

Presidents Commission on the Status of Women Meeting

Tuesday, May 8, 2018

12:30-1:30 pm, Lamson Tower Room

Meeting Minutes

Attendance: Casey Krafton, Wendy Palmquist, Jessica Dutille, Alice Staples, Rachel Grotheer, Ann Jung Mathews, Mary Beth Ray

1. *General campus brainstorming*: Can we partner with SAVE ALL, or Women's Studies Council for an event in the future academic year; Very general discussion and reflection;
2. *NH Young Women's Conference Planning*
 - a. Where? HUB v. Merrill Place discussion; Leaning towards HAGE room and the HUB because the students like being in the student center and there's an intimacy to the space that Merrill lacks;
 - i. Rooms: 118, 119, Hage, 123, 109; Book the entire second level; Tower Room; Is there a workshop we might use the Courtroom for?
 - b. Additional Workshops to add variety for multiple year attendees? Make sure to stagger new workshops with old workshops
 - i. Disabilities Workshop suggested by Rachel; Diversity workshop in partnership with PRIDE?;
 - ii. Angie (Lafond) stories, storytelling, friendship bracelets
 - iii. Ann suggests women in non-traditional roles/ Operations Manager – The question of “What Could you Be?” Breaking the mold; Ann volunteers to work on this workshop committee:
 - iv. Jessica suggest Biederman; Area Dentist?
 - v. Mary Beth will reach out to WSC to see if there are any workshop ideas or if anyone might partner on the “What could you be?” workshop idea
 - vi. Rachel will reach out to Linda Birx to see if she has any interest in getting involved with the commission and/or the conference (panel: What could you be?)
 - c. When? TBA