

SAF Agenda  
1 April 2011  
SAF Open Forum and Appeals  
UW1-010

**SAF Secretary: Please take detailed notes**  
**SAF Committee: Please take your own notes as well**

<b>9:00am – 9:10am</b>	Agenda overview
<b>9:10am – 9:20am</b>	Teacher Certification Program Professional Development Days and Mentoring Conference
<b>9:20am – 9:30am</b>	SAF Break
<b>9:30am – 9:40am</b>	Upsilon Pi Epsilon
<b>9:40am – 9:45am</b>	SAF Break
<b>9:45am – 9:55am</b>	STEM Speaker Series
<b>9:55am – 10:05am</b>	SAF Break
<b>10:05am – 12:00pm</b>	Determine final budget to submit to the Chancellor
<b>12:00pm</b>	Adjourn

SAF Minutes – April 1 2011

Members present:

Maryam Soomro  
Jodi St. George  
Sumeet Dhanju  
Sindi Diko  
Aika Perez  
Zhongtian Ye  
Shahin Mortazavi

Lane Mckittrick  
George Theo

Minutes taken by Maryam Soomro

### **9:10 Teacher Certification**

Hailey Hillson (program manager), and John (Certification officer)

T-Cert presents that the request that is not funded is a mentoring conference for post back students and master's students. Activities include have a broad reach in the community and it brings the community of learners together. They appeal, that the stipulations don't say hat there will be no funding for next year. Master's students won't come to most events like the student life events. Attendance at the mentoring events will always be guaranteed since it is a required event. This program doesn't get funded through the state. The department funds a majority of the costs.

### **9:29 Upsilon Pi Epsilon Appeal**

Mike Stiber (CSS Director)

SAF explains reasons for Upsilon Pi Epsilon not receiving funding. This society is targeted for a limited number of students and SAF cannot allocate money for an event not open to all students. If the event were advertised to the entire campus and open to the entire campus, the event would me more appropriate.

### **STEM Speaker Series**

Mike Stiber (CSS Director)

Explained Speaker Series open to whole campus. SAF suggests students become involved in the funding requests and appeals process. Speaker series or events should be open to all students and members are required to attend a certain

number. It is important SAF be shown evidence of student attendance and that the events speaker series is open to all students. Students must become actively involved in the series, working with the department or other students to ensure their needs are being met.

### **SAF Discussion**

#### T-Certification

Change the wording so they are able to put in a request next year and let the next year's committee decide whether the proposal is too departmental to fund.

#### Upsilon Pi Epsilon

Leave the request the way it is

#### STEM

We suggest that for the following year students are more involved with the SAF process and so the committee sees student involvement instead of department involvement.