

New Mexico Institute of Mining & Technology Student Government Association

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Senate Bill

Short Title: _____

Agency, Agent, or Individual Proposing: QuASAR

Requested Date of Resolution: 24 day of September

Proposing Individuals' Information:

Name 1: Hannah J Murphy

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Student/Non-Student: Student

Signature: *Hannah Murphy*

To the Proposing Agency, Agent, or Individual:

Please attach a typewritten explanation of your needs and/or concerns in double-spaced 12-point format, placing a page number and title on the top of each page. Include all information necessary and pertinent to your argument. State exactly what action you would like the Senate to consider taking and by when you must have a decision. Please take in to consideration that the Senate meets approximately once every two weeks while classes are in session – a schedule is available from the SGA Secretary.

Please see the Manual for Drafting Bills to help fill this page out; it includes explanations and examples for each field. If you have any further questions, please contact the SA Vice President.

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Date Presented to the Vice President: 09/19/19

Initials of Receipt by Vice President: *[Signature]*

Session of the Senate: Fall

Spring/Summer

of the calendar year 2019

Amount Approved: _____

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Presidential Signature: _____

Date: _____

Application for Senate Bills

Requesting Club/Agency: QuASAR

Classification: SGA Club Associate Club Sports Club Other

If an SGA club, what were your required volunteer hours (last semester): 12

How many hours has your club fulfilled to date: 12+

Please detail events where volunteer credit was earned:

Fresh Check Day

Requested Amount of funding: \$4970

Event: Annual International oSTEM Conference

Location: Detroit, MI

Event Dates: November 14-17, 2019

Have you received funding from another source for this event: Yes No

If yes, how much: _____

From whom: _____

Have you fundraised for this event? Yes No

If yes, please detail the fundraiser and how much money was earned. _____

If requesting funds for traveling please fill out below information:

Members Attending: Undergraduate: 8 Graduate: _____ Special: _____

Method of Travel: NMT Vehicle Personal Vehicle Plane Other

FOR ALL REQUESTING AGENCIES:

Please attach a ONE PAGE (12 pt. font) explanation for your funding request. This should include any additional information relevant to your request and an itemized budget with exact costs and explanations for all necessary items which may or may not include: Supplies and Materials, Services, Equipment, Travel, Registration, Etc.



Travel Funding Request

Budget Item	Total
Transportation	\$3,000
Lodging/Meals	\$1,170
Registration/Misc.	\$800

Grand Total: \$4,970

Transportation (Vans, Gas, Flights, Rentals, Taxis)			
Items: Highest to Lowest Priority	Quantity	Price Each	Total
Round-trip airfare	\$375	8	\$3,000
Total:			\$3,000

Lodging/Meals			
Items: Highest to Lowest Priority	Quantity	Price Each	Total
Single-night four-person hotel room	6	\$195	\$1,170
Total:			\$1,170

Registration/Miscellaneous			
Items: Highest to Lowest Priority	Quantity	Price Each	Total
Undergraduate conference registration	8	\$100	\$800
Total:			\$800

September 19th, 2019

On behalf of the executive officers and members of QuASAR, the Queer Association of Socorro Area Residents, a local chapter of oSTEM:

QuASAR is an active group on campus that supports the New Mexico Tech community by hosting public events, cosponsoring events with other organizations, and volunteering in support of events on campus. This semester, many of our members volunteered in support of Fresh Check Day, and we are coordinating with the Title IX office to support Trans 101 and other events. Previously, we have coordinated Trans 101, hosted education and outreach events (such as panels and trivia competitions), and advocated for new policies for the benefits of students.

We are requesting funds from the SGA for eight students to attend the annual International oSTEM Conference. Currently, 82 students are registered with QuASAR's mailing list. Many of these students actively participate in meetings and events. By sending these eight students to the conference, QuASAR benefits all its 82 members as well as the larger campus community through leadership training, networking opportunities, and the shared experiences of other collegiate communities around the world.

The oSTEM Conference will be taking place in Detroit, MI from November 14th - 17th. It is imperative for our club to attend this conference every year not only to maintain ties to our parent organization but to enrich our student community with the academic and career opportunities afforded by this conference. It is the mission of oSTEM to provide resources and opportunities for students in the LGBT+ community who wish to see themselves represented in academia and in the workplace.

This year, we plan to pay for 8 undergraduate students to attend the conference. Four students will share each hotel room, and food will be provided at the conference. Here is the basic breakdown of the expected costs:

Registration fees for 8 undergraduate students:	\$800
Airline travel round-trip for 8 passengers:	\$3,000

Hotel rooms at \$195 per room, per night; 2 rooms for 3 nights:	\$1,170
Total funds requested:	\$4,970

We are also requesting funds from oSTEM (estimated \$400) and intend to request funding from the Vice President of Student Affairs, but we cannot guarantee any amount of funding from these sources. Any amount that can be funded by the SGA would be appreciated.

Thank you for your time,

QuASAR NMT

A Local Chapter of oSTEM