IPI Diversity Comm mtg minutes  11.16.2018

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Agenda
- Approval of Sept mtg mins
- Brown bag lunch at upcoming conf
- Addition to evaluation on Diversity
- April conf ideas?
- Sexuality and gender conf 2019-2020
- Compilations of resources list for IPI curricula

Discussion

- Sept 21, 2018 minutes approved

Brown bag lunch
The announcement at the plenary did not elicit any interest, so far. We seem to be dealing with "an absence not a presence" and therefore we might need to make our presence more notable. The idea of a "brown bag lunch" resurfaced, to be held at the April conf. Director was not favorable to this idea.
PP will ask Director again.

Addition to programs’ evaluation on Diversity
Can another section be added to the conference evaluation (perhaps at the very end) asking for feedback to the div comm? Something like: The Diversity committee is seeking to enhance our community’s learning and understanding of cultural, racial, ethnic, socioeconomic, and gender differences as they unfold in the analytic process. Please make suggestions for specific recommendations in terms of readings, speakers, and topics.
PP will ask Director

Sexuality and gender conf 2019-2020
Committee would like to be involved
PP will ask Director

Compilations of resources list for IPI curricula
PP will start list

Next Mtg Friday Feb, 22, 2019 @ 12:00 noon
Addendum
Conversation with Director
Nov 27, 2018

Brown bag lunch issue
Director’s response:
I have been asked repeatedly not to fill the lunch hour, so we should think about this. Friday is too packed, but if you want to include this on Saturday, that’s okay with me if there’s no better option.

Addition to programs’ evaluation on Diversity
Director’s response:
Yes, I will ask Anna to add this question

Sexuality and gender conf 2019-2020
Director’s response:
Conference is not yet planned other than 1 invited speaker for Saturday—Chris Kraft from Johns Hopkins. I plan to be in touch with Committee. Someone from Committee can co-chair.