

# Budget Request: Stand Up for Equality

Budget	Stand Up for Equality
Request ID	BR0677212
Organization	Gamma Eta Sorority, Inc.
Budget Period	2017-2018 Round 3 (January 23 - March 9)
Date Submitted	2/20/18 3:24 pm
Submitted By	Rebeca S Gonzalez <a href="mailto:rsgonzal@uark.edu">rsgonzal@uark.edu</a>
Status	Approved
Total Requested	\$916.83
Total Approved	\$916.83

## Stand Up for Equality (Events)

No.	Line Item	Requested	Approved
1	Catering (Chartwells - Per Standing Rules) - The menu will consist on fresh fruit, chicken tenders with different sauces, mini-sub, and cookies.	\$718.83	\$718.83
2	Venue Fees (up to \$2,500) - Connection Lounge Reservation	\$98.00	\$98.00
3	Miscellaneous Purchases - Printed Publicity	\$50.00	\$50.00
4	Miscellaneous Purchases - Henna	\$50.00	\$50.00
	Totals:	\$916.83	\$916.83

## OFA RSO Event Funding Application

Full Name of RSO (please do not abbreviate) [Required]	Gamma Eta Sorority Inc.
RSO Treasurer's Name [Required]	Rebeca Gonzalez Coronado
RSO Treasurer's E-Mail [Required]	<a href="mailto:rsgonzal@uark.edu">rsgonzal@uark.edu</a>
RSO Treasurer's Phone Number [Required]	479-409-4823
RSO Advisor's Name [Required]	Xong Lor
Please list your UARK Faculty/Staff Advisor	
RSO Advisor's E-Mail [Required]	<a href="mailto:lor@uark.edu">lor@uark.edu</a>
RSO Advisor's Phone Number [Required]	479-841-1651
Number of Active Members in RSO (2017-2018) [Required]	9
Please state the mission of your organization [Required]	
Gamma Eta Sorority, Inc. is dedicated to creating a culturally aware atmosphere in which women from diverse ethnic backgrounds can develop a sense of pride, sisterhood, and support in order to ensure professional and academic success.	
Name of Event/Program [Required]	Stand Up for Equality
Date of Program [Required]	Apr 3, 2018

Anticipated Number of STUDENT Attendees [Required] 200

An estimated range of attendees is not accepted.

Anticipated Number of NON-STUDENT Attendees [Required] 10

Please note, funding cannot be used for more than 15 non-students. Tickets must be sold to non-university students.

Advisors, faculty, staff and guests count as non-students.

An estimated range of attendees is not accepted.

Event End Time [Required] 2:00 PM

Event Start Time [Required] 11:00 AM

Name of Co-Sponsoring Groups (if any; please do not abbreviate names) Co-Sponsors include other RSOs and University Departments. [Required]  
Please note that if your RSO does not list any department or group that is helping with the event, there cannot be other names listed on the advertisements for the event. Additionally, if you are co-sponsoring with another RSO, each RSO must submit a separate application and budget spreadsheet. Expenses should be divided between the two (or more) groups. Do not duplicate budgets. Additionally, co-sponsoring budgets need to be submitted to the Board on the same week.

N/A

Description and purpose of event/program and how it relates to your organization's mission, as well as how the event relates to the RSO Purpose of Funding Mission [Required]

The main purpose of "Stand Up For Equality Gamma Eta Day" is to bring multiple cultural registered student organizations together on campus to spread cultural awareness to the University of Arkansas campus community. This event will highlight directly two of our seven pillars which are unity and diversity. Gamma Eta Sorority, Inc. is a multicultural sorority, and its members are from many diverse backgrounds. This event would allow collaboration amongst different organizations and would create and celebrate cultural diversity awareness on campus. Funding through ASG would provide food the event and welcome individuals to the celebration. Also, funding will assist with supplies for the cultural activities which will allow attendees participation. The event gives an opportunity for interchange cultural values, the inclusion of every student on campus and to Stand Up for equality regardless of their ethnic background.

How will you advertise this event to attract students beyond your organization [Required]

Please note, RSO Listserv, Newswire, & Campus Calendar listings are MANDATORY for all funded events.

By handing out flyers, posting on RSO Listserv, Newswire, Campus calendar, ISS listserv, and posting on social media such as Instagram, Facebook and Twitter.

How will this event or program bring educational value to the students at the University of Arkansas? Please be very specific. [Required]

"Stand Up For Equality Gamma Eta Day" will provide unique educational value for all students because they will be exposed to interactive activities such as games, cultural activities, informational tables, presentations, etc. Our main objective is that students will learn more about the diverse student body at the University of Arkansas. The different cultures that will be present will include cultures on the North American Continent but also from other parts of the world. It is crucial and vital to keep consistently show the vibrant cultures on our campus. Hopefully, through exposure, more people will become more culturally aware and steer away from the cultural stereotypes or misinformation. When passing by the connection lounge during the event and simply taking the time to interact with the diverse activities and student body will be more culturally educated and curious. This event is the perfect opportunity for the diverse student body to have an open dialogue and offer opportunities for civic pride. Also, the event will improve our general psychological well-being by experience new experiences on campus. It is important to note that even though, a lot can be learned from books, media, and school; nothing compares to the authentic experience of talking to someone different from us.

