President's Commission on the Status of Women
Minutes
09/12/17

Submitted by: Mary Beth Ray

PCS&W Members Present: Chantalle Forgues, Wendy Palmquist, Mary Beth Ray, Jessica Dutille, Katie Herzig, Alice Staples

Introduction:
Jess: Introduction, Welcome, and Reflection on the year ahead
Chantalle: Suggests gathering info from students for the first mission point of identifying special concerns and issues for women at PSU
Jess: Housing options for students with children? Wendy mentions new head of housing. Jess is going to send original letter to Amanda the new housing head.
Katie: Issues of balance and also issues of diversity; Katie will let us know if we can help out with anything on the diversity task force

Yammer Discussion:
Alice: LGBTQ Yammer
https://www.yammer.com/plymouth.edu/#/threads/show?threadId=944378324
PSU Score/Report Card;

Work Groups:
Planning work groups for the academic year:
Chantalle: Collecting student concerns and issues
Jess, Mary Beth, & Katie: NH Young Women’s Conference
Kalikow Awards: Wendy & Alice
Potential Work Group: Housing Issue

PCSW Involvement:
Chair: Jess please asks for a co-chair for this coming academic year. Interested parties please step up and reach out to Jess.
Work Groups: If interested please contact one of the members of the above listed work groups.

NH Young Women’s Conference:
Nov 4th 9am-2pm
Booking Lamson (4 rooms) and Heritage from 8:30am-3:00pm
We are waiting for confirmation
Work group meeting Sept 19th 12:30-1:30 in Psych Lab/Hyde