

GSSA Emergency Assembly Meeting  
[2021-10-21] -- Zoom

- I. Call to Order **6:01 pm**
- II. Urgent Business: Ida Emergency Fund

### **State of the Ida Emergency Fund**

- Total disbursement: ~\$1.3M
  - Funds came from both internal emergency fund and external donors
  - >50% of disbursement to grad/prof students
- On pause due to depleted funding
- Current need for SLA & SSE students (requests prior to pause but after funding gap): \$20,497
- Possible need after pending funding: up to \$10,000
  
- GSSA reserve fund: ~\$245,000



**Motion proposed for full \$21,000 – 2nded – **passes****

**Can people who have requested from the Ida Fund before request again?**

- not with this allocation, but...

**Should GSSA send more than the amount for the students who applied after the “pause” date? To also include those that have requested before. whatever is not used comes back to the reserve fund.**

- Discussion: Should we look at increasing the amount to \$20,000? Sentiments are agreed.
- Motion. 2nded. An additional \$20,000 allocated from GSSA reserve fund to Ida Fund. **Passes**
- All GSSA students can apply.

III. Old Business

Computer Science event request:

Event date	Event name	Department	Amount requested
10/27	Computer Science Graduate Student Colloquium	Computer Science	80
11/3	Computer Science Graduate Student Colloquium	Computer Science	80

Help fund a speaker series?

Motion 2nded

10/27 **passes**

11/3 **passes**

IV. Adjournment **6:13**