COMMITTEE: Student Scholarship, Fellowship, and Financial Aid committees

MEETING DATE: October 24, 2005

PERSON PRESIDING: Chal Benson

REGULAR MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE: Chal Benson, Brent Henze Jill Carlson, Anthony Overton

EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE: Mary Jenkins, Connie Ciechalski,

OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE: None

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ACTIONS OF MEETING

Agenda Item: Scholarship Weekend

Discussion: The committee wishes to continue to participate in the undergraduate scholarship weekend. We have done so for the past several years

Action Taken: A request was sent to Ms. Kathy Bernstein in Admissions. She does plan to call on committee members to serve on selection during the scholarship weekend.

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Agenda Item: Residency Classification.

Discussion: The committee discussed the process involved for out-of-state students (graduate and undergraduate) to become classified as North Carolina Residents.

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Agenda Item: Aid for students in Poverty

Discussion: The SSC chair corresponded with Marilyn Sheerer (Vice Chancellor for Institutional Advancement) and Patricia Anderson (chair of the Centennial Campaign committee) concerning senate resolution 03-61 on aid to students in poverty. This resolution stated, in particular, that “$5 million in the centennial capital campaign to be held in an endowment the earnings from which will be used as grant aid for the benefit of economically disadvantaged students admitted to and enrolled at ECU.”

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Agenda Item: Financial Aid, scholarship, fundraising overview.

Discussion: Maryann Jenkins of Financial Aid Services gave an overview of the Financial Aid, scholarship, fundraising efforts on campus. This presentation highlighted the number
and types of scholarships available. Maryann also described the selection process for the various student scholarships on campus.

NEXT MEETING: November, 28, 2005