Is the primary purpose of this event recruitment of new members for your RSO? [Required]  NO

If you are bringing a guest speaker, performer, artist, etc., please provide a short biography [Required] N/A

Please list e-mail address for your speaker, performer, artist, or other vendors [Required] N/A

Event Location, Room/Space Confirmation Number [Required] Union, Connection Lounge, 37116

RSO Agreement [Required]  I Agree

By checking I Agree below, I understand that I am not allowed to raise money at any event sponsored by funds received through this application process. This includes student admission fees, requests for donations, selling items at the event, etc. (The only exception is admission fees for non-students. This will be determined by the Office of Financial Affairs Board).

Application Checklist [Required]

Reviewed the Standing Rules for timelines, process, & allowable expenses (found at asg.uark.edu)

Completed the Pre-Event Event Consultation. (if requesting more than \$1,000)

#### Reviews

Adam G Jones (OFA Board Member) - Pending

Amber Rose Widdowson (Assistant Director for the Office of Student Activities ) - Pending  
Colin B Gonzalez (OFA Board Member) - Pending  
Danielle M Zapata (OFA Proxy Member) - Pending  
Flavia Dechandt Araujo (RSO Graduate Assistant ) - Pending  
Grace E Lillis (Director of Finance - SOOIE) - Pending  
Isamar Garcia-Hernandez (Deputy Treasurer ) - Pending  
Jalen C Hemphill (OFA Board Member) - Pending  
Jody Preece (Associated Student Government Office Manager) - Pending  
Kadarius S Toussaint (OFA Proxy Member) - Pending  
Katelyn E Hedgecock (OFA Proxy Member) - Pending  
Kyle M Ward (OFA Board Member) - Pending  
Madeline P Brown (OFA Proxy Member) - Pending  
Marco A Gargano (OFA Proxy Member) - Pending  
Peyton J Podschwit (OFA Board Member) - Pending  
Onuma Pleetissamuth (OFA Board Member) - Pending  
Semien M Hagos (OFA Board Member) - Pending  
Sofia N Hadley (OFA Board Member) - Pending  
William S Neely (OFA Board Member) - Approved (2/22/18 10:35 am)  
"200 attendees for an RSO with 9?"  
Macarena Arce (Associated Student Government Treasurer) - Pending

#### Comments

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Rebeca S Gonzalez (2/20/18 3:24 pm)

"The henna will be used to draw different designs on people's hands/arms only if they want to. Henna is originally from India, and having this item at the event will allow students to experience one more thing from this beautiful country and its culture. We will have a person with experience who will do these designs. Also, people will need to sign a waiver before doing the design. "

Macarena Arce (2/20/18 4:44 pm)

"Your budget is under review. We will let you know the results of your budget after our meeting next Thursday. Please look forward for another comment then."

Macarena Arce (2/22/18 7:40 pm)

"First Round Approved - ACTION REQUIRED

I am pleased to inform you that your budget has been first round approved by the ASG Office of Financial Affairs Board. To help the Board make its final decision next Thursday, please answer the following question(s) and/or concerns by next Wednesday:

1. What is happening at this event? We need more details on this event. Please provide an agenda or schedule with more information.
2. What are the \$98 for connections lounge for?
3. Why 10 table skirts and 9 tables?
4. Can you please forward me the attachments? I am having trouble opening them.

You can comment here or send me the responses to asgtres@uark.edu

Thank you and please let me know if you have any questions!"

Rebeca S Gonzalez (2/27/18 1:46 pm)

"Thank you. I will be emailing you the specific details of the event by tomorrow at noon."

Macarena Arce (2/28/18 1:40 pm)

"Thank you for your response via email. We will let you know the results of your budget after our meeting next Thursday. Please look forward for another comment then."

Macarena Arce (3/1/18 9:11 pm)

"FUNDING DECISION

I am pleased to inform you that your budget has been second round approved. Please e-mail Ms. Jody at jodyp@uark.edu or see her at ARKU A665C within three (3) business days to schedule an appointment and pick up your funding packet. Funding is approved based on the budget submitted to the committee and the associated dialogue between the Registered Student Organization and the ASG Financial Affairs Board. Once your event and/or conference has been approved for funding, please note that no further changes can be made to the event and/or conference. Please note that communication between your RSO and the Office of Student Activities should be led by students. This includes but is not limited to newswire stories, creating and submitting advertisement/promotional materials, and answering any questions the staff may have. If the amount approved is greater than the amount requested it is because the board added taxes to it.

Please let us know if you have any questions!"

#### Documents

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[Catering.PNG](#) - Rebeca S Gonzalez (2/20/18 2:56 pm)

[Henna.PNG](#) - Rebeca S Gonzalez (2/20/18 2:56 pm)

[Confirmation.pdf](#) - Rebeca S Gonzalez (2/20/18 3:13 pm)