SCARLA

The Student College, Academic, and Research Libraries Association at Rutgers University

Meeting Minutes

March 5, 2014

Current Officers

Co-presidents: Jen Hunter & Danny Geary

Vice President: Kristen Mapes, Matt

Bridgeman & Sara Keegan Secretary: Roslyn Grandy Treasurer: Karen Jason Online Student Representative: Open

Webmaster: Kathleen DiGiulio Faculty Adviser: Dr. Marie Radford Librarian Liaison: Laura Palumbo

- Introductions
- Thoughts on title change proposal (Danny)
 - Keep titles as webmaster and secretary
- Call for blog entries (Danny)
 - Anyone can write for the blog. Possible topics: report on a colloquium or other event, internship, national conference, field trip, interview process, etc.
- SCARLA Grant status (Jen)
 - Jen has a meeting this Wednesday to see if our plan to use SCARLA funds for professional development is approved by the dean
 - We're the first group to request something like this, so it's something that may not happen until next semester
- Twitter account status (Jen)
 - We have a Twitter account. It will be part of the responsibilities of the covice presidents. Matt and Elodie have volunteered to help get it started.
- Wiggio overview (Jen)
 - The Wiggio site can be used for communication among the officers as well as a document sharing space
- Upcoming activities
 - Outreach panel (Roslyn)
 - March 25, 6:30-8:15 pm in the faculty lounge
 - 4 awesome speakers lined up
 - We will attempt to broadcast it via Go ToMeeting Kathleen
 - Food help: Elodie

- Set-up help: Sara
- We're seeing if this can be a 502 colloquium alternative event we would have more attendance that way
- Public speaking workshop by Jay Stefanelli (Jen) stay tuned
- o Career fair
 - April 25th 5-8pm
 - Should we have smaller discussions so it's not intimidating?
 - Resume reviews speed-dating style is preferred because more people will see it without awkward waiting around
 - It is up to us to reach out to professionals who will speak at the career fair
- Future meeting dates:
 - April 3 (Thursday)
 - May 7 (Wednesday)
 - o Vice presidents coordinate setup and cleanup for meetings