

**Introduced By:** Senator Simmons  
**Sponsored By:**  
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**First Reading:** July 24, 2025  
**Committee Action:** Passed 6-0-2  
**Second Reading:** August 21, 2025;  
 Passed 39-3-1  
**Third Reading:** August 21, 2025  
**Final Vote:** Passed by GC



**University of Central Florida**  
**Fifty-Seventh Student Body Senate**  
**Fiscal Bill 57-09**

[Funding for 20 members of We in Animation at UCF to travel to the Lightbox Expo 2025 in Pasadena, California from October 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2025, to October 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025]

**WHEREAS**, We in Animation at UCF (WIA) has been a Registered Student Organization since 2019;  
**WHEREAS**, The mission of WIA is to highlight, empower, and provide resources to women, LGBTQ, racial minorities, and allies wishing to pursue animation at UCF, recognizing how underrepresented groups face systemic barriers to the industry in intersecting ways;  
**WHEREAS**, WIA members pay dues of \$10.00 semesterly;  
**WHEREAS**, WIA currently has 255 active, dues-paying members;  
**WHEREAS**, The purpose of the Lightbox Expo 2025 is to educate and empower artists and host hundreds of programs, interviews, presentations, demos and hands on-experiences taught by industry professionals;  
**WHEREAS**, These opportunities not only allow members to visualize the actualization of their careers, but help to facilitate networking and connections with fellow artists in the field;  
**WHEREAS**, WIA will be lodging at the GreenTree Pasadena Inn in Pasadena, California;  
**WHEREAS**, We in Animation at UCF has received or anticipates receiving \$5,100.00 in outside funding sources; and  
**WHEREAS**, We in Animation at UCF received \$0.00 in Activity and Service Fee Funds in the 2025-2026 Fiscal Year.

**THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED**, by the Fifty-Seventh Student Body Senate of the University of Central Florida that \$10,463.70 be allocated to We in Animation at UCF from the Registration and Travel Account according to the following breakdown:

<u>Item</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Cost</u>
Registration	(\$207.55 x 20 members)	\$4,151.00
Lodging	(\$265.93 per night x 4 nights x 10 rooms)	\$10,637.20
Travel	(\$306.96 x 20 members)	\$6,139.20
Total Cost		\$20,927.40
Total We in Animation at UCF Contribution		\$10,463.70
<b>Total Senate Contribution</b>		<b>\$10,463.70</b>

**BE IT FURTHER ENACTED**, That all unspent funds revert to their originating account by November 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025;  
**BE IT FURTHER ENACTED**, That We in Animation at UCF may complete a Post-Funding Form and return it to the Operations Review and Sanction Committee (ORS); and  
**BE IT FURTHER ENACTED**, That We in Animation at UCF completes a Verification of RSO Purchases Form by December 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2025, as a condition of receiving funding.

**AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES**

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 Luci Blanco  
 Student Body President

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 Dr. Adrienne Frame  
 Vice President, SSWB

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