

AMS Funding Sources: Current Program Status
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The Summary report of the AMS Funding from 2016 - 2019

In order to apply for AMS funds, applicants must fill out the relevant forms. The application forms for the Student Initiative Fund, Clubs Benefit Fund, Competitive Athletics Fund, and Constituency Aid Fund can be found on Clubhouse

After submission, applications are reviewed at the bi-weekly Funds Committee meetings. If an application is approved, the applicant will be asked to provide final submission documents found on Clubhouse. NOTE: All receipts for items delineated in the budget must be included in the final submission.

Funds

STUDENTS INITIATIVES FUND

- For UBC students only. Used to fund philanthropic, academic or other causes deemed worthy by the AMS Finance Commission.
- Max amount: \$1,000/project, less than 75% the cost of the project.

CLUBS BENEFIT FUND

- All AMS Constituted Clubs are eligible if budget and executive list is approved. One-time project only, cannot be annual events.
- Used to fund events, special projects related to the club's academic interest, or furnishing expenses which benefit the club as a whole.
- Granted only once per fiscal year per club.
- Max Amount: \$2000/club or 75% of total cost.

COMPETITIVE ATHLETICS FUND

- An AMS Club competing in races/competitions, or hosting tournaments at UBC, used to purchase necessary equipment or rental of sports facilities. Applicants of this fund may not be eligible for funding from UBC Athletics.
- Max Amount: \$3,600 /club, Grants from the Fund shall cover no more than three-quarters of the cost of a project.
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CONSTITUENCY AID FUND

- Used to fund elections referenda expenses, communication expenses or furnishing expenses. Elections per referenda per communication expense shall total 20 cents per constituency member but no less than \$100 in total and no more than \$500
- Granted only once per fiscal year per constituency
- Max Amount: \$1,000 / Constituency, Grants from the Fund shall cover no more than three-quarters of the cost of a project.

SEXUAL ASSAULT INITIATIVE FUND (currently inactive)

- Used to fund projects directly related to sexual assault on campus, including educational and promotional campaigns
- Max amount: \$1,500 or 50 percent of the projects total costs.

Sustainability Project Fund

- For sustainable projects contributing to an environmentally conscious culture through student-led projects.
- The committee meets once a month to review projects

Impact Grants

- For UBC students interested in conducting scholarly research to build knowledge and understanding of post-secondary matters affecting UBC Vancouver's community.
- The ultimate goal of the program is to create a healthier, more supportive, more successful student community.

Past Statistics

Fund Statistics from 2016-Present:

Academic Year	2016/2017		2017/2018		2018/2019	
	# Applications	\$	# Applications	\$	# Applications	\$
Total Applications (Student Initiative Fund)	43	/	37	/	23	/
Total Approved (Student Initiative Fund)	21 (15 of 21 transferred)	\$6,034.73	16 (8 of 16 transferred)	\$2,511.17	17 (9 of 17 Transferred)	\$ 6,126.29
Rejection Rate	51%		57%		26%	
Total Applications (Competitive Athletics Fund)	7	/	7	/	3	/
Total Approved (Competitive Athletics Fund)	6	\$8,839	5	\$11,769	3 (2 of 3 transferred)	\$4,394
Rejection Rate	14%		29%		0%	
Total Applications (Clubs Benefit Fund)	58	/	69	/	24	/
Total Approved (Clubs Benefit Fund)	48 (33 of 48 Transferred)	\$25,051	47 (33 of 47 Transferred)	\$22,262.42	19 (10 of 19 Transferred)	\$ 14,897.10
Rejection Rate	17%		32%		8%	

Total Applications (Constituency Aid Fund)	1	/	0	/	1	/
Total Approved (Constituency Aid Fund)	1	\$240	0	\$0	1	\$750
Rejection Rate	0%		0%		0%	
Total Applications (Sexual Initiative Assault Fund)	12	/	6	/	1	/
Total Approved (Sexual Initiative Assault Fund)	11 (8 of 11 Transferred)	\$43,042 (one project received \$38,669.50)	4 (2 of 4 Transferred)	\$2,000	1	(Zero Transferred)
Rejection Rate	8%		33%		0%	