

WiGS Organizational Meeting
4 April 2012 from 2:30-3:30 PM in Foege S-448
Recorded by Gennifer Merrihew

Members in attendance: Leslie Emery (emeryl@uw.edu), Tanya Grancharova (tgranch@uw.edu), Jen McCreight (jmccreig@uw.edu), Gennifer Merrihew (genn@uw.edu) and Melody Rynerson Palmer (mryner@uw.edu)

- I. Policy seminar
 - a. Leslie invited Laura Meyers to talk about Equal Pay Day
 - i. Thursday, April 19th 2 PM
 - ii. Organizing an informal Thai dinner in Foege - exact location TBD
- II. Brown bag lunches changed to monthly brunch or lunch
 - a. March was Portage Bay Café
 - i. Too early for some people ☺
 - b. Leslie will send out Doodle poll to pick a day in April for us to catch up while eating yummy food at a later time and different place
 - i. Jenn mentioned Nook as a possibility
<http://www.nook206.com/>
- III. Upcoming social events
 - a. The first game night was a success but most people arrived later
 - i. Propose to have next night on a Friday around 7PM
 - b. Have event every quarter - next event time and place TBD
- IV. Spring quarter lunch discussion
 - a. Leslie organizing a discussion about applying for post-doc positions
 - b. Potential panelists: Max Boeck, Renee George, Stan Fields, Santhosh Girirajan, Oliver Zill, Jennifer (Piper) Below, Danielle Swaney