

Meeting Notes 2022-02-02

1:00 pm –2:00 pm Zoom

Present: Mak Saito, Sheri White, Kathi Benjamin, Mike Brosnahan, Logan Tegler, Jess Kozik, Hannah Mark, Anna Michel, Natalie Nevárez, Dina Pandya, Logan Tegler, Chris Land

Introduction of new Post-Doc Association member – Hannah Mark (G&G; former JP student).

Website updated with new minutes, and new members.

Ogletree Survey

- Extending survey to next Wednesday, currently at 35%
- One-on-one interviews off-campus or via Zoom (with 10% of the Institution at museum for off-campus)
 - Suggestions for interviewees can be passed on to WCC co-chairs
 - A charge code will be provided to participate in the interview/survey

CommuniTeas

TOPICS

- Land Acknowledgement – tie in with other activities/events
 - Build on MBL event
 - Recognizing correct field site names, ocean and arctic sites
 - How to collaborate with local communities, design collaborations
 - Maybe do in summer to align with other events
- Revisit previous topics? Allyship?
- Building Community – remote work, living further from Woods Hole
 - Tie into upcoming announcement(s) and survey results?
- Pandemics/endemics/resiliency
- Orientation, what would be helpful to know starting out at WHOI...
 - HR does orientation, info on website (<https://www.who.edu/HR/page.do?pid=14331>)
 - CDEI working group on staff recruitment, resource page, places to live near Woods Hole. Video on funding model at WHOI.
 - Housing is a big challenge right now, especially for young people.
 - Carpooling could work for people

DATES

- Spring – April (avoid Patriot's Day week – school vacation, Falmouth™ on April 4th)
 - Building Community
- Summer – TBD
 - Land Acknowledgement & Indigenous Science
- Fall – TBD

Other WCC efforts going forward

- Add more programming – talks or other things
- Affinity Groups/ERGs
 - Some exist informally on WHOI JEDI Slack space
 - Can WCC host a web page about them?
 - Include link on WHOI committees page?

Questions about how anonymous reporting is handled

- Ethicspoint goes to Kathi Benjamin and Chris Land anonymously
- Reporting comes in via Ethicspoint, and emails/texts to Kathi, etc.

Room Naming Committee update

- Finishing up displays for Mary Sears and Betty Bunce rooms
- Then getting back to Bio and a common space (aiming for 2 rooms a year)