Finance Committee
September 4, 2017

Attendance
Present: Mobley, Palmer, Lipsett, Inouye, Segar, Gerard
Time: 9:00 PM

Requests:
Gabriel Newman with Photo Services
Photo Services is one of ASUPS Medias
Two requests
Why is a new mac needed?
- Current one is semi outdated, could delay or not have all functions for editing photos
- On a downhill slope moving forward
2 cameras, 4 lenses
- Canon D500 is more versatile
- Canon 5D Mark III is a more “professional” camera for more advanced photographers
- Other two are the two lenses
What cameras are currently in use?
- Photo services does own any functional cameras
  - One on DSLR film that is not used
- Photographers currently bring their own cameras
Photo grips
- Used to add another battery and flip to a vertical shot more easily
Orca Cards
- Used for a pilot program
- Helping to implement Humans of Puget Sound
- Why not using the current ASUPS ones?
  - Don't want to take away from the current student body
What are most necessary items?
- Cameras need the lenses so neither one is more important
- Nikon D500 and Nikon Mount Tamron 24-70
Why Mac over PC
- Currently have a mac and figure the transition will be easier
Lightroom 6
- Not part of the rest of Adobe suite
- One time cost
- Want to allow the staff the ability to use that service
Getting used cameras from the Canon website
- Should be a trusted source
Future requests
- May request more for staff depending on how many more people they hire
- Finance request for a humans of Puget Sound event
Purchases end last year
- Equipment for attachments for different cameras
- Various accessory for about $700
Computer and monitor are separate
Why get both Canon and Nikon
  - Canon is for future proofing
  - Canon is better for video which they hope for in the future to be in use
  - To help familiarize students with both types of cameras
Difference between Canon lenses
  - 24-70 mount is 3rd party brand to canon
    - this version is cheaper and reviews suggest that this is more affective
    - used for things like Humans of Puget Sound
  - 70-200
    - more used for Sports type events
Dark room
  - Hope to find a place on campus
Budget
  - Currently planned to go to staff pay (hourly pay)
Fixed rate positions
  - PSO liaison
  - POPS liaison
  - Social media curator
$2400 is earmarked towards stipends
$4000 is earmarked for other services and fees
Gabe in position for this semester
  - All this equipment is useful for any general manager
  - This request is to make equipment accessible to any students to cannot provide all this equipment on their own
  - This equipment is only for ASUPS photo staff to keep in good condition
Discussion on request:
Capital: roughly $199 thousand
This request is about 10-15% of the budget for the year
Orca cards can be allocated from the general ASUPS pot
Current budget allocation $7040
Plans to have 8 staff

Rewards:
$2926.40
Vote:
  - Yay: 5
  - Nay: 0
  - Abstain: 0

Nikon D500
Nikon-mount Tamron 70-200 f/2.8
Nikon D500 Battery
+Taxes
End: 10:00 PM