The Philosopher’s Nest – Progress Report

APA Berry Fund

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Project Summary

The Philosopher’s Nest is a podcast that showcases the work, insights, and experiences of graduate students in philosophy. In 20-minute episodes, we interview a different graduate student each time and ask them questions about their research and their views on the discipline of philosophy as it is practised today.

The primary aims of our project are to:

- Provide a platform from which graduate philosophy students can present their ideas and research.
- Foster an international community amongst graduate philosophy students.
- Provide a resource that assists prospective applicants to graduate philosophy programs and current philosophy graduate students in navigating the profession of academic philosophy.
- Promote the public usefulness of philosophy.
- Promote diversity in philosophy, both in terms of the profiles of philosophers and their areas of research.

Intended Use of Funds

In our application for the Berry Fund, we wrote the following under the “Describe How Funds Would Be Spent” subheading:

*Our projected costs for the next 12 months are as follows:*

$60: Annual podcast hosting fee

$6: Annual domain hosting fee

~$1,430: Cost of editing 26 episodes at $55 per episode (via Mattvopro on www.fiverr.com)

A $1,000 grant would be spent on our annual podcast hosting fee, our annual domain hosting fee, and the costs of editing our next 17 episodes.

We still expect to face the same costs for podcast hosting, domain hosting, and editing. These costs are ongoing.

Progress Report

We have been unable to spend any of the funds allocated through the Berry Fund because they have not yet arrived in our account. We look forward to being able to spend the funds on the costs outlined above.