



UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

COUNCIL ON STUDENT FEES

CSF STANDING POLICY 5

CSF Policy on the Results of Budget Cuts, and the Restoration of Funding

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While the Council on Student Fees generally opposes budget reductions, especially those impacting departments funded by the Student Services Fee, CSF has agreed that when student service reductions are implemented, the following conditions shall be met:

- 1 If the need arises to fund departments that are not historically funded by the Student Services Fee, the campus' SFAC shall review requests and make recommendations.
 - a None of these changes should be in violation of the CSF Standing Policies; specifically CSF Standing Policy 2 which delineates the appropriate proportions of Student Services Fee funding for specific departments.
 - b A Chancellor must justify the rationale for shifting funds within the Student Services Fees Budget.
- 2 Any department currently receiving Student Services Fee funds, or those newly shifted onto Student Services Fee funding, should be under the purview of that campus' SFAC.
- 3 The SFAC should be directly involved in planning for budget reductions in any department funded in part or in whole by Student Services Fees during the fiscal year prior to the reductions taking effect. The committee should also contribute to the establishment of budget priorities and principles to guide current and future reductions according to CSF Standing Policy 2.
- 4 Any budget reductions regarding the Student Services Fee shall be explained in writing by campus administration with reference to the SFACs deliberations. This report shall also contain a commitment that these funds will be restored as soon as fiscally possible as well as a detailed explanation of how funds will be restored.

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