

The Associated Students  
Of  
New Mexico State University

**BILL #138**

The attached legislation has been properly approved by the members of the Sixty First Senate of the Associated Students of New Mexico State University in accordance with ASNMSU Law.

Bethany Mendoza 2/23/2018  
Bethany Mendoza, ASNMSU Chief Senate Clerk Date

Emerson J. Morrow 2.23.2018  
Emerson Morrow, ASNMSU Vice President Date

I, Kevin Prieto, hereby sign into law this attached piece of legislation.

Kevin Prieto 2/26/18  
Kevin Prieto, ASNMSU President Date

SENATE OF THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS  
OF NEW MEXICO STATE UNIVERSITY

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SIXTY-FIRST SENATE

2017-2018

Introduced by: Sevedkavoosi, Shareef, Mucundayi, Nadella, Stringam Date: 01/23/2018

Referred to: Rules, Community Affairs, Finance Date: 01/25/2018

Senate Action: PASSED Date: 02/22/2018

LXI-17-18

AN ACT

1 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ACCOUNT OF ANTHROPOLOGY GRADUATE STUDENT  
2 ORGANIZATION. BE IT ENACTED BY THE SENATE OF THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF NEW MEXICO  
3 STATE UNIVERSITY.

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5 Section 1: Purpose of Act.

6 To provide funding for one student (1 female) to present at the SAA 83rd Annual Meeting in Washington, D.C.  
7 from April 11 – 15, 2018.

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9 Section 2: Main Provisions.

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11 **LINE ITEMS**

12	Registration fee (1 fee @ \$109.00/fee)	\$ 109.00
13	Hotel (1 room @ \$209.00/night x 4 nights)	\$ 836.00
14	Hotel (1 room @ \$103.00/night)	\$ 103.00
15	Airfare (1 ticket @ \$317.00/ticket)	\$ 317.00
16	(El Paso, TX to Washington, D.C.) (Round-trip)	
17	Mileage (1 private vehicle @ \$0.545/mile x 100 miles)	\$ 55.00
18	(Las Cruces, NM to El Paso, TX) (Round-trip)	
19	Parking fee (1 fee @ \$5.00/fee x 6 fees)	\$ 30.00
20	(El Paso Airport, El Paso, TX)	
21	Intra-city travel (1 fee @ \$170.00/fee)	\$ 170.00
22	Luggage fee (1 fee @ \$60.00/fee x 2 fees)	\$ 120.00
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24	<b><u>SUBTOTAL</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 1740.00</u></b>
25	Less Council Funds (No Funds Allocated)	\$ 0.00
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27	<b><u>SUBTOTAL</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 1740.00</u></b>
28	Less Matching Funds (60%)	\$ 1044.00
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30	<b><u>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 696.00</u></b>

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32 Section 3: Appropriation.

33 Six hundred ninety-six dollars and no cents (\$696.00) shall be appropriated to the account of Anthropology  
34 Graduate Student Organization from the ASNMSU Surplus Account.

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36 Section 4: Rationale.

37 Shannon Cowell is requesting funds to present at the SAA 83rd Annual Meeting in Washington, DC from April 11 –  
38 15, 2018. Their presentation addresses ceramic chronology at Los Ojitos, a Hispanic New Mexican site occupied

39 between 1865 and 1950 on the Pecos River in eastern New Mexico. A lack of typological guidelines for  
40 distinguishing prehistoric and historic micaceous sherds found at Los Ojitos limits site interpretation and throws into  
41 question all previous temporal assumptions about micaceous wares in the Pecos River valley. They look forward to  
42 representing NMSU and the NMSU Department of Anthropology by presenting their original thesis research at the  
43 SAA 2018 conference.