UWPA General Assembly Notes

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

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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
da. General mtg on 25\textsuperscript{th}

6. Updates from postdoc diversity alliance
da. 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
da. Budget: $3524.78

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