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Minnesota International Student Association

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Fees Request for 2009-2010 Academic Year

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Is your organization an IRS 501 (c)(3) not-for-profit? Yes No **X**
If yes, please provide proof of your organization’s 501(c)(3) status.

Funds are being requested for (check all that apply):

General Operating Support **X** Start-Up Costs Capital **X**
Project / Program Support **X** Technical Assistance **X** Other (List)

Budget

Dollar Amount Requested	\$	<u>67,000</u>
Total Annual Organization Budget	\$	<u>78,000</u>
Total Project Budget (Apart from General Operating)	\$	<u>53,860</u>

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Narrative

Summary of Organization History:

Established in 1956 under the name “Foreign Council”, Minnesota International Students Association is a non-profit organization that provides formal representation to international students and scholars at the University of Minnesota. As an organization that actively recruits international students, the University is home to around 5000 international students that represent more than 130 countries, and this number is still increasing. With a non-political and non-religious frame of mind, MISA is the only organization on campus that exists to advocate for and represent the diverse number of communities in its entirety.

Organization Mission:

1. Promote and enhance international awareness, cooperation, cultural diversity and dialogue among international students and American students at the University of Minnesota campus and the wider communities.
2. Provide the international student community with formal representation.
3. Advocate and advance the rights, interests, and privileges of the international students.
4. Create events and programs to support and serve the needs of international students and create cultural awareness in the University.
5. Act as an “umbrella” organization for other international and multicultural student organizations at the University, supporting and enabling them to become more active in the community.

Relationship with other student organizations:

MISA is comprised of two branches: the Secretariat and the General Assembly (GA). The Secretariat is responsible for all the all executive and operating procedures. The representatives of other international and cultural student associations form the General Assembly, which acts as the legislative body. Currently, we have 18 GAs. By acting as an ambassador for international students at the International Students and Scholars Services, the Minnesota International Center, the Minnesota Student Association, and various other international organizations throughout the University and the state, MISA maintains a strong representative voice for all members of the international student community at the University and promotes awareness and exchange among international and local students in order to increase cultural knowledge and experience.

Need for the organization:

The necessity of MISA on campus can be seen by the active participation of students in our activities. As stated before, we are the only organization on campus that has the entire international community (including American students) under one roof. Every university that caters and attempts to recruit international students needs one such organization; and we can proudly say that at the University of Minnesota, MISA is that organization. Besides representing the international population, MISA is essential to create a blend of cultural and traditional knowledge, ideas, and activities. We consider it important not only to give a home away from home for international students, but also to let Americans and locals see the world beyond the University campus.

Even before international students step foot in Minnesota, we are in contact with them. By answering queries and doubts about their arrival and stay, we try to help ease their transition from home. MISA provides assistances concerning housing, and also gives them valid information concerning smaller organizations of their home country. We ensure that our board members attend ISSS’ International Student Orientation to get acquainted with the students and also supply them with guide books. During the school year, we work with smaller organizations to plan cultural, social, and educational events that help international students feel at home and local students feel that they have added to their international experience. Closely working with our General Assembly, we facilitate policies and programs to benefit the entire student body.

Student Benefit:

MISA provides a haven for new international students who are new and anxious to start their academic lives at the University of Minnesota. By stepping into Room 201 in Coffman Memorial Union, one is able to meet people from different backgrounds and different walks of life. Students are able to teach others about their culture

