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**Final Item: 5**

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**Final Item: 6**

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**Agenda Title: Amended Financial Supports for Approval**

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*Prepared by:* Fiona Halbert, Assistant Registrar Student Financial Support, fiona.halbert@ualberta.
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TERMS FOR UASC APPROVAL:

Awarded to a student of African descent who is a first-generation Canadian Citizen, second-generation Canadian Citizen, or Permanent Resident with a GPA of 3.0 or greater enrolled in the second or subsequent year of an undergraduate degree at Campus Saint-Jean. Selection based on academic standing and confirmation of African descent.

INFORMATION FOR CONSIDERATION:

NAME: African-Canadian Excellence Award

FIELD OF STUDY: Open

ANTICIPATED SPENDING: One at $1,000

NUMBER/VALUE: One at $1,000

FUNDED BY: Annually funded by faculty and staff of Campus Saint-Jean

APPLICATION TYPE: By nomination from Campus Saint-Jean

TIMELINE: To be awarded in the 2018-2019 academic year

FACULTY SIGN-OFF: April 20, 2018

ADDITIONAL CONTEXT: Award is supported by faculty and staff of African descent who want to support a student coming from a similar background; confirmed with donor lead that this group will not have any part in the award selection; confirmation of African descent will be via permanent residency documents of student (Permanent Resident) or student's parent (first-generation Canadian Citizen).
NEW ANNUALLY FUNDED FINANCIAL SUPPORTS: JUNE 19, 2018

TERMS FOR UASC APPROVAL:

Awarded to a student with satisfactory academic standing in the Juris Doctor degree at the University of Alberta who participates in the Faculty of Law's Competitive Moot Program. Selection based on demonstrated achievement as the top oralist at the Bennett Jones LLP Health Law Moot.

INFORMATION FOR CONSIDERATION:

NAME: Bennett Jones LLP Award in Law
FIELD OF STUDY: Law
ANTICIPATED SPENDING: One at $1,000
NUMBER/VALUE: One at $1,000
FUNDED BY: Annually funded by Bennett Jones LLP
APPLICATION TYPE: By nomination from the Faculty of Law
TIMELINE: To be awarded in the 2018-2019 academic year
FACULTY SIGN-OFF: March 13, 2018
ADDITIONAL CONTEXT: N/A
NEW ANNUALLY FUNDED FINANCIAL SUPPORTS: JUNE 19, 2018

TERMS FOR UASC APPROVAL:

Awarded to a student with satisfactory academic standing enrolled in the third or fourth year of a Bachelor of Education Secondary Route with a major in Secondary Languages or a minor in English as a Second Language. Selection based on academic standing and demonstrated community involvement. Preference given to a student enrolled in Bachelor of Education Secondary Route with a minor in English as a Second Language.

INFORMATION FOR CONSIDERATION:

NAME: M Choy
FIELD OF STUDY: Education
ANTICIPATED SPENDING: One at $1,000
NUMBER/VALUE: One at $1,000
FUNDED BY: Annually funded by an anonymous donor
APPLICATION TYPE: By nomination from the Faculty of Education
TIMELINE: To be awarded in the 2018-2019 academic year
FACULTY SIGN-OFF: April 20, 2018
ADDITIONAL CONTEXT: N/A
NEW ANNUALLY FUNDED FINANCIAL SUPPORTS: JUNE 19, 2018

TERMS FOR UASC APPROVAL:

Awarded to a student with satisfactory academic standing enrolled in the second or any subsequent year of an undergraduate degree in Music in the Faculty of Arts who is a member of one or more of the choral or instrumental ensembles in the Department of Music. Selection based on academic standing and demonstrated excellence in violin, viola or vocal performance.

INFORMATION FOR CONSIDERATION:

NAME: Edmonton Rotary Club Foundation Don Milne Award
FIELD OF STUDY: Music
ANTICIPATED SPENDING: One at $1,000
NUMBER/VALUE: One at $1,000
FUNDED BY: Annually funded by the Edmonton Rotary Club Foundation to honour long time Rotarian Don Milne via endowment at the Edmonton Community Foundation
APPLICATION TYPE: By nomination from the Department of Music
TIMELINE: To be awarded in the 2018-2019 academic year
FACULTY SIGN-OFF: February 23, 2018
ADDITIONAL CONTEXT: N/A
NEW ANNUALLY FUNDED FINANCIAL SUPPORTS: JUNE 19, 2018

TERMS FOR UASC APPROVAL:

Awarded to students with satisfactory academic standing enrolled in the second year of a Computing Science specialization in the Faculty of Science. Selection based on academic standing and demonstrated leadership in extracurricular and community activities.

