

Minutes
LGBT Task Force Meeting
October 14, 2009
UC262 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

The following individuals were in attendance: Kyle Naff, Laura Steigerwald, Eric Barber, Kim Simes, Chris Hollar, Gwen Herring, Leah Thyne, Amanda Helm, Stephen Jansen, Ken Kohberger, Kathy Mather, Harlan Smith, Lauren Smith, Ian Vaver, Dan Colleran.

◆ **Minutes**

Any items to add/edit - *None*

◆ **Updates**

Kim and Eric met with Chancellor on Accomplishment/Goals. For now remove Annual Summary-Accomplishment/Goals from each month's agenda and put in as needed.

Funding for fliers, brochures was discussed with Chancellor and he will respond the week of Oct. 26 with any available money.

Women Studies Conference information is on the website: (<http://www.uww.edu/conteduc/camps/wsc/form.php>) More proposals are needed by Oct. 23 when the planning committee will review and decide on proposals. The individuals giving keynote addresses are set up. The women's wheelchair basketball team is coming and the committee is looking for an art opening and display. There will be lots of food. If anyone wants to attend and feels the fees are too high, they can volunteer to help out and receive a discount or possible free admission.

LGBT is competing with the Young Auditorium for Grant Funding. Ken will check with Ben to see if other funding may be available.

Eric said Kumpaty has been approached to take Edrick's place on the Task Force. There are a few other spots which could be filled. Suggestions of faculty who may be a good fit are welcome.

Safe Zone Training Locations – *Melissa will add the training dates to the campus events calendar. Training schedule is as follows:*

- *Oct. 28, 12:30 p.m., UC 264, Eric and Melissa will facilitate*
- *Oct. 28 6:00-7:00 p.m. Impact Safe Zone training (location TBD), Chris can tentatively assist Kyle (if anyone else is available let Chris/Kyle know)*
- *Dec. 3, 1:30 p.m., UC 264, Chris and another volunteer*

Complete and encourage others to complete the Climate Survey

Kim and Eric talked to Chancellor on naming a room after PB. He asked who made the decision on the name and how it is determined. He will look into it more.

Transgender issues were discussed with Chancellor. He was very positive and talked in detail about possible solutions ideas. Committee brainstormed and discussed issues/ideas. Continue thinking about this for future discussion.

◆ **New Business** – Stop Hate webinar is being held Nov. 3, 12:00-2:00 p.m., UC 259B. Everyone is encouraged and welcome to attend.

◆ Continue forward in brainstorming Transgender issues

◆ Inclusive Homecoming-what does it mean and what can happen?

◆ **Next Meeting - November 11, 2009 - UC262 - 1 p.m. – 2 p.m.**