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UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-EAU CLAIRE

STUDENT SENATE

CLASSIFICATION STUDENT TECHNOLOGY FEE ALLOCATION FOR VIDEO
EDITING LAB UPGRADES

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INTRODUCED BY MATTHEW SIAS, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY COMMISSION

DIRECTOR AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY COMMISSION

1 WHEREAS, the General Access Video Editing Lab in Old Library 1108B
2 currently has two iMac computers and four Dell computers designed for video
3 editing; and

4 WHEREAS, the two iMac computers are scheduled to be rotated this
5 summer; and

6 WHEREAS, the four Dell computers do not meet the students' needs for
7 editing videos, especially with the increasing demand for high definition video;
8 and

9 WHEREAS, computers designed for video editing require much more
10 computing power and resources than standard workstation computers; and

11 WHEREAS, non-digital technology is being phased out of classrooms,
12 leaving only digital media players; and

13 WHEREAS, this will eliminate the option to use VHS tapes and projected
14 slides; and

15 WHEREAS, even with current non-digital options currently in classrooms,
16 the demand for digital video editing has increased steadily; and

17 WHEREAS, the existing computers no longer meet the time or resource
18 demands of students; and

19 WHEREAS, different computer models were recommended by Learning and
20 Technology Services to replace all the existing computers in OL1108B; and

21 WHEREAS, the Information Technology Commission voted 5-0-0 in favor of
22 recommending a choice between two computer models to Student Senate;

23 BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that Student Senate authorizes the
24 allocation of \$14,225.94 to Learning and Technology Services for six 27" iMac
25 computers with a Core I7 Quad 3.4GHz Processor, 8GB of RAM, and 1GB Radeon
26 Video Card running both Mac OSX and Windows 7 and an additional 8GB of RAM;
27 and

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this allocation shall come from the
29 Student Technology Fee Contingency Fund; and

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that savings realized from any surplus sale of
31 existing equipment shall be returned to the Student Technology Fee Contingency
32 Fund; and

33 BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that upon passage, President Jambrek transmit
34 a copy of this bill to Dr. Brian Levin-Stankevich, Chancellor; Dr. Patricia Kleine,

35 **Provost/Vice Chancellor; Dr. Beth Hellwig, Vice Chancellor, Student Affairs; Dr.**
36 **Brian Carlisle, Dean of Students; Dave Gessner, Assistant Chancellor, Budget &**
37 **Finance; Dr. Susan Harrison, Chair, University Senate; Craig Mey, Director,**
38 **Learning & Technology Services; Carol Accola, Associate Director, Learning &**
39 **Technology Services; John Pollitz, Director, McIntyre Library; and Craig Ernst, IS**
40 **Services, Learning & Technology Services.**