

**Florida A&M University  
Student Government Association  
48<sup>th</sup> Student Senate  
SAB20SP-002**

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**Sponsor:** Senator Theresa Jean Louis

**First Reading:** January 23, 2019

**Second Reading:** January 28, 2019

**Title:** FAMU IEEE to 2020 BEYA Conference  
**Legislation:** Senate Appropriation Bill

**Whereas,** The Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University Student Senate is the Legislative Branch of the Student Government Association and is empowered to pass legislation as it deems necessary to carry out the functions of the Student Government Association, and

**Whereas,** The Institute of Electronic and Electrical Engineers (IEEE) is the world's largest technical professional organization for the advancement of technology. The FAMU Chapter is a student-led organization that supports and promotes the aspirations of collegiate and pre-collegiate students and technical professional in engineering and technology. The 34<sup>th</sup> annual BEYA STEM Global Competitiveness Conference, or the Black Engineer of Year Award, is an annual conference that celebrates engineers and their accomplishments. This conference gives students a chance to network with professionals and attend a huge career fair, with the chance to be hired full time or for an internship on the spot.

**Whereas,** Sponsorship provided through various conference partners did not allot funds to cover travel expenses for FAMU IEEE scholars to attend the 34<sup>th</sup> annual BEYA STEM Global Competitiveness Conference from February 13-15, 2020 in Washington, D.C.,

**Whereas,** The mission of the Institute of Electronic and Electrical Engineers is to foster technological innovation and excellence for the benefit of humanity. It's vision as an organization is to be essential to the global technical community and to technical professionals everywhere, and to be universally recognized for the contributions of technology and of technical professionals in improving global conditions.

**Therefore,** **Be it Appropriated,** ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) to fund the travel expenses for the FAMU Student Chapter of IEEE to attend the 34<sup>th</sup> annual BEYA STEM Global Competitiveness Conference from February 13-15, 2020 in Washington, D.C.

*Proviso Language: This piece of legislation will take effect upon signage by the Student Body President.*

**Special Allocation Bill Budget**

<b>A&amp;S Travel Request</b>				
<b>Travel 1</b>				
Description and Purpose for Travel:				
	<b># of People, Rooms, or Tickets</b>	<b>Days/Nights</b>	<b>Unit Cost</b>	<b>Total Item Cost</b>
<b>Transportation</b>	35		\$201.85	<b>\$10,000.000</b>
<b>Travel Total</b>				<b>\$10,000.000</b>
<b>Total Allocation</b>				<b>\$10,000.000</b>

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**For:        23        Opposed:        0        Abstain: 0**

**Pass:        x        Fail:**

Student Senate President *Christopher V. Miller*

Date: 1/30/2020

Student Body President *Rocharad Moricette*

Date: 1/30/2020