



Organization	Convocation Committee
2016-2018 Allocation	\$14.50
2018-2020 Request	\$16.50
Appropriations Recommendation	\$16.50

Rationale of the Committee

The Appropriations Committee (the Committee) recommends funding Convocation Committee at \$16.50 for the 2018-2020 By-Line Funding Cycle. The Committee felt that Convocation Committee provides an immense benefit to the whole campus community. The Convocation Committee's requested increase of \$2.00 per student was granted because the Committee is impressed by the consistently high-quality speakers that the Convocation Committee have managed to secure for in the past. Insofar as supporting this expense provides the Committee the flexibility to continue to secure excellent speakers, we are delighted to support this use of activity fee funding.

In light of this, we hope that Convocation Committee joins with the Assembly and considers updating or improving its general membership selection process to provide more consistent, stable, and streamlined support to suit the needs of such a large and important event. We look forward to working with Convocation Committee going forwards on these important issues, and we thank them for their time.

Vote Totals

The Committee votes down, from the highest number proposed to the lowest, to give the group the advantage. The vote totals from the Committee were as follows:

Amount	Vote
\$16.50	7-4-1

Respectfully submitted,

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