

DWC Business Meeting II
Friday, November 22, 2013

Meeting Called to order at 7:34am.

I. Opening Welcome

- a. Thanks to outgoing Chair, Amy D'Unger
- b. Welcome to new members
- c. Thanks to Jana Janiski for her commitment to *Feminist Criminology*.
- d. Next year: *Feminist Criminology* Book of the Year Award.

II. Standing Committee Reports

- a. Committee on Committees and Positions (Burgess-Proctor, Blackwell)
 - i. Committee successfully solicited and nominated individuals for Executive Councilor of ASC (Cook & Renzetti).
- b. External Awards Committee (Richards)
 - i. Nominated 6 DWC members for awards.
 - ii. Two members won awards: Cathy Widom (Sutherland Award) and Jody Clay-Warner (Teaching Award).
- c. Internal Awards Committee (Buist, Colanese)
 - i. Nominations were down this year from last year. A total of 7 nominations were submitted in 4 different categories; 3 awards were not given this year.
 - ii. Recommendation: Add pictures to award winners on web page.
- d. Newsletter Committee (D'Unger)
 - i. Newsletter is published quarterly, and is available online.
 - ii. This committee is large, due to the many sections of content that need to be put together.
- e. Outreach Committee (Brightman, Faust)
 - i. Materials have been changed a bit—a smaller flyer was created to replace larger handouts.
 - ii. Changed raffle: all student members can put their name in for the drawing.
 - iii. Committee has been working with 30-for-30 to create materials, such as the stickers available at the outreach table.
 - iv. Names drawn for book raffle.
 - v. Thanks to everyone who sits at the Outreach table.
- f. Special Events Committee (D'Unger, Mallicoat)
 - i. DWC Social was a big success—we sold over 200 tickets, but only 121 people showed up. Extra food was ordered that was not used. Also, we try to cover 50% of the cost with tickets.
 - ii. DWC Breakfasts—also well attended, more food was ordered.
 - iii. Thanks to Jen Colanese for sitting & taking tickets.
- g. Student Affairs Committee (Hartsfield, Waggoner)

- i. Mentors are always needed—please sign up if you are looking for mentorship or to serve as a mentor.
 - h. Student Paper Awards Committee (Gover)
 - i. 2013 Winners Announced
 - ii. 30 papers were submitted, which is 5 more than 2012 and 10 from 2011.
 - iii. 27 graduate papers, 3 graduate papers
 - iv. Award winners were:
 - 1. “The Role of Gender and Risk Perception among police officers”: Yi Ting Chua, Michigan State University.
 - 2. “The Challenges that formerly incarcerated women face”: Georgia Valentine, Occidental College.
 - i. Social Media Committee (DeJong)
 - i. Move Resources from Ga Tech page to Web Page
 - ii. Amy D’Unger authorized an upgrade to increase space
 - iii. To do: Flickr Page
 - iv. Restricted access to members only
 - v. New members: post stories to Facebook, blogging, **LinkedIn**.
 - j. Nominations for DWC Officers Committee (Eigenberg)
 - i. This committee runs the elections, which were sent out electronically.
 - k. Committee on Criminologists Working Outside of Academia (Block)
 - i. Same thing as “Working Group on Criminologists in Non-Academic Careers”
 - ii. Many people have expressed interest & joined the listserv.
 - iii. This group has become very active in ASC.
 - iv. Becky encourages members to join her committee.
 - v. Recommendation:
 - 1. Reserve a room at a future conference to meet as a group
 - 2. Create a panel/roundtable focused on an issue related for this group.
 - l. Committee on Teaching and Pedagogy (Foley, Luther)
 - i. Working on an assignment collection to share with members.

III. 30th Anniversary Celebration Committee (Burgess-Proctor, Sharp)

- a. Speakers:
 - i. Tried to get Sonya Sotomayor
 - ii. Working with Kamala Harris (Attorney General, State of California), but she is up for re-election and may not be available.
 - iii. CONFIRMED Latifah Simon: “Girl Trouble”
 - iv. CONFIRMED Rhodessa Jones: The Medea Project
 - v. Potential: Justice Now
 - vi. Potential: P.J. Banauch
 - vii. Recommendation: Eve Ensler

- viii. Recommendation: Bay Area Women against Rape
- ix. Recommendation: RJOY (Restorative Justice for Oakland Youth)
- b. Special Issue of Feminist Criminology
 - i. 3 accepted papers
 - ii. 4 R&Rs
 - iii. Chris Rasche to write introduction to the special issue
- c. 30-for-30 campaign
 - i. Donate in increments of \$30 to the DWC
 - ii. Last balance: around \$800
 - iii. Potential donation from *Feminist Criminology* (matching) up to \$5,000
 - iv. Please promote as much as possible. Donations can be made “in honor” or “in memory” of someone.
- d. Recognition of DWC member publications—maybe a special page on the web site?
- e. Perhaps we could schedule a pre-conference workshop on qualitative criminology?

IV. New Business

- a. Other new business
 - i. Carrie Buist: special issue of *Critical Criminology* on “Queering Criminology”.
 - ii. Thanks to Kim Cook for taking leadership of the DWC.
- b. Small group discussion
 - i. Canceled due to lack of time.

V. Adjourn

- a. Meeting adjourned at 8:59am.

Respectfully submitted,

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Secretary/Treasurer