

NJWGSC Consortium
Rider University
October 18, 2019

Present: Donnalynn Scillieri (WPUNJ); Rich Russell (ACCC); Megan Titus (Rider); Jennifer Musial (NJCU); Ileana Nachescu (Rutgers WGS New Brunswick); Deborah Gussman (Stockton); Wendy Kolmar (Drew); Cynthia Ninivaggi (Georgian Court University); Rosemarie Bello-Truland (Brookdale/WPUNJ)

STUDENTS Present: Lauren St. John (ACCC); Joyce Monserrate (Rider); Rhys Ancheta (Atlantic Cape); Ana Beste (Stockton University); Yeimi Hernandez (Brookdale Community College); Evan Irwin (Atlantic Cape Community College)

1. Continental Breakfast 10:30am
2. Welcome and Introductions 11:00am
3. Students meet/break-out facilitated by Roseanne Alvarez 11:15-12:30
4. Treasurer's Report (furnished by Meg Natter)
 - Drew for last year arrived; Drew is paying for the guest speaker at Student Colloquium;
 - Stockton came on board; Rider will send dues; Georgian Court will send dues; Ramapo joining; will reach out to William Paterson; Dean at Atlantic Cape has expressed interest in joining on behalf of Atlantic Cape; Rutgers confirmed that they will join too
 - Action Item: Cecilia Colbeth requests \$500 travel grant to attend 2019 NWSA conference, especially NWSA pre-conference - APPROVED
 - backgrounder: the travel grant history :: began to support new chairs/directors to attend the PAD conference at NWSA because they were not getting institutional support
5. June Retreat Approval of Minutes/Notes Review
6. Summer Internship Report
 - Internship variation - 120 hrs at Rider (3 credits) -- 190 hours at Drew (4 credits)
 - Discussion about # of hours that are appropriate for Internship Award
 - Committee decides 90 hrs is appropriate
 - Wording: set a reasonable floor for Internship Award but also say students must also meet required hours for their home institution to earn the credit
 - Discussion about date -- deadline for application April 15; decision & made by April 30
 - promote a lot at NJWGSC Colloquium
7. Speaker's Bureau + Seeking Collaboration on Guest Speakers (Erica and Jennifer will do this)
 - could use the Google Group to send out ideas of people we want to bring to build out to be a larger NJ Speaker's bureau
 - also include names of people who are willing to be external reviewers
8. Spring Workshop Planning
 - February 7th @ NJCU - Jennifer is pushing for free parking & Georgian Court will be the back-up; then Drew will be the next option; February 14 as the snow date

student group proposes hosting a student panel on activism across campuses

9. 2019 Colloquium Discussion/Planning

March 27 Colloquium @ Drew University in University Center

topic ideas? climate change; anniversary of women's vote; social media & activism

Wendy says the Drew administrator will organize the student submissions for the reading committee if she has access to the gmail account; submissions will now go to the universal gmail

Deadline for February 1 for Student Colloquium submissions (hard deadline of February 7); can use the same flyer just modify for place/date - Wendy will revise the flyer possible student tabling too

10. Summer Retreat June 19, 2020: 10:30-1:30

Deb will host us at Stockton - there will be food & hotel information will be made available possible dorm space if we invite students to the summer retreat

11. Student Activists Rejoin at 12:30 / Brief Report / Lunch

conundrum: difficult to plan events across campus

proposal: a panel discussion on student discussion & leadership on college campuses will be co-produced by Spring host institution and open to people on that campus -- especially of interest to feminist clubs, LGBTQ+ clubs planning will happen via Group.Me

12. Other Business

*set up a centralized gmail - Jennifer will set it up

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