1996

H&H Committee Mid February Meeting Agenda

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Hi everyone! Here is the agenda for our next H&H meeting as well as the minutes for the last H&H meeting. If you can please print them out for yourself and bring them to the meeting.

Thanks, Bill

AGENDA FOR H&H MEETING, FRI FEB 16, 12 NOON IN MEMORIAL UNION 202.

1. Approval of minutes.
2. Update on Symposium -- Gary
3. Update on Joan Nestle? -- Dana
4. Reports from subcommittees: -- education subcommittee? -- harassment subcommittee?
5. Other H&H projects: -- briefing on same gender marriage. -- Should we create a subcommittee on transgender issues? -- Should we consider ways to connect with High Schools? -- Should we create a subcommittee to create a video resource library?
6. Other business?

MINUTES for the Committee to Eliminate Homophobia and Heterosexism
Friday, February 2, 1996


2. Minutes for the January 19, 1996 meeting were approved.

5. Report from the Video Subcommittee. The subcommittee recommended, and the full Committee approved, a motion to designate this subcommittee an Education-subcommittee, of which the video project would be but a small part. It was suggested that the Rutgers video be used as an interim. Bill wondered what the advantage our own video, over the Rutgers video, would be. Jacque offered that our own video would portray our faculty, our students, and our bulldings. Andrew said that the Rutgers video was the only one of its kind, that he was aware of. He also mentioned that we are planning on taping the roundtable discussions from the symposium with the hope of making it available as an alternate education video. Jacque passed around an article dealing with heterosexist bias in research. The committee recommended that the subcommittee present the article to the IRB, with the intent that the IRB follow recommendations as part of its standard practices.

4. Subcommittee on Harassment Issues. Holly is the chair. The subcommittee is currently looking at current reporting practices. During the next meeting, they will be looking at the existing policy on this campus.

5. Update on brochure. Gary sent around a semi-final draft for review. He asked that people having last minute comments get them to him as soon as possible. It was discussed about printing the brochure in color, and who would pay. Al Anderson is to check on prices for various options. We decided that the Safe Zone Sticker would make a nice emblem on the cover, and it would look better in color. Andrew suggested that we find other ways to fund the brochure instead of from student group program moneys.

6. Update on Symposium. We have raise $2500 dollars to date for Barbara Smith's visit. The subcommittee is planning on meeting after the meeting to discuss plans. We are still looking for undergraduate group cosponsorship. Al Lott asked about the Army video for the symposium. It was suggested that Bob Fulghum might speak along with the video, do a presentation about gays in the military. Another suggestion was to add a roundtable on the Freedom to Marry issue.

7. The GLBA representative (Al Anderson) stated that the GLBA had not yet had an opportunity to vote on the transgender issue, but that it would be raised again at a future meeting. Al did not think it would be a problem, though.

8. The meeting adjourned at 12:55pm. The next meeting is noon, Friday, February 9, 1996, Room 202 of the Memorial Union.

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"There are more things in heaven and earth, Horatio, than are dreamt of in your philosophy."
Subcommittee on Discrimination
and Harassment:

Statement of Purpose

This subcommittee is charged with the
responsibility to educate itself and the
larger campus community about the
procedures for filing complaints and to
serve as advocates for victims of
discrimination and harassment based on
sexual orientation. This advocacy includes
both emotional and procedural support.
Attendees
2/16/96

Michelle Hella
Aaron Howard
Heesy Riches
Brian Cantone
Kelly Kochis
Amy Black
Craig Burkhalter
Cara Pickering
Andrew Siwens
Adria Evans
Dana Shugar
Jacqueline Washkwich
Albert M. Anderson
Les Buddy
Bill Bartell
Educate Subcommittee
IBB incorp guidelines for Pet. Iron - acts better
Sent to IRB

Assessment
Statement of Purpose handed out
26 Feb. agent with Salon 3: 7pm
Group 6:45 to discuss harassment in context of Kelleys Research

Other Projects:
1. From Aaron: Dreamworlds - portrayal of television in TV work to offer to have
   through Contact Educate Subcommittee
Women's Study own the video

6. FSS group meet on 4/28

3. Fam. Cold Marriage
   Multinational a brochure
   Feb 26 - Meet @ Brown - Speech from GLAD
   Will be there to speak 7:30 location TBD
   They are looking for endorsement from as many
   as possible
   Vote Yale for endorsement - Unanimous
Minutes 2/16/93


2. Announcements
   Rally: 508-234-6763
   Methods: Childcare Feb 24/25 Park Plaza near Main St. For info call: 617-262-6929
   There are scholarships available
   Email: outwrite@bsef.ternarot.com

3. Symposium Subcommittee

4. Introduction

5. Apr 4, 7:30 Quin Hall
   History: Mummy Dance, Procession w/jogger"
1. Transgender Issues: What do we do now?

2. Personal Resources: Student Resource Center
   - FAST article of Student Magazine (Adviser) no. TG
   - Article Adviser enjoys receiving and files

3. High School Outreach
   - Chris Judge - can stuff go on with H.S.
   - Need a response for H.S. needed
   - Sexual Orientation/Religious Harassment

Dan H. S. approved by you should we continue.
  Intervene, the situation?
Andrew, Pamela

Video resource library:
  Who will do this? Jacques could
  An educational committee? Possible resources

July 12, 1993