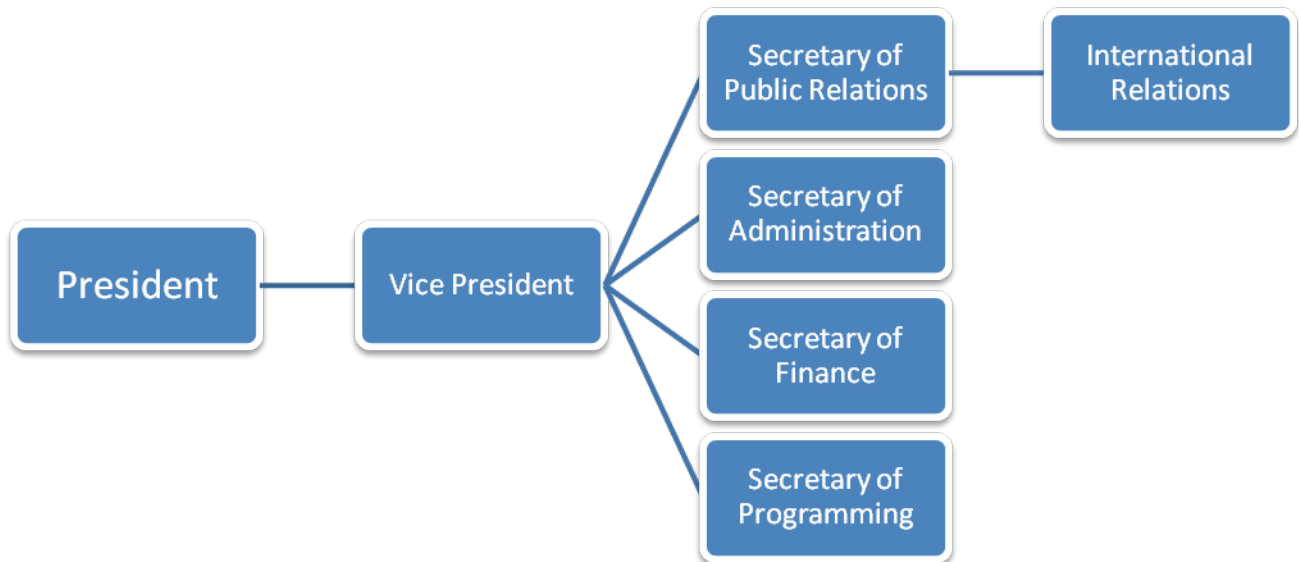
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and experiences with life at the same time that they are learning something new about their acquaintances at the University. MISA strives to create an environment that is welcoming to all, where inter-cultural exchanges occur spontaneously. The MISA Student Guide is distributed free of charge throughout the University. In addition, one of the goals of the current MISA administration is to expand the outreach and increase our impact of our publications, activities and information especially to American students. Anyone that is new to the University would find MISA extremely intriguing especially with hustle and bustle of various students in the room at all times. With free printing and several tables to sit and do homework, MISA promotes education along with a relaxed atmosphere. MISA works closely with University departments, especially the ISSS and the Minnesota International Center, and provides these departments with administrative support for various programs throughout the year. Whether it is to print a few pages or do homework, students have been actively involved in MISA for years. MISA provides an additional incentive for international students to come and study at the University of Minnesota, thus creating a truly diverse environment, and preparing the students for tomorrow's world today. The U of M is ranked fifth among the Big Ten in the number of international students. Furthermore, MISA provides a resource to the many international students, allowing them to explore and contribute to Minnesota's communities more fully. Finally, MISA seeks to educate our fellow American students on international issues and culture. MISA is a portal for those students to build relationships with students from all over the world. As stated earlier, MISA is filled with people at all hours. Our services are utilized by students at all times every day, which is why there is no dull moment at MISA.

Student Involvement within the Organization:

MISA board and the General Assembly are comprised of students. By working with other organizations, we are actively involved with students from different countries and backgrounds. We are always open to student discussions, opinions, and ideas for events during the school year, and we value these suggestions greatly. In addition to the 2000 members involved with MISA fourteen other student organizations actively participate in our events through out the school year. MISA board members and other student organizations often do collaborations in our events in order to attract the diverse crowd on campus. Dedicated members of MISA often take part in serving the students during our events. Students are vigorously involved with the activities MISA organizes and many have become so involved that they are interested in becoming board members the following school year. For many students MISA has created the environment that is welcoming and interesting and this makes students feel right at home, while also creating a fun learning atmosphere. Please use the following guidelines to provide a description of your organization:

