

IPI Admissions and Advising Committee
Meeting Minutes
February 24, 2016

Members Present: Becky Bailey, Bonnie Eisenberg, Audrey Feiner, Chris Hill-Melton, Karen Sherwood

Members Absent: Nancy Bakalar, Pat Hedegard

Meeting was **called to order** by Chairperson Karen Sherwood at 7:00 pm.

Minutes: Chris moved to approve minutes as written. Karen seconded the motion. Minutes were approved.

Welcoming Committee Report:

- Discussed follow up e-mail responses from the February weekend. One was positive and the other was critical of the group process. The person who was critical has been to another weekend and had a similar response but did come back. Karen knows this person and believes that he will be back again as he does seem interested. She will talk with him about his experience and be sure that he has the chapter from the book on the IPI GAM group philosophy. There were 8 new participants total.
- Karen reported that Georgian is taking the lead for the welcoming at the March weekend.
- Karen would like to find someone to chair this subcommittee. She will explore the options.
- Use of a reporting chart would be helpful so that whoever reports the information to the faculty will have it organized and clear.
- Need to check with Anna to see if the chapter from the GAM Group book is being sent to all new participants.
- Need to be sure that welcoming people are responding to the responses they get from their follow up e-mails. Karen will check to see if/how this is written in the Welcoming Subcommittee document.

Main Document Review: Committee continued to work on our main document, reviewing the section on Advising. See document for changes.

Next Meeting: March 30th at 7:00 pm EST

Submitted by
Chris Hill-Melton