

CUPPA Alumni Association
Board Meeting Minutes
January 23, 2007
412 South Peoria, Room 110
6-7:30 p.m.

Present:

Norm West, Elvira Reyes, Peggy Laemle, Matt Hickey, Audrey Wennink, Courtney Owen, Stephan Bitter, Eve Ali Boles, Abraham Deletioglu, Lee Deuben, Anne Fuller, Tara Childs, Helene Berlin, Andrea Traudt, David Kralik, Fitzgerald Scott, Kirby Burkholder, Bob Rice. Staff Members: Jodi White Jones, David Morley.

Welcome and Introductions: Bob Rice

Approval of Minutes of 9.26.06: Provisional approval. Bring copies to next board meeting.

Officer Vacancies: Bob Rice to President following the departure and resignation of Carrie Makarewicz who moves to Immediate Past President, Helene Berlin to Vice President, Anne Fuller and Steve Bitter to Co-secretary.

Committee Reports:

Professional Development – Kirby Burkholder: Update on Speaker Series Events on Jan. 30 and others to be announced. CUPPAAA role in Day at UIC under investigation. Matt Hickey, Eve Ali Boles, and Courtney Owen volunteer to assist on organizing effort.

Special Events – Audrey Wennink: Recap of holiday party a success. Check City calendar for setting next year's date. Jack's tap good location. Do hard copy mailer to area alums. Summer event discussion = possible walk in Oak Park or Hyde Park, canoeing event, segway tour under consideration.

Membership and Marketing – Tara Childs: Distribution of SSS flyers for first event. Investigating calling alumni to join association.

Student and Alumni Connections – Helene Berlin: Class speakers for spring ready. Resume and portfolio review date being established in conjunction with program internship fairs.

Financial Report: Peg Laemle. See attached.

Wiki Tutorial: David Morley

Next Meeting: March 20, 2007

Adjournment: 7:45 p.m.