

SENATE BILL: S097-052699-092999-03082000-04112001-05012002-01212004-09012004-05042005

TITLE: SGA Summer Scholarship

BE IT ENACTED by the Senate of the University that the following statute establishes and governs the Association's Summer Scholarship.

Section 1. Purpose of Scholarship

- 1.1 The purpose of the SGA Summer Semester Scholarship is to provide financial assistance to majority and minority full-time summer semester students. Through the endowment of EOF reserve monies, that will generate \$2,000 in scholarships to be disbursed for Summer semesters yearly.

Section 2. Funding

- 2.1 The funding for the SGA Summer Semester Scholarship shall be derived from one or more allocations from Educational Opportunity Fund Reserves, and endowed through the WSU Foundation. The Educational Opportunity Fund Committee will recommend an amount for approval to the Senate and the University President.
- 2.2 All funds are to be used for the semester in which they are allocated.

Section 3. Scholarship Committee and Allocation

- 3.1 The General Scholarship Committee of the Office of Financial Aid at the University will administer the scholarship and make awards.
- 3.2 The scholarships will be awarded in a sum of \$250 per recipient.
- 3.3 Selection of recipients shall be made in accordance to criteria set by the Association's Operations Committee and approved by a majority of the Senate.
- 3.4 The Operations Committee must review this scholarship every odd numbered years to reevaluate the effectiveness of dispersal and amount awarded.

Section 4. Scholarship Criteria

- 4.1 Part-time summer semester student.
- 4.2 Financial need.
- 4.3 2.0 or higher grade point average.
- 4.4 Campus involvement or community involvement.
- 4.5 Applicant must have completed 12 credit hours, and have paid student fees at the University prior to the summer semester of award.
- 4.6 Applicant must be a degree bound student attending summer semester at the University.