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Grants Program Report
November 1st, 2012

The Grants Review committee has finalized the Fall 2012 funding period of the GSO Grants Program. The GSO received 34 grant applications – 6 Research and 28 Travel. Out of these, 31 applications were funded. The average award was $100, and the range of awards was from $75 to $125. A total $3,100 was awarded for the entire funding period. This is a remarkable difference in comparison to previous semesters, where the Fall semester budget had been about $10,000. This dramatic difference is reflective of the difficult times we are facing.

Other business

I, the Grants Chair, have volunteered to open the office on Fridays, from 12 noon to 4pm. Response from this has been very positive, and many students are using the office on Fridays.

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