The Student Government Association unanimously passed its semester budget, which, according to a breakdown provided at the meeting, allocated almost $110,000 to various services.

The approved budget allocates $69,268 toward the executive budget, $19,800 toward total college fund projects, $10,832 toward the total college fund for organization, $5,415.75 toward the total college fund for individuals and $3,000 toward the general fund.

These appropriations come from a total budget of $108,315, which is proportional to the number of students attending the university.

Business President Matthew Juby questioned the total budget, asking why the 2017 fall semester budget was larger (around $110,000) when the total number of enrolled students has increased. Senate Chair Katie Wappel called the meeting into a five minute recess, wherein Juby conversed with Treasurer Kristopher Harrison. Wappel announced the budget breakdown of last semester had a “misprint,” and the spring semester budget has increased as expected.

“What we’re budgeting is just our estimation based on student numbers,” said SGA President Mary McMahon.

McMahon swore in Graduate School Senator Rahul Kaushik, Engineering Senators Modupeoluwa Oni and Nicholas Scalfano, Business Senators Telaysia Walker and Jacob LeMeunier, and SGA Justices Kaleb Moore, Natalie Carroll and Jacob Bordelon.

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to create entrepreneurial, intrapreneurial and social enterprise value, the society hosts other activities such as student think-tank exercises, lectures by guest speakers, interaction with local business professionals, workshops, competitions, book clubs and networking events.

The LITE Commission was established by the passing of a legislative act in 2006. The LITE center has been open since 2007, and its staff has expertise in animation, visualization, software engineering, gaming and e-learning.

Harrison announced 14,442 students who take six or more credit hours now attend the University of Louisiana at Lafayette.

The Programming and Events Committee announced UPC will host the first two Candid Conversations of the semester at 6 p.m., Feb. 21 and March 14 in the Student Union.

Vice President Maddie Breaux announced SGA Week is March 19-23.

The International Student Affairs Committee announced applications for Mr. and Mrs. International are due this Friday, Feb. 23.

Greek Affairs Representative Chandler Harris announced a Tri Delta gumbo cookoff and an Alpha Omicron Pi volleyball tournament.

The STEP and Campus Technologies Committee announced the Spring 2018 STEP grant cycle is in motion and emails are being sent out explaining the grading process for such grants.

“\[continued from page 3\] We have a lot of veggie options,” Rosenbaum said. “We have pasta, veggie burgers and high protein grains like quinoa and tofu.”