I. Introduction

This year, 1961-62, the Student Life and Interests Committee, having jurisdiction subject to faculty direction and control over all extracurricular activities and interests of the students, met bi-weekly for a total of 13 conferences to date for a total of approximately 30 hours. It is typical procedure for many of the problems to be referred to the six SLIC subcommittees for investigation and recommendation. The subcommittees are as follows: (1) Finance, (2) Fine Arts, (3) Fraternities, Sororities, and Social Life, (4) Publications, (5) Student Government and Student Organizations, and (6) Student Health and Housing. Very often problems are referred to ad hoc committees appointed by the chairman. All meetings are open to interested students and faculty members, and minutes are sent to interested persons upon request.

II. Discussions and Actions of SLIC

1. October 12, 1961: Approved "late registration" (with certain restrictions) of Phi Delta Kappa as a UW-M student organization.

2. October 12: Revised rules in the Cardinal Compass, Student Organizations Handbook, to read that all election candidates for University "closed date" functions not be on academic probation.

3. October 12: Gave ADVERSARY special permission to sponsor a Peggy Seeger Concert at the Jewish Community Center, contingent upon certain requirements.

4. October 26: Approved the constitution of Beta Chi social club.

5. October 26: Appointed eighteen (18) students to SLIC subcommittees.

6. October 26: Approved "late registration" of the Spanish Club and Phi Kappa Phi.


8. November 16: Recommended Ron Komas, freshman, and Jean Kappel, sophomore, for Student Court.

9. November 16: Reviewed the year's activities of ADVERSARY and its twelve violations of University regulations. The organization was ordered to cease and desist operations and disband as a University student organization.

10. November 30: Recommended Carol Ann Cutter to Student Court.

11. November 30: Re-allocated $190 to Alpha Phi Omega service fraternity for an expansion of its Lost and Found Department.

12. December 7: Reviewed a progress report of the subcommittee on Publications concerning the establishment of a Publications Board on the UW-M campus.

13. January 4, 1962: Approved the constitution of the Phi Mu Sigma National Professional Fraternity (Mentally Retarded Children.) Also approved, pending appropriate changes, the constitutions of the UW-M Guild Student Organists and the Schweitzer Club.
14. January 4: Established the rule that "Any individual on academic probation is not eligible to compete for royalty or court member for any social function."

15. March 15: Gave the UW-M Young Democrats Club and Gamma Delta (Lutheran) permission to register late as University student organizations.

16. March 29: Reviewed SLIC's policy on late registration of student organizations and adopted modified policy statements on this matter as submitted by the subcommittee on Student Government and Organizations.

17. March 29: Discussed the problems arising in the Pearse Hall Lunch Room.

III. Annual Reports of the SLIC Subcommittees

A. Report of the Subcommittee on Finance

1. The subcommittee's efforts for fiscal 1961-62 consisted of reviewing the budget requests of thirteen student activities for allocations of Fund 5000 support for fiscal 1962-63. Support requested was in excess of $31,000 with projected funds available of $21,000. The subcommittee considered the detailed justifications required by it of each activity making application upon the Fund and reported what it considered an equitable allocation to SLIC.

2. While the subcommittee is encouraging self-support on the part of as many student activities as possible, it regrets the necessity of denying funds in so many cases of praiseworthy student enterprises, particularly, in the light of the extensive support which student groups engaged in similar endeavors receive at other comparable institutions.

   SLIC FINANCE SUBCOMMITTEE

   (Faculty)
   Willis Hagen, co-chairman
   E. Schuld

   (Students)
   Michael Dingman
   William Mett, co-chairman
   Mary Talbot

B. Report of the Subcommittee on Fine Arts

1. The Fine Arts Subcommittee met on an individual basis with the chairman to consider two matters. (Collecting individual schedules revealed that there was no common time when the group could meet as a body.)

2. The subcommittee gave consideration to the possibility of the 1962 class gift being in the area of fine arts. A piece of outdoor sculpture by an art major was proposed as a suitable idea. The chairman registered this suggestion with the senior class gift committee and acted as liaison between the representative from the above committee and the faculty members in the Art Department concerned with sculpturing. The suggestion was placed on the list of proposals to be put before the senior class.