MINNESOTA INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ASSOCIATION GENERAL ASSEMBLY
(Comprises of 16 non fees receiving nationality groups)



UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA STUDENTS

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Performance Report

Performance Report: Figures for previous, current and future fiscal years					
Total Events: 26	Attendance				
Event	Previous	Current		Future	
Summer 2008					
MISA Bus Tour	50	50		50-75	
Survey Results	<i>Fun meeting other international students and getting a tour of downtown</i>				
Movie Night	75	100		75-100	
Survey Results	<i>A good movie with a relaxed atmosphere to socialize</i>				
MISA Picnic	100	75		75-100	
Survey Results	<i>A great summer outing with a lot of fun</i>				
Fall 2008					
MISA Open House	250	300		300-350	
Survey Results	<i>An awesome start to the Fall semester in the MISA Room</i>				
SUA Activities Fair	250	250		225-275	
Survey Results	<i>None Conducted</i>				
Casino Night	200	400		350-450	
Survey Results	<i>An event with a lot of fun gambling and socializing</i>				
Bowling Night	175	300		300-350	
Survey Results	<i>A very high turn out with a funfilled atmosphere</i>				
Diwali Mela	N/A	400		400-500	
Survey Results	<i>A new type of event with demand for more</i>				
Dodge Ball Tournament	N/A	50		50-75	
Survey Results	<i>A fun sport with prizes</i>				
Feast of Nations	1500	1250		1250-1500	
Survey Results	<i>Amazing food with socializing. Demand for more</i>				
ISA Fall Show	1200	1000		1000-1200	
Survey Results	<i>A Indian cultural show with a lot of fun</i>				
Hmong Heritage Day	N/A	150		200-250	

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Survey Results	<i>A fun with bringing diverse students together for the Hmong celebration</i>				
Cambodian Cultural Event	N/A	150		150-200	
Survey Results	<i>A different type of event with demand for more</i>				
ISA/MISA Garba Event	750	850		850-1000	
Survey Results	<i>Indian dance for everyone</i>				
MISA Study Break	150	200		200-250	
Survey Results	<i>A good really good stress reliever with demand for more</i>				
Spring 2009					
Open House	250			300-350	
Dating Extravaganza	N/A			75-100	
Fondue Night	N/A			250-300	
A Day in Indonesia	N/A			150-200	
International Music Night	200			350-400	
Ice Skating	70			50-75	
Cambodian New Year	N/A			800-1000	
ISA Spring Show	N/A			750-850	
Bharat Badminton Tournament	N/A			75-100	
Spring Carnival	N/A			400-450	
Study Break	150			250-300	

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Please report figures for the previous, current, and requested fiscal years.

- **Describe your criteria for success. What does your organization hope to accomplish as a result of its activities? Please describe goals for short-term and long-term success.**
 - We at MISA aim to achieve each goal that is sets out for our organization. To be deemed successful, we fully expect to meet and exceed each one of these goals that we set out for our organization. These goals include promoting cultural diversity by holding various events throughout the semester, providing assistance to all students, and serving as an “umbrella” organization to other cultural student group amongst others. We hope to accomplish a great deal with the activities that we hold. As stated before, a prime goal for MISA is to increase cultural diversity. Many of our activities/events that we hold are cultural in nature and provide a great way for students of different cultures to interact. By having these gatherings students are able to learn about different cultures. Also these events provide a great way for students to make friends. Our short term and long term goals include increasing our attendance and continuing to provide a service for students to have fun and get assistance with whatever they need. We also do ask our members and attendees about the quality of our events. If the majority of the responses are favorable we can consider our event a success, though will strive to make everyone give a favorable review in the future.

