

September 20, 1990

33 Council of Colleges & Schools Bill #3

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

STUDENT UNION

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A BILL

BILL HISTORY

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BILL SUMMARY

To allocate \$480 from CCS Account to cover the expenses of two round-trip airline tickets to attend the West Regional Meetings of the National Association of Graduate and Professional Students in Los Angeles on October 26-28, 1990. UGGS is also seeking funding for other costs, such as hotel accommodations and ground transportation through the Graduate School Dean's Small Grant Program.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of Colleges & Schools of the University of Colorado Student Union, THAT:

SECTION 1: An amount not to exceed \$480.00 + GAR from Central Reserve be allocated to the GSAC for member travel to the West Regional Meetings of NAGPS in Los Angeles on October 26-28, 1990.

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SECTION 2: A written report will be submitted pursuant to 24ECB4.

SECTION 3: This bill takes effect upon passage.

BUDGET

Expenses:	Airfare (RT. Denver-LAX) Special 7-day Advance Fee for 2 attendees @ \$240.00	\$480.00
	Hotel Accommodations, ground transportation, registration fees for 2 attendees @ \$246.50	493.00
Projected Funding Sources:	Graduate School Dean's Small Grant	493.00
Deficit:		<u>480.00</u>

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University of Colorado Student Union
Council of Colleges and Schools
Report for 33CCSB3

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BILL REVIEW

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BILL REPORT

UGGS sought funding for other costs, such as hotel accommodations and ground transportation through the Graduate School Dean's Small Grant Program. Failing to obtain funding from those sources, UGGS voted to allocate \$650 to supplement the CCS allocation.

Terry Hutchison (Education) and Steve Posgate (History) attended the conference. They made many new contacts with graduate governments in the Western Region. Terry had attended previous NAGPS meetings, while Steve was new to the organization. NAGPS, since our registration at this conference, has been forwarding many informative packets and phone calls to us on health benefits for graduate assistants, health insurance, activities, taxation of tuition waivers and graduate student government structure. In addition, we are now on their computer email network. This meeting was a great investment in our future communication with graduate students across the nation. It helps to know that someone else out there is fighting battles like yours--not only have we received such reassurance, but we have received many morale-boosting messages. Thanks for supporting us in this venture!

