

CCSLGBTI Meeting Minutes from 6/7/06

We met in the Piano Room of TBH, a spectacular location that we discussed using for either the kick off or year-end event for 2006-2007.

1. We looked over the list of nominees for next year's committee and added a few oversights.
2. This past semester, we started a project to ask our friends at the university to contribute to the scholarship fund via payroll deduction, making it easy on them. The mailing was never sent out, however. Jacob Mueller wrote a letter to send to the potential donors, about which he asked for some feedback before it is sent. We decided to do two mailings of the letter and payroll deduction form, one in June and one in October (to coincide with National Coming Out Day and Gay History Month).
3. We discussed creating official letterhead for the committee.
4. Stacey would like to aim for October as an unveiling date for the completed strategic plan. We can revisit the document yearly to determine goals for each year.
5. Stacey brought up the idea of having Curriculum/Pedagogy Sharing events. This would entail professors' trading syllabi, and advising each other on ways to include more material on their respective areas of interest/expertise. For instance, Stacey could suggest ways to incorporate LGBTQ material to others, who could advise her on sources for material on Asian-Americans, persons with disabilities, etc. This could happen in pairs or at one large event with many perspectives represented.
6. We discussed the future of the Committee structure. We agreed on four sub-committees: Communications, Education & Outreach, Fundraising, and Policy & Advocacy. Each of the sub-committees will be affiliated with one or more of the big goals of the strategic plan. We can continue to discuss the specific break down of sub-committees at future summer meetings.
7. We discussed having the entire Chancellor's Committee meet once a month during the summer and school year, and asking each sub-committee to also meet once a month (or more if needed) during the school year. We tentatively set aside the second Wednesday of each month at 3:00 for the all-CC meetings. Since there were only six of us at the meeting, this may not be feasible for the whole committee, so please offer feedback on that meeting time.
8. One of my summer duties is to update the CC website. I would like to ask everyone to take a look at the site and send me your comments on how to improve it. Some updates will be obvious, such as Committee members and meeting times, but any other feedback you have would be great!