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Subject: Agenda & Minutes

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

1. Attendance: Bill Bartels, Holly Nichols, Amy Black, Dana Shugar, Albert Anderson, Jacque Lynne Washkwich, Andrew Winters, Al Lott, Carla Pickering, Bill Bartels, Mathilda Hills, Gary Burkholder.
2. Minutes for the January 19, 1996 meeting were approved.
3. 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, vice the Rutgers video, would be. Jacque offered that our own video would portray our faculty, our students, and our buildings. 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 practice.

4. Subcommittee on Harrassment 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 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:

2-16-96

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.

Alford
2/16/96

McKiddie Hills

Aaron Howard

Hooley Nichols

Brian Carbone

Kelly Kochis

Amy Black

Gary Burkholder

Carla Pickering

Aaron Wilson

Adria Evans

Dana Shugar

Jacquelynn Washburn

Albert M Anderson

Lois Cuddy

Bill Bartel

Educator Subcommittee

IRB incorp guidelines for Det. Brown - act's letter sent to IRB

Harassment

Statement of Purpose handed out
26 Feb - appt with Salon 3:00pm
Go to GLBT to discuss harassment in context of Kelly's research

Other projects

a. From Aaron - "Dreamworlds" - portrayal of heterosexism in TV. want to offer to have at show again. Contact Educator Subcommittee Women's Study owns the video

b. FSS group meetg on for 4:30

c. Sam. Gender Marriage

But circulated a brochure

Feb 26 - Meetg @ Brown. → speaker from GLAAD

will be there to speak 7:30 location TBA

they are looking for endorsement from as many groups as possible

Vote taken for endorsement - Unanimous.

Minutes 2/12/96

Apr 2
7:30

1. Approval of Minutes

2. Announcements

Wally: 508-234-6763

Mathews: Outwrite Feb 24/25 Park Plaza near
Alvington Street. For info call: 617-262-6969
There are scholarships available

email: outwrite@bset.ferret.com

3. Symposium
Subcommittee

4. Introduction

5 Apr 4 7:30 Quinn Hall

History, Memory & Desire, Discussion w/ Joe
Neele

6. Brochure. At-give price quote

Proceed on numbers

GLBA will fund - Bryan will take to Kenko

500 copies

We will sign at next meeting.

Holly will prepare draft of endorsement

4. Transgender Issues: What do we demand?

Personal Resources to educate ourselves

Last article of Esquire Magazine (Adrienne) has TG article Adrienne will copy & send to Phil

5. High School Outreach

① Chris Judge - has stuff going on with H.S.

Jacque Can we be resource for H.S. needs w/ or sexual orientation harassment & discrimination

Don't H.S. approach us, yes. Should we outreach intervene, she is asking

Andrew Panels

Video resource library

They have space - who will do this? Jacque will do

at in education subcommittee: Possible resource suggestions

July 12:53