Student Budget Advisory Committee

Background Information

In 2008, the Provost established a student committee to become well versed in the University's budget and budget priorities. The Student Budget Advisory Committee (SBAC) will learn about the University's budget model, sources of revenue, and expenditure patterns, in addition to efforts to contain costs and stay competitive.

The committee's advice will be sought on a range of topics, and committee members may be asked to communicate with student groups to share information about the university budgeting practices.

Members of the committee will serve a one-year term, with the possibility of renewal for a second year.

Students selected for the committee are expected to make a good-faith commitment to attend the meetings, but should not anticipate any reading or other work between meetings.

The committee will meet 2-3 times per semester in the fall and winter terms at a location in the Michigan Union. The 90-minute meetings are scheduled monthly from November through April. A light meal is served.

Nominations to apply for membership are sought from various groups, including:

- Central Student Government
- Rackham Student Government
- Council presidents of each School and College
- Vice Provosts and Associate Deans Group
- Provosts Faculty Advisory Committee

Students may self-nominate.