

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT THE FALL 2018 REFERENDUM

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WHAT IS STUDENT ACTIVITIES?

Student Activities is a department within the university that oversees all extra-curricular groups and programs. It is split between Student Government, Club Council, and Student Media.

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WHAT IS THE STUDENT ACTIVITY FEE?

The Student Activity Fee is paid every semester by all undergraduate students. The money collected from this fee is divided between the three Student Activity organizations. It currently rests at \$88.50/semester.

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WHAT IS THE MONEY USED FOR?

The money collected from the Student Activity Fee is used to fund clubs on campus, fund programming efforts, and provide resources for media organizations. Previous events funded with this fee include: Wonk of the Year, Gabrielle Union, The Breaking Ground Monologues, Charli XCX, Metro Booming, the Caribbean Circle Pageant, Drag Bingo, and Eaglethon.

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HOW MUCH IS THE FEE BEING RAISED?

The current referendum proposal is to raise the fee from \$88.50 per semester to a flat \$100 per semester. This is an \$11.50 increase each semester, i.e. the cost of a Cava bowl, in order to increase total funding by roughly \$150,000.

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HOW WILL I BENEFIT FROM VOTING YES FOR THE REFERENDUM?

By supporting the increase in the Student Activity Fee, students will benefit all over campus. Additional funding will allow Student Government to program more extensively, bring more speakers, and increase entertainment venues. Club Council will be able to distribute more funds to clubs across campus and provide more resources for clubs to access. Student Media will be able buy new equipment and provide funds for resources needed by the various media organizations.

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