

Multicultural & Diversity Committee
May 4, 2007
179 KH

Present: Anya Benitez, Laura Brumariu, Jessica Demmings, Brian Hall, Cynthia Khan, Sheethal Reddy, Josefina Grau, Peggy Poling

The meeting began with a discussion of Dr. Hall's visit on April 17th and 18th. Brian conveyed his appreciation to everyone for the help. Brian also expressed a special thank you to Josefina, he inadvertently forgot to mention it in his opening remarks and wanted to convey his apologies.

Updates were given by area:

Jessica reported that 5 people showed up for movie night and that the discussion was long and good. There was some interest expressed in having movie night during the summer. There was also discussion regarding maybe going somewhere to watch movies. Discussion was held regarding the possibility of going to different restaurants for ethnic food or festivals. There were discussions held regarding Parade the Circle at the Case campus.

Cynthia reported that the panel had 10 people attend and half of them were from different ethnic groups. The panel was pretty laid back and informal. There was discussion regarding having break out sessions afterwards. There was also discussion of a need to have follow through with the contact person from Arts and Sciences.

It was discussed that the meetings need to be open to others. Possibly having an open house type of forum.

There were discussions regarding setting up a library of articles for different backgrounds.

Josefina reported that our nominee may not necessarily be accepted each year for the colloquium.

It was discussed that we should continue to search for and try to receive grants.