - Has gluten free options
 - Marketing
 - Social media
 - Large word of mouth
- Questions - 6:27
- Discussion - 6:29
 - Approved