

UWPA General Assembly Notes

Mon, September 9, 2019 (4pm): Loew 310

Attending	Unknown if Attending	Cannot Attend
Karla-Luise Herpoldt Julie Rebecca Alexis Kim Anna		Anzela Niraula

Time: 4:05p

1. Newsletter

- a. Publication highlight?
- b. Any known awards/grants/jobs/PD to highlight?
- c. Google Doc of questions to have people highlighted for new careers included below. *Additions?*
 - i. Please send out questions to anyone you know and we can stockpile them for slow release! We're out of interviews! Need more!
- d. PD to follow on twitter- volunteers? **Joe Finlon** @praytell16 & **Diego Calderon** @diegoisworking
- e. Alice Ly at Alexandria Launch Labs sent a blurb to Rebecca; it's in mailchimp
- f. Postdoc appreciation week events

2. Postdoc Appreciation Week – maybe email every day next week

- a. **Monday – Happy Hour – Andrew is hosting**
- b. **Wednesday – Coffee Morning**
- c. **Wednesday – OPA Orientation (UWPA will be there with slides) + reception**
- d. **Thursday – PDA event (happy hour at Fremont brewing)**
- e. **Friday - Symposium**

3. Budget

- a. Is it time to request support again from SOM? Yes. Rebecca has been editing letter.

4. Research symposium

- a. Friday, September 20, 12pm-6pm at South Campus Center Room 316, chairs for 120 classroom style. Al Basha catering ordered; enough for ~50 people.
- b. Have 19 abstracts under consideration for talks – make clear in email to people giving talks that we'll have a PC laptop (Rebecca's) but if you have a mac bring your own & adapter.
- c. Keynote search: not have one this year
- d. Fliers for posting?
- e. Need to make a list of supplies for Costco run
- f. Coffee during break (need to order from rotunda 72hrs in advance) – Rebecca
- g. Someone from Pramila's office will be coming
- h. If you or lab mate have poster already made – please encourage people to come!

5. Union updates

- a. General mtg on 25th

6. Updates from postdoc diversity alliance

- a. Diversity Alliance social event on Thursday Sept 19 @ Fremont Brewing; followed by a field trip to Bainbridge Island on Sat Sept 28 with further details to follow
- b. We would like to suggest that the UWPA develop a diversity statement. TK will be coming to the next UWPA meeting to talk about this.

7. AOB

- a. Budget: \$3524.78

8. Next meeting

- b. Date: Monday, October 7, 9-10AM Loew 310.