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Awarded to students who identify as female with satisfactory academic standing enrolled in the second year of a Computing Science specialization in the Faculty of Science. Selection based on academic standing and demonstrated leadership in extracurricular and community activities.

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Awarded to a student with satisfactory academic standing enrolled in a second or third year of a Juris Doctor degree. Selection based on demonstrated excellence in Labour Law and/or Employment Law and academic standing.

INFORMATION FOR CONSIDERATION:

NAME: Gerry Lucas Memorial Award in Law
FIELD OF STUDY: Law
ANTICIPATED SPENDING: One at $2,500
NUMBER/VALUE: One at $2,500
FUNDED BY: Annually funded by McLean McCuaig Foundation, in memory of Gerry Lucas (LLB 1962) who passed away in 2015
APPLICATION TYPE: By nomination from the Faculty of Law
TIMELINE: To be awarded in the 2018-2019 academic year
FACULTY SIGN-OFF: March 13, 2018
ADDITIONAL CONTEXT: N/A
NEW ANNUALLY FUNDED FINANCIAL SUPPORTS: JUNE 19, 2018

AWARD TERMS FOR UASC APPROVAL:

Awarded to a student with satisfactory academic standing in any year of an undergraduate or graduate degree at the University of Alberta who is member of the Golden Bears Volleyball Team. Selection based on academic standing and demonstrated athletic excellence.

SCHOLARSHIP TERMS FOR UASC APPROVAL:

Awarded to a student with superior academic achievement in any year of an undergraduate or graduate degree at the University of Alberta who is member of the Golden Bears Volleyball Team. Selection based on academic standing and demonstrated athletic excellence.

INFORMATION FOR CONSIDERATION:

NAME: Kennedy Real Estate Golden Bears Volleyball Award / Scholarship

FIELD OF STUDY: Open

ANTICIPATED SPENDING: One at $1,000

NUMBER/VALUE: One at $1,000

FUNDED BY: Annually funded by Kennedy Real Estate

APPLICATION TYPE: By nomination from Athletics

TIMELINE: To be awarded in the 2018-2019 academic year

FACULTY SIGN-OFF: March 13, 2018

ADDITIONAL CONTEXT: N/A
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TERMS FOR UASC APPROVAL:

Awarded to a student with satisfactory academic standing enrolled in any year of an undergraduate degree at the University of Alberta. Selection based on demonstrated financial need.

INFORMATION FOR CONSIDERATION:

NAME: Lorraine Osadchuk Bursary
FIELD OF STUDY: Open
ANTICIPATED SPENDING: One at $1,700
NUMBER/VALUE: One at $1,700
FUNDED BY: Annually funded by the Lorraine Osadchuk Award Fund at the Edmonton Community Foundation
APPLICATION TYPE: By application to the Supplementary Bursary program
TIMELINE: To be awarded in the 2018-2019 academic year
FACULTY SIGN-OFF: SFS Administered
ADDITIONAL CONTEXT: N/A
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TERMS FOR UASC APPROVAL:

Awarded to students with satisfactory academic standing enrolled in any year of an undergraduate degree in the Faculty of Science. Selection based on demonstrated financial need. Preference given to students enrolled in the third or fourth year.

INFORMATION FOR CONSIDERATION:

NAME: Process Solutions Canada Ltd Bursary in Science
FIELD OF STUDY: Science
ANTICIPATED SPENDING: Four at $2,500
NUMBER/VALUE: Four at $2,500
FUNDED BY: Annually funded by Process Solutions Canada Ltd
APPLICATION TYPE: By application to the Supplementary Bursary program
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TERMS FOR UASC APPROVAL:

Awarded to students with satisfactory academic standing participating in the Alberta School of Business Program for Research and Investment Management Excellence (PRIME). Selection based on academic standing. Preference given to students who identify as female and to students in the first year of the PRIME program.