3. The subcommittee also considered the apparent lack of a collection of fine arts owned by and displayed on the campus of the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. A modest collection of paintings, prints and sculpture actually does exist, but is neglected and not displayed to best advantage. In many cases, these works of art have found their way into faculty offices so that they are virtually inaccessible to students. The committee members recommended that this collection be placed in public areas particularly adjacent to areas utilized by students and public attending events in each building.
across the campus. At this same time, the Art Department has recommended that the position of a part-time curator be added to the staff. This person would be responsible for conservation of the works of art and re-locating them to advantageous positions on the campus. Recent action indicates that this position will be created in the immediate future.

FINE ARTS SUBCOMMITTEE

(Faculty) (Students)
LeRoy Daniels Eleanor Kowske
Les Fuhrmann Jean Schoeleer, co-chairman
Rolf Hickman, co-chairman John Schmidman

C. Report of the Subcommittee on Fraternities, Sororities, and Social Life

1. One of the areas studied by the committee was the eligibility of students who wish to be candidates for royalty and court members at social events.

2. Another area studied was the revision of Directions for Social Chairmen and revision of Student-Chaperone relationships.

3. A third area studied was an accepted policy in regard to honored guests at social functions.

4. It was recommended that the Cardinal Compass, page 7, Section B-2, be changed to read as follows:

   Any individual on academic probation is not eligible to compete for royalty or court member for any social function.

5. It was also recommended that the elections chairman notify the student body members of this regulation in ample time so that prospective candidates are saved from the embarrassment of having to withdraw their names from the list of candidates and from spending money for photographs and other publicity.

6. A third recommendation was that a meeting of advisors of all organizations which hold social functions be called together early next year to clarify their relation to the organization, to explain their specific functions and to interpret the University rules and regulations governing social functions.

7. A fourth recommendation was that no one other than the provost and his wife need be invited as honored guests to more than one of the 3 major functions sponsored each year by the social commission of USG. (Homecoming, Fire & Ice, and Prom)

8. A final recommendation was that Beta Chi be granted fraternity status on the UW-M campus.

FRATERNITIES, SORORITIES, AND SOCIAL LIFE SUBCOMMITTEE

(Faculty) (Students)
Pierce Kramer Dawn Harwood, co-chairman
Evagelos Mablekos Tom DiCristo
Charlotte Wollaege, co-chairman

D. Report of the Subcommittee on Publications

1. The subcommittee has held four meetings during the current school year.
2. The subcommittee decided at its first two meetings to undertake two major projects during the year -- a study of the board of publications plan used at many colleges and universities and a study of an activities fee plan.

3. At the time of this report the subcommittee's work had not been completed. To date the group has confined its attention to the board of publications plan. At the subcommittee meeting of April 11, 1962, members voted to recommend a board of publications based on the organization at the University of Minnesota.

4. The subcommittee also has heard during the year reports from the editors of Cheshire, Ivy, and Post, and have conferred with the editors about special problems.

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E. Report of the Subcommittee on Student Government and Organizations

1. The subcommittee on Student Government and Organizations met this year to consider constitutions for the following new student organizations:

   a) Phi Mu Sigma
   b) The Schweitzer Club
   c) UW-M Guild Student Group

2. The committee proposed to SLIC, a set of rules to control and reduce late registrations. These rules were accepted as a policy statement by SLIC.

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F. Report of the Subcommittee on Health and Housing

1. In accordance with the committee's recommendation in the Spring, 1961, the subcommittee devised a questionnaire to be filled out by students who file a claim against their Accident and Sickness Insurance. The questionnaire will be distributed, collected and kept on file by Miss Pearl Augspurger, Medical Office. The information obtained will be periodically evaluated by the subcommittee members. It is hoped that this information will be useful in the subsequent review of the student health insurance program.

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STUDENT LIFE AND INTERESTS COMMITTEE

1961-62 Members

(Faculty)
G. Bartness (3 yrs.)
W. Hagen (2 yrs.)
R. Hickman (3 yrs.)
R. Marquardt (1 yr.)
R. Merklein (3 yrs.)
M. E. Miller (2 yrs.)
R. Norris
E. Ratledge (2 yrs.)
L. Ropella (1 yr.)
L. Stamatakos, chairman
J. Stillman (1 yr.)
C. Wollaeger, associate chairman

(Students)
P. Fischer, USG appointment
R. Franzmann (Sem. I, 1961-62)
D. Harker (Sem. I, 1961-62)
R. Hehn, President, USG
J. Karius, Editor, Post
G. Soiney, USG appointment