Types of Funding

**Important:** To request ANY type of funding, you must complete an Event Form found on the Collegiate Link website at <https://neiu.collegiatelink.net/> . Find your organization’s home page, go to “Events,” and then click on “Create Event.” Filling out this form will lead you through the process of requesting funds. **Only those listed as an officer may create an event. Organizations may assign more officer titles than the standard ones listed.**

**Earned Income**

* Funds are raised by your organization through fundraising or donations. You can fundraise by having bake sales, flower sales, ticket sales etc.
* In order to access funds from your Earned Income account, you must submit an Event Form on Collegiate Link at least two (2) weeks prior to use.
* If your organization does not submit this request in this time frame, your payment method (i.e. check) cannot be processed in time.

**Developmental**

* Funds available to organizations each semester: ($100 available per organization, per semester).
* Can be used on marketing or developing student members.
* May also be used for end of the year celebrations
* In order to use these funds, you must submit an Event Form on Collegiate Link at least two (2) weeks prior to use.
* There will be no exceptions to this deadline.

**Event-by-Event**

* Funds available to student organizations seeking to hold events on campus
* These funds are managed by the Council of Clubs (COC), the funding body of the Student Government Association.
* To request these funds, complete an Event Form on Collegiate Link.
* After submitting request, you are also required to present at an assigned Council of Clubs (COC) meeting
* You will need to provide back-up material (quotes, figures, etc.)
* The Council of Clubs (COC) will not completely fund an event. At least 10% must come from outside sources (fundraising, sponsors, etc.).
* Within 5 days of your presentation you will be notified as to whether or not your request was approved.