INFORMATION FOR CONSIDERATION:

NAME: Mawer PRIME Investment Management Scholarship
FIELD OF STUDY: Business
ANTICIPATED SPENDING: Two at $5,000
NUMBER/VALUE: Two at $5,000
FUNDED BY: Annually funded by Mawer Investment Management Ltd
APPLICATION TYPE: By nomination from the Alberta School of Business
TIMELINE: To be awarded in the 2018-2019 academic year
FACULTY SIGN-OFF: SFS Administered
ADDITIONAL CONTEXT: N/A
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GFC UNDERGRADUATE AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE
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INFORMATION FOR CONSIDERATION:

NAME: Rashmi Bale Bursary
FIELD OF STUDY: Open
ANTICIPATED SPENDING: Variable max spending allocation $3,600
NUMBER/VALUE: Variable/Variable
FUNDED BY: Endowed by Ravi and Rajni Bale in memory of Rashmi Bale, Bachelor of Management in Business Economics, 2015
APPLICATION TYPE: By application to the Supplementary Bursary program
TIMELINE: To be awarded in the 2018-2019 academic year
FACULTY SIGN-OFF: N/A
ADDITIONAL CONTEXT: N/A
NEW ENDOWED FINANCIAL SUPPORTS: JUNE 19, 2018

TERMS FOR UASC APPROVAL:

Awarded to resident physicians with satisfactory academic standing in the final year of psychiatry training in the Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry. Selection based on academic standing and expressed interest in body-centered psychotherapy, such as Eye Movement Desensitization and Reprocessing Therapy (EMDR). Preference given to resident physicians with an interest in working with patients with a history of trauma or displacement.

INFORMATION FOR CONSIDERATION:

NAME: Helen Solowoniuk Memorial Award in Psychiatry

FIELD OF STUDY: Psychiatry

ANTICIPATED SPENDING: One at $1,200

NUMBER/VALUE: Variable/Variable

FUNDED BY: Endowed by Mr Bruce and Dr Gillian Acton

APPLICATION TYPE: By nomination from the Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry

TIMELINE: To be awarded in the 2018-2019 academic year

FACULTY SIGN-OFF: May 23, 2018

ADDITIONAL CONTEXT: Late submission that was not reviewed at the agenda planning meeting.
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To begin, we will attract outstanding students...

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   i. **Strategy:** Develop and implement an undergraduate and graduate recruitment strategy to attract top students from across the diverse communities in Alberta and Canada, leveraging our strengths as a comprehensive research-intensive, multi-campus university with options for francophone and rural liberal arts education.
   ii. **Strategy:** Develop and implement an undergraduate and graduate recruitment and retention strategy to attract top Indigenous students.
   iii. **Strategy:** Optimize our international recruiting strategies to attract well-qualified international students from regions of strategic importance, and enhance services and programs to ensure their academic success and integration into the activities of the university.
   iv. **Strategy:** Ensure that qualified undergraduate and graduate students can attend the university through the provision of robust student financial support.

**Compliance with Legislation, Policy and/or Procedure Relevant to the Proposal (please quote legislation and include identifying section numbers)**

1. **Post-Secondary Learning Act (PSLA):** The PSLA (Section 26(1)(m)) indicates that General Faculties Council (GFC) has the authority to “make rules and regulations respecting academic awards.”

2. **GFC Undergraduate Awards and Scholarship Committee (UASC) Terms of Reference (3. Mandate):** “GFC UASC has delegated authority from GFC to:
   1. approve new undergraduate awards;
   2. approve changes to any undergraduate student award already approved by GFC UASC[. . .]”

**Attachments:**
1. Attachment 1: Proposed Amended Financial Support for Approval: June 19, 2018

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TERMS FOR UASC APPROVAL:

Awarded to students with satisfactory academic standing enrolled in the second or third or fourth year of an undergraduate degree in the Department of English and Film Studies in the Faculty of Arts. Selection based on demonstrated promise and potential in creative writing and academic standing. The award may be held only once by a student.

INFORMATION FOR CONSIDERATION:

NAME: S Bychinsky Award for Creative Writing
FIELD OF STUDY: English
ANTICIPATED SPENDING: Variable at max allocation $5,000
NUMBER/VALUE: Variable/Variable
FUNDED BY: Endowed by the Wilfred A Bychinsky Trust
APPLICATION TYPE: By application to the Department of English and Film Studies
TIMELINE: To be awarded in the 2018-2019 academic year
FACULTY SIGN-OFF: March 1, 2018
ADDITIONAL CONTEXT: The Department requested an amendment because Write courses have a prerequisite of 6 credits of 100 level English courses, so students are third or fourth year when participating in the Write courses.