



### Financial Ethics Research Committee Report November 17, 2011

The Financial Ethics Research Committee is working on several projects this semester. This includes but is not limited to the Ethical Investment Plan and the Purchasing Policy. The following report includes the FERC's fall semester schedule and projects updates thus far.

#### I. Fall Semester Schedule

The committee will be meeting at the following times:

- Wednesday, September 28, 2011
- Wednesday, October 12, 2011
- Wednesday, October 26, 2011
- Wednesday, November 9, 2011
- Wednesday, November 23, 2011

*It is important to note that the FERC meets once every two weeks; however, the week the FERC does not meet, members are provided a list of tasks and responsibilities with deadlines to ensure that work is completed.*

#### II. Committee Projects

<b>Ethical Investment Plan</b>	The committee members provided research which was later compiled into a cohesive document; An initial discussion commenced once the research was distributed to the members; The committee has drafted an Ethical Investment Plan along with a motion for the December 1, 2011 Legislative Council; The committee will finalize the draft on November 23, 2011.
<b>Purchasing Policy</b>	The committee members are preparing research for the November 23, 2011 meeting; Thereafter, the FERC will resume its work on completing its brainstorm and draft during the winter semester.