

Funding Application: Undergraduate Senate [AGU-000079]

**Student Organization**  
Viennese Ball Committee

**Program Title**  
Viennese Ball Committee Annual Grant Undergrad 18-19

**Start Date**

**End Date**

**Academic Year**  
2018-2019 Academic Year

**Grant Type**  
Annual

**Funding Line(s)**

Line #	Account	Line Description	Funding Manager Notes	Event Name	Event Date	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount	Approved Amount
1	01-5656-30-2910 (Annual Grants - Event Services - VSO)	Renting hotel venue for the Ball. Agreement to use the space in the past has included rooms, catering, water, clean up, etc. In 16-17, we received \$18,742, but was reduced in 17-18 to \$12,990 because we received additional funding from GSC.				\$12,000.00	\$12,000.00	\$12,000.00

	Requested	Recommended
Totals	\$12,000.00	\$12,000.00
Final Allocation		\$12,000.00

**Questions**

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What is the average attendance at your events?	750-900 people at Viennese Ball. The lead-up events to Viennese Ball include Bon Bon Ball (300+ attendance) two weeks before and Austrian Fortnight dance lessons every day the two weeks leading

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	up to Viennese Ball (~20-50 students/lesson).
Why are you requesting Annual Grants?	To help pay for Viennese Ball; putting on the ball requires a large number of up-front costs. On average, the event costs about \$65,000. A substantial portion of our funding will be used to subsidize student tickets to ensure that the event is accessible to all.
What are the three largest line item requests in your budget and why?	- The hotel costs around \$30,000 for the space, catering, sound system. Necessary for a ball of this size and quality to take place. - Ordering a dance floor for each room is also a given since it is a dance event. We need a swing band in the swing room and a waltz band or orchestra in the waltz room to have a ball of this quality. There are smaller dances during the year that have only one band, but Viennese Ball is known for having different rooms with musicians specialized in either type of music to make the dancing more fun. - Transportation (buses) We provide free transportation for every student to and from the event.
What events/programs does your group hold throughout the year for the Stanford community?	Viennese Ball, an annual event in a nice hotel where students, alumni, and members of the surrounding community can come together and dance in a nice venue to live musicians. The lead-up events to Viennese Ball include Bon Bon Ball in Roble Gym two weeks before and free Austrian Fortnight dance lessons every day the two weeks leading up to Viennese Ball.
Have you applied for Annual Grants in the past 3 years? If so, please detail the outcome of each attempt.	Yes: We have been approved consistently the past four years.
Please provide four contacts for your group (two must be graduates if also applying for Graduate Annual grants). These individuals should be prepared to be called by the Undergraduate Senate or the GSC during the evaluation of the group. Please list their name, title in organization, school/degree program, e-mail, and phone.	President, Sunny Wu, sunnywu@stanford.edu; Vice President, Ellen Ouyang, eouyang@stanford.edu; Financial Officer, Jerry Chen, jchen98@stanford.edu
How do you plan to publicize your events/programs to the greater Stanford community? Have you registered with Events at Stanford?	Posters, emails, facebook, social dance classes. Yes, we have already registered with Events at Stanford.
If you are an umbrella group, please list the groups for which you are applying for Annual grants, their ASSU account numbers, and contact information for their financial officers.	N/A
Please define the services provided by your group with the Special Fee, as per the ASSU Constitution:	Putting on Viennese Ball: by paying for facilities, musicians, photographers, dance floor, posters, and more.
Are you also applying for Graduate Annual Grants?	Yes.
If you applied for Annual Grants last year, is there an increase in the amount you're seeking this year? If so, why?	Yes. Our special fees were reduced from \$18,742 in 2016 to \$12,990 in 2017 because we applied for additional graduate funding in 2016. We have since then decided to rely solely on undergraduate funding, since over 80% of our attendees are undergraduates. We would very much appreciate it if our special fees could be readjusted to the usual amount.

## History

Date	Assignment Group	Assignee	Action	Comments
23-AUG-2018 10:32 AM	In Progress	mikelee9	FO Submitted	
23-AUG-2018 10:37	Funding Admin		Withdrawn	

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23-AUG-2018 10:37 AM	In Progress	mikelee9	FO Submitted	
23-AUG-2018 10:38 AM	Funding Admin		Assigned	
23-AUG-2018 12:28 PM	Funding Committee	lfatuesi	Approved	
23-AUG-2018 05:20 PM	Legislative Body	lfatuesi	Approved	
23-AUG-2018 05:20 PM	Accountant		Assigned	
24-AUG-2018 01:07 PM	Accountant	sbenton	Approved	
24-AUG-2018 01:07 PM	Posted	assusystem	Approved	