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## **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

All Students

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All Staff

FROM:

Professor Indar Ramnarine

Deputy Campus Principal and Chair of the Student Amenities Fund Committee

(SAFC)

DATE:

15 September 2022

SUBJECT:

Annual Update on the Student Amenities Fund Projects - 2022

I am writing to provide you with an update on the use of the Student Amenities Fund (SAF), as well as the progress made in implementing the SAF projects. The SAF was introduced in 2016 and the primary objective was the development and enhancement of student amenities, facilities and support to student services on the Campus. In preparation for your return to campus, the SAF Committee, which includes the Guild President and Guild Treasurer, met several times throughout the pandemic and approved projects geared toward benefitting the entire student population. This includes the purchase of laptops, tablets and wireless MiFi devices, which would have assisted students to successfully navigate the online learning environment.

I have attached a list of the approved SAF projects undertaken since the inception of the fund in 2016, a breakdown of the committed funds, and the status of each project. I will continue to keep you informed of the progress in the implementation of these and future projects. The UWI St. Augustine Campus is committed to transparency and accountability in the use of these funds.

On behalf of the SAF Committee, I wish to express thanks for the feedback made by you our students and I encourage you to continue, through your Guild representation, to let your voices be heard and propose projects for future consideration.

I thank you for your continued support and I wish you a safe, productive and successful academic year 2022/2023.

Attach. (1) – List of SAF Projects: 2016-2022