- **How will your organization determine whether or not its goals have been met?**
 - The primary way to gage if our goals have been met is attendance figures. If we are able to meet and exceed the expected attendance prior to the events then we can deem the even a success. However, if we fall short of the attendance we will need to re-evaluate our event, our advertising and the way our organization has been running to make the next event a successful one. If we are able to see a rise in our attendance, especially from international students, our events will be labeled a success. We have seen an increase in total attendees as well as international students at our events.

- **Who will be involved in evaluating your organization?**
 - We work very closely with SUA and ISSS and ask them for input regarding some of our decisions and ask for suggestions with our events. We ask our members and attendees for our events for input as well and suggestions after our event. Our organization also has many GA's. These various groups work with us to assure that cultural diversity is being promoted on campus. We also ask for suggestions and input from these various groups which we constantly work closely with.

- **What will be done with any collected evaluation results?**
 - The collected evaluation results are carefully analyzed by all MISA board members and also between all the GA members. Based off these evaluations we are able to generate a sense of what our members require and want from us as a group and what areas we can improve on. We then try to incorporate these ideas and suggestions into our future events to provide the best possible experience for each and every person that attends.

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Description of Impact at a 10 Percent Reduction in Fees Request

A ten percent cut to MISA's annual budget would affect the purpose and presence of MISA on campus which is to promote international awareness, help international students and act as an umbrella organization to other student groups. A significant amount of the money provided by the university goes back to the student body in terms of events and services that MISA has to offer. With the addition of new General Assembly members and their increasing participation and an increase in the number of international students, a cut to the budget would limit MISA's ability to function and fulfill its. It will especially constrain our summer program for new international students, started last year, which proved to be a great success and Immense help to the international students this past summer. Lastly, our goals of helping students become accustomed to diverse cultures including the American way of life would be constrained.

BUDGET			
Complete the sections below, as it applies to your organization Shaded sections are formulas and should not be changed			
Student Organization Name:			
INCOME	ACTUAL	PROJECTED	REQUEST
	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010
Student Services Fees	\$ 39,028.00	\$ 42,028.00	\$ 67,000.00
Foundations	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Corporations	\$ 300.00	\$ -	\$ -
Individual Contributions	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Fundraising Measures	\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -
In-Kind Support	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Investment Income	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Grants Internal to UM (i.e. Administrative, Coke)	\$ 9,000.00	\$ 12,000.00	\$ 7,000.00
Grants External to UM	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Operation Reserves (should be 10%)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Equipment Reserves (if applicable to your organization)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Long Range Planning Reserves (if applicable to your organization)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Carry over from Previous year	\$ 7,000.00	\$ 6,500.00	\$ 6,000.00
Total Income	\$ 55,428.00	\$ 60,528.00	\$ 80,000.00
OPERATIONAL EXPENSES	ACTUAL	PROJECTED	REQUEST
	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010
Salaries, Wages, and Stipends	\$ 7,000.00	\$ 9,400.00	\$ 10,000.00
Insurance, Benefits, Taxes	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Consultants / Professional Fees	\$ 385.00	\$ -	\$ -
Travel	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Food	\$ 500.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
Equipment	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 2,548.00	\$ 2,600.00
Supplies	\$ 700.00	\$ 800.00	\$ 1,200.00
Printing and Copying	\$ 600.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 1,000.00
Telephone and Fax	\$ 960.00	\$ 1,270.00	\$ 1,300.00
Postage and Delivery	\$ 165.00	\$ 225.00	\$ 230.00
Rent and Utilities	\$ 338.52	\$ 820.00	\$ 1,300.00
In-Kind Expenses	\$ 250.00	\$ 400.00	\$ 700.00
Intrnational Guide Books	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,810.00	\$ 4,810.00
	\$ -		
Total Operational Expenses	\$ 13,898.52	\$ 18,773.00	\$ 25,140.00
PROGRAMMING EXPENSES*	ACTUAL	PROJECTED	REQUEST
	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010
Food	\$ 11,693.40	\$ 17,125.00	\$ 22,145.00
Room Rental	\$ 4,496.56	\$ 5,150.00	\$ 8,720.00
Advertising	\$ 2,289.47	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 2,850.00
Entertainment	\$ 10,138.67	\$ 10,980.00	\$ 14,480.00
Travel	\$ 652.73	\$ -	\$ 600.00
Other	\$ 7,864.18	\$ -	\$ -
Total Programming Expenses	\$ 37,135.01	\$ 35,755.00	\$ 48,795.00
GRAND TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 51,033.53	\$ 54,528.00	\$ 73,935.00
Difference (Income Less Expenses)	\$ 4,394.47	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 6,065.00
<p>* For the Programming/Project expenses, organizations must provide a breakdown of the programming/projects that comprise the total costs listed above. In turn, the sum of each programming/project's costs should add up to the totals listed for each item. The Programming/Project breakdown sheet is provided on the next page and should be duplicated for each individual program/project. Breaking down your organization's projects and supplementing with narrative pages could alleviate the need to compile this information for the fees committee at a later date.</p>			

PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010

Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)				
Name of Program	MISA Bus Tour (Summer 2008)				
Food	\$ 550.00				
Room Rental	\$ -				
Advertising	\$ 100.00				
Entertainment	\$ 650.00				
Travel	\$ -				
Other (Specify)	\$ -				
Program Total:	\$ 1,300.00				

Narrative:
 This was the first of the three events for new International Students who enrolled at the University in the Fall of 2008. We rented a private bus/trolley and organized a tour of downtown and other nearby attractions for the International Students that attended the event. We took them to Target for shopping and then had lunch at Chipotle. This was the first time that most of them had been to a Mexican restaurant. Finally we gave them a tour of our room in Coffman Union and explained the benefits we provide at MISA such as free printing, television and Xbox.

Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)				
Name of Program	Movie Night (Summer 2008)				
Food	\$ 200.00				
Room Rental	\$ -				
Advertising	\$ 50.00				
Entertainment	\$ 10.00				
Travel	\$ -				
Other (Specify)	\$ -				
Program Total:	\$ 260.00				

Narrative:
 This was MISA's second summer event and a follow up to the bus tour. We showed the movie "21" at Melrose Theater. We provided pizza, snacks and refreshments for the students who attended the event. This was a good event for the new international students to be introduced to MISA's current members. Once the movie got done, we used the gaming room at Melrose Apartments to play table tennis and snooker.

PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010

Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)				
Name of Program	MISA Picnic (Summer 2008)				
Food	\$ 550.00				
Room Rental	\$ -				
Advertising	\$ 75.00				
Entertainment	\$ -				
Travel	\$ -				
Other (Specify)	\$ -				
Program Total:	\$ 625.00				

Narrative:
 We had the picnic at Superblock after the conclusion of all international student orientations. We had a barbeque and provided refreshments. The event was a success with the attendance of current and new international and local students. In addition, we played Volleyball and Basketball.

PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010					
Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)				
Name of Program	MISA Open House (Fall 2008)				
Food	\$ 500.00				
Room Rental	\$ -				
Advertising	\$ 55.00				
Entertainment	\$ 100.00				
Travel	\$ -				
Other (Specify)	\$ -				
Program Total:	\$ 655.00				
Narrative:	<p>This was a socializing event held in MISA for returning members and new enrolled students. We provided pizza, snacks and refreshments for the attendees of the event. The main purpose of this event was to make the new students become comfortable with the environment in MISA and also inform them the amenities that are provided by MISA such as printing, desktops, big screen T.V and gaming. This was a very successful event with more than 200 students attending the event and becoming regular visitors to MISA.</p>				
PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010					
Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)				
Name of Program	SUA Activities Fair (Fall 2008)				
Food	\$ 50.00				
Room Rental	\$ -				
Advertising	\$ 35.00				
Entertainment	\$ -				
Travel	\$ -				
Other (Specify)	\$ -				
Program Total:	\$ 85.00				
Narrative:	<p>This event was held in front of Coffman Memorial Union by the Student Unions and Activities. MISA was one of the many student groups present at the event. There were two MISA members present at all times to represent MISA. We also had flyers about our upcoming events at our display table along with the sign up for our mailing list server for future MISA updates.</p>				
PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010					
Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)				
Name of Program	Casino Night				
Food	\$ 370.00				
Room Rental	\$ 190.00				
Advertising	\$ 150.00				
Entertainment	\$ 800.00				
Travel	\$ -				
Other (Specify)	\$ -				
Program Total:	\$1,510.00				
Narrative:	<p>This event was held in Coffman Union Mississippi room on October 17th, 2008 with the Indian Student Association (ISA) which is one of our valuable General Assembly members. To create a casino environment, we not only rented casino equipment but also provided snacks (finger food) and refreshments (mocktails). We gave free playing tokens for fake gambling, and also organized training sessions for those who did not know how to gamble. We also provided prizes ranging from gift cards to our grand prizes of iPods and 2 Kaplan courses through a raffle draw at the end of the event.</p>				

PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010						
Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)					
Name of Program	Bowling Night					
Food	\$ 650.00					
Room Rental	\$1,000.00					
Advertising	\$ 100.00					
Entertainment	\$ -					
Travel	\$ -					
Other (Specify)	\$ -					
Program Total:	\$1,750.00					
Narrative:	We rented the Coffman Goldy's Game room for free bowling, pizza and drinks on a Friday evening. This was a socializing event for our members.					
PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010						
Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)					
Name of Program	Diwalai Mela					
Food	\$ 650.00					
Room Rental	\$ -					
Advertising	\$ 50.00					
Entertainment	\$ -					
Travel	\$ -					
Other (Specify)	\$ -					
Program Total:	\$ 700.00					
Narrative:	Diwali is a celebration for the Norht Indian new year. We partnered with Bharat (one of our General Asembly members) by sponsoring the event and also by promoting and organizing. We decorated the great hall to create an atmosphere of a indian street carnival. There were games, Indian food and dancing with Indian music					
PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010						
Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)					
Name of Program	Dodgeball Tournament					
Food	\$ 200.00					
Room Rental	\$ 360.00					
Advertising	\$ 150.00					
Entertainment	\$ -					
Travel	\$ -					
Other (Specify)	\$ -					
Program Total:	\$ 710.00					
Narrative:	We organized this event at the University Recreation center on a Saturday evening. We got members to sign up for teams of six. The top 3 teams were awarded prizes (gift cards from chipotle and starbucks). We also provided refreshments in during the event. (Put this above Feast of Nations)					

PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010						
Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)					
Name of Program	Feast of Nations					
Food	\$8,500.00					
Room Rental	\$ 790.00					
Advertising	\$ 350.00					
Entertainment	\$ -					
Travel	\$ -					
Other (Specify)	\$ -					
Program Total:	\$9,640.00					
Narrative:	<p>We had this event in the Great Hall at Coffman Union on a Thursday (nov 20th) afternoon. We had food from 12 different cuisines and played some international light music. Nine of our General Assembly members (HMSA, PSA, KISO, TASA etc) joined MISA in the organizing and promotion of the event. In addition, our members volunteered in organizing of the event.</p>					
PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010						
Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)					
Name of Program	ISA Fall Show					
Food	\$1,500.00					
Room Rental	\$ 450.00					
Advertising	\$ -					
Entertainment	\$1,300.00					
Travel	\$ -					
Other (Specify)	\$ -					
Program Total:	\$3,250.00					
Narrative:	<p>We held this annual event in the Coffman Union Great Hall on November 22nd, 2008. The event consisted of several performances and drama on Indian Music. Prior to the show, we had also organized some ethnic Indian food and beverages. MISA co-sponsored the event with Indian Student Association (ISA) and helped organize and promote the event on and off campus. The purpose was not only to bring out the Indian talent at the University but also raise awareness among the other cultural groups</p>					
PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010						
Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)					
Name of Program	Hmong Heritage Day					
Food	\$ -					
Room Rental	\$ 340.00					
Advertising	\$ -					
Entertainment	\$ 500.00					
Travel	\$ -					
Other (Specify)	\$ -					
Program Total:	\$ 840.00					
Narrative:	<p>We partnered with the Hmong Minnesota Student Association (HMSA) to celebrate the Hmong new year by having a dance night in Northrop Auditorium in St. Paul. We co-sponsored the event and promoted it to our members. The purpose of this event was to bring our members with Hmong students on campus and celebrate the Hmong new year which is known as Heritage Day.</p>					

PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010					
Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)				
Name of Program	MISA Study Break				
Food	\$ 300.00				
Room Rental	\$ -				
Advertising	\$ 100.00				
Entertainment	\$ 590.00				
Travel	\$ -				
Other (Specify)	\$ -				
Program Total:	\$ 990.00				
Narrative:	We had this event in the MISA room before the week of finals as a stress reliever. We provided Pizza, Snacks and Refreshment. To create a relaxed environment we provided free massage by hiring a professional masseuse, played board games and x-box.				
PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010					
Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)				
Name of Program	MISA Open House - Spring				
Food	\$ 550.00				
Room Rental	\$ -				
Advertising	\$ 85.00				
Entertainment	\$ 450.00				
Travel	\$ -				
Other (Specify)	\$ -				
Program Total:	\$1,085.00				
Narrative:	This was a socializing event held in MISA for returning members and new enrolled students. We provided pizza, snacks and refreshments for the attendees of the event. The main purpose of this event was to make the new students become comfortable with the environment in MISA and also inform them the amenities that are provided by MISA such as printing, desktops, big screen T.V and gaming. This was a very successful event with more than 200 students attending the event and becoming regular visitors to MISA.				
PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010					
Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)				
Name of Program	Dating Extravaganza				
Food	\$ 400.00				
Room Rental	\$ 380.00				
Advertising	\$ 100.00				
Entertainment					
Travel	\$ -				
Other (Specify)	\$ -				
Program Total:	\$ 880.00				
Narrative:	We will sponsor, organize and promote this event with the Philippines Student Association (PSA) at the beginning of February. It is a matching event where we will give snacks and refreshments.				

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Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)				
Name of Program	Fondue Night				
Food	\$ 950.00				
Room Rental	\$ 410.00				
Advertising	\$ 100.00				
Entertainment	\$ 750.00				
Travel	\$ -				
Other (Specify)	\$ -				
Program Total:	\$2,210.00				

Narrative:

We will organize this event in mid- February at the Mississippi Room in Coffman Memorial Union. It will be a night with dance and Karaoke. We will provide finger food and refreshments. African Student Association (ASA) will help us in organizing and promoting the event.

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Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)				
Name of Program	A Day In Indonesia				
Food	\$ 450.00				
Room Rental	\$ 350.00				
Advertising	\$ 100.00				
Entertainment	\$ 550.00				
Travel	\$ -				
Other (Specify)	\$ -				
Program Total:	\$1,450.00				

Narrative:

In late February we will work together with the Indonesian Student Association by sponsoring, organizing and promoting the event. We will create an atmosphere like a day in Indonesia at great hall by having Indonesian food, games and stalls. We will be having an Indonesian dance performance.

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Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)				
Name of Program	International Music Night				
Food	\$ 725.00				
Room Rental	\$ 800.00				
Advertising	\$ 200.00				
Entertainment	\$1,450.00				
Travel	\$ -				
Other (Specify)	\$ -				
Program Total:	\$3,175.00				

Narrative:

This is our annual dance event at Weisman Museum. We will be playing International Student Association (KISO) and Hmong Minnesota Student Association (HMSA) will help us with the organizing and promoting of the event.

