

2/20/2018 Meeting Notes

Called to Order by Megan Hutto

Call to order: The meeting was called to order by Megan Hutto at 4:03

Attendance: Megan Hutto, Braden Brown, Erika Bellingham , Saima Hafeez, Jennifer Schechter, Luis Ulloa, Stephanie Evers, Alexandra Lawson, Hanno Beck, Jihye Seong

I Prospies

- a. 6 prospies are visiting; Liz, Braden, Luis, and Jen volunteered to host the prospies.
- b. Brunch at Town at 10:30 during students' visiting week.
- c. Student party: \$250 supported by department
- d. Tentative afternoon activities: visiting Niagara Fall, Cemetery, Elmwood areas
- e. Faculty dinner party at Prof. Lee's place at 6 p.m. on March 9th

II. Happy Hours

- a. Group activity: Anchor bar at 5 p.m. on February, 23rd
The motion was made by Erika and unanimously in favor; the motion carries.
- b. Room Escape Games: Erika will distribute Email for announcement. The event is expected to happen near Spring break.

III. Departmental Citizenship

- a. More participation in departmental activities (reading groups, colloquiums and etc.) is needed among first-year students.
- b. Message from Prof. Fertig regarding funding and departmental citizenship; "the faculty did not make it policy to consider service/citizenship for student evaluation purposes or for funding purposes."

IV. Presenting works/Colloquium

- a. More places where students can present their works are needed.
- b. Stephanie volunteered to take group suggestions to relevant parties

The motion to adjourn by Megan at 4:40; seconded by Ali.

Minutes were taken by Jihye Seong