Service and Philanthropy (S&P) Board Proposal

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Need for S&P Board

- ► Student Life issue of importance
 - Organizations, offices, and Butler culture centered around service and philanthropy
- Engagement of students wanting to serve in SGA
- Further defining campus service/philanthropy
- Expansion of current activities and meeting their needs (Spring Sports & BUDM)
- Structure to develop intentionally



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S&P Grant (SGA Grants System)

- New grant type
- Similar to REACH grant
 - Additional funds set aside for organizations that fulfill the SGA Service and Philanthropy mission
- Approved by VP of Finance to begin
- Active in 2015-2016 year -> facilitated by SGA Finance Board and the Grants system
- Budget TBD

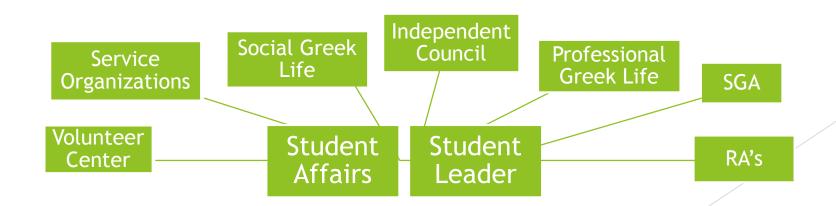
Butler University Dance Marathon and Spring Sport Spectacular

- ► Two of largest on-campus philanthropies
- Often times, treated more as programs than as fundraising/philanthropic events
- ► Focus on fundamental purposes for organizations supported:
 - ► BUDM → Riley Children's Hospital
 - ► SSS → Indiana Special Olympics
- Joint meetings to foster education and strategic planning



Service & Philanthropy Board

- Started in Spring 2014 -- chaired by professional student affairs staff and students to gather feedback from campus
- Acting for campus-wide interest (only meeting 3/4 times per year)
- Shared calendar of campus-wide Service & Philanthropy events
- Proposing definitions for "Service" and "Philanthropy" at Butler
- Collaboration across campus
- Coordination of fundraisers for emergency events



- **>** 2015-2016
 - Structure formed in Spring 2015 for "Day of Service" Students Group within SGA
 - ► Event will take place early Fall 2015
 - Ongoing development:
 - ► BUDM & SSS philanthropy focused
 - ► S&P Board provide outcomes to campus

Day of Service - Student Group in SGA

- ▶ Day of Service event in Fall 2015, Date TBD
- ► Event will unite all-campus groups (faculty, staff, students, etc.)
- Group for student leaders/coordinators will be created regardless
- Student group will interact with University Steering Committee on event planning
- Structure within SGA would give benefits to group to further campus communication and recruit volunteers
- Coordinated by Caroline Huck-Watson, PuLSE Office Director



On-Going Development (2015-2016)

- BUDM and SSS
 - Collaborative meetings continuing
 - Spreading philanthropy and fundraising training into whole-board efforts
- Service and Philanthropy Board Outcomes
 - ► Collaborative events for cross-campus S&P work
 - Proposed definitions for "Service" and "Philanthropy"

- **2016-2017**
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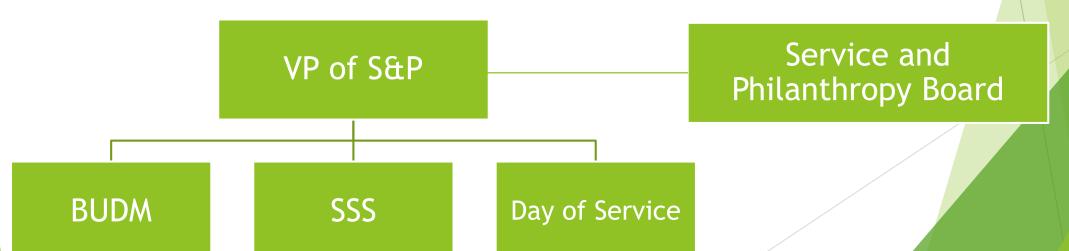
VP of S&P

- New position for SGA Exec Board
- Would be appointed in slating by President (similar to others)
- Receive all benefits and rights of SGA VP
- Student leader to co-chair the student Service and Philanthropy Board
- Will provide supervisory and oversight with Spring Sports and BUDM



S&P Structure Composition

- Purpose: "develop and implement programs and opportunities for Butler students to become involved with local and national community service and philanthropic programs"
- ► Butler University Dance Marathon (BUDM) -> Program Board
- Spring Sports Spectacular (SSS) -> Program Board
- Day of Service -> new campus-wide program (student group)



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Entertain Formal Motion from SGA Assembly

► "I move to approve the phasing timeline of the SGA Service and Philanthropy Board between 2014-2016 as proposed by the 2014-2015 SGA Executive Board."