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Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)					
Name of Program	Ice Skating					
Food	\$ 300.00					
Room Rental	\$ -					
Advertising	\$ 100.00					
Entertainment	\$ -					
Travel	\$ 150.00					
Other (Specify)	\$ -					
Program Total:	\$ 550.00					

Narrative:
 This event will be organized in late February and it will be held in The Depot (Downtown Minneapolis). Since this is an off campus event, MISA will be providing transportation services. Friendship Association of Chinese Students and Scholars (FACSS) will be helping us in organizing and promoting the event.

PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010

Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)					
Name of Program	Cambodian New Year					
Food	\$ 500.00					
Room Rental	\$ 450.00					
Advertising	\$ 50.00					
Entertainment	\$ 380.00					
Travel	\$ -					
Other (Specify)	\$ -					
Program Total:	\$1,380.00					

Narrative:
 We will sponsor, organize and promote this event together with Cambodian Student Association of Minnesota. This will be a celebration of the Cambodian New Year by providing Cambodian food with Cambodian music and dance.

PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010

Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)					
Name of Program	ISA Spring Show					
Food	\$ 700.00					
Room Rental	\$ 800.00					
Advertising	\$ 100.00					
Entertainment	\$ 750.00					
Travel	\$ -					
Other (Specify)	\$ -					
Program Total:	\$2,350.00					

Narrative:
 We plan to schedule this annual event in the Coffman Union Great Hall in mid April. The event consisted of several performances and drama on Indian Music. Prior to the show, we had also organized some ethnic Indian food and beverages. MISA co-sponsored the event with Indian Student Association (ISA) and helped organize and promote the event on and off campus. The purpose was not only to bring out the Indian talent at the University but also raise awareness among the other cultural groups

PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010

Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)						
Name of Program	Bharat Badminton Tournament						
Food	\$ 150.00						
Room Rental	\$ 350.00						
Advertising	\$ 50.00						
Entertainment	\$ -						
Travel	\$ -						
Other (Specify)	\$ -						
Program Total:	\$ 550.00						

Narrative:

In April we will sponsor promote and organize this event with Bharat. We will have this event by renting the University Recreation Center. The winners of the Badminton tournament will be awarded prizes.

PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010

Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)						
Name of Program	Spring Carnival						
Food	\$1,800.00						
Room Rental	\$ 500.00						
Advertising	\$ 300.00						
Entertainment	\$3,500.00						
Travel	\$ -						
Other (Specify)	\$ -						
Program Total:	\$6,100.00						

Narrative:

We will rent equipment and create an atmosphere of a carnival in front of Coffman Memorial Union. We will be providing snacks and refreshments and prizes for winners of carnival games. Philippines Student Association (PSA) will help us in organizing and promoting the event.

PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010

Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)						
Name of Program	Study Break						
Food	\$ 350.00						
Room Rental	\$ -						
Advertising	\$ 100.00						
Entertainment	\$ -						
Travel	\$ -						
Other (Specify)	\$ -						
Program Total:	\$ 450.00						

Narrative:

This is our final spring event. It will be held in the MISA room. We will provide free pizza, snacks and refreshments. As a stress reliever there will be board games and X-box gaming. We will hire a professional masseuse. The event will take place in MISA room

PROGRAM BREAKDOWN 2009-2010							
Student Org Name	Minnesota International Student Association (MISA)						
Name of Program	First Annual MISA OLYMPICS						
		(Three-day event)					
Food	\$ 1,250.00						
Room Rental	\$ 1,550.00						
Advertising	\$ 350.00						
Entertainment	\$ 2,700.00						
Travel	\$ 450.00						
Other (Specify)	\$ -						
Program Total:	\$ 6,300.00						
Narrative:							
<p>Shortly after finals, we will be hosting MISA olympics. Support for 8-10 other student groups will make this event a huge success. We will set up an International olympics event with 9-10 different events. We will provide food, fake medals, and prizes for top performers in each event. We believe that this will be an event future boards will continue.</p>							