

WiGS organizational meeting

6 July 2011 10:00 am - 10:30 am, Foege S-448

Members in attendance: Leslie Emery (emeryl@uw.edu), Tanya Grancharova (tgranchar@uw.edu), and Jenny Andrie (jmwagner@uw.edu)

Recorded by Leslie Emery

- Event coordinating responsibilities/issues
 - Melody tried emailing Bob. He told her to talk to Nancy, since she didn't know there was an issue.
 - Melody is going to contact Nancy to schedule a meeting.
- Next year's budget
 - Melody will check with Nancy to see when this is due.
- Annual summer BBQ is Sunday, July 10th (soon!)
 - Leslie will email Melody and Genn to see if they need any help with food or other arrangements.
 - Melody will send out another email asking for RSVPs since not many have answered so far.
- Speakers for the upcoming academic year
 - GS Seminar
 - Suggestions: Rachel Whittaker, Rachel Brem
 - Leslie will send out an email asking for more suggestions
 - Anyone who volunteers to host the speaker can pick their favorite from the list of suggestions
 - An invitation needs to go out in the next two weeks
 - Combi Seminar
 - Leslie will send out an email asking for more suggestions
 - Anyone who volunteers to host the speaker can pick their favorite from the list of suggestions
 - We still need to find out who's organizing the combi seminars and talk to them about scheduling our chosen speaker
 - Alumna, Policy, and Alternative Career speakers
 - put on hold until after we talk with Nancy about administrative issues.
- Informal talk about poster presentations
 - Leslie will try to plan this for July
 - Ask prior retreat poster judges to lead discussion
- July brown bag lunch
 - Thursday, July 14th at Noon in Vista Cafe
 - Leslie will send out email reminders
- Portage Bay Cafe brunch
 - Leslie will send out a Doodle poll about availability for this in the last week of July.
 - We'll plan to have this in August.
- NWABR CURE high school student visit
 - Visit went well despite last-minute delays.
 - Leslie has already received a thank you email from the NWABR organizer.