

SOGI Caucus Business Meeting Minutes 2018

1. Welcome: Chad McBride
 - a. CSCA 2019 in Omaha!
 - b. Theme: Dialogue
 - i. What are different ways we can plan panels, or create dialogue, to get out of our silos and engage in a different way?
 - ii. How can we talk across different divisions / caucuses?
 - c. Pragmatics:
 - i. Same hotel as 2003 (but it's been renovated!)
 - ii. Airport is downtown w/ free shuttle rides
 - iii. Double Tree Hotel (with cookies!)
 - iv. Unrolling an online submission system! No more emails!
2. Open meeting: Sara Baker-Bailey
 - a. Introductions
 - b. Motion to approve 2017 meeting minutes
 - i. Moved: Nick Lorang (SDSU) - nicholas.lorang@sdstate.edu
 - ii. Second: Tony Adams
 - iii. Vote: unanimous
 - c. 2018 conference overview:
 - i. No changes in program slots
 - ii. Quality of submissions were great
 - iii. Low submissions--how do we increase this?
 - d. Pass out service sign-up sheet (reviewing, chairing, responding)
3. Pass the gavel to Rebecca Johnson
 - a. Elections for Secretary / Vice-Chair Elect
 - b. Nominations:
 - i. Nick Lorang (moved: Tony Adams; seconded: Sara B-B)
 - ii. Vote: unanimous
 - iii. Congrats Nick !
4. Tony Adams for CSCA 2nd Vice President
5. Looking forward to CSCA 2019
 - a. Submissions close early October 2018
 - b. Ideas to solicit submissions:
 - i. Reaching out to faculty & grad students at surrounding colleges & universities
 - ii. Continuing to connect with local organizations & campus centers
 - iii. Tours with local orgs? Team up with other divisions / caucuses for intersectional engagement?
 - iv. Emphasize getting students involved? Reaching out to faculty of capstone courses?
 - v. Can we poach submissions or rank-order target divisions? Or ask other divisions after submissions close to get some of their submissions, or co-sponsor?
 - vi. Q-Study (queer studies listserv based at Rice University)

- vii. Can SOGI push for the CSCA drag show to continue? And for the Exec Director to keep it?
 - c. Paper / panel ideas?
 - i. Intersectional approaches to contemporary social movements (e.g., #MeToo)
 - 1. Could be a good way to connect with new caucus (race, ethnicity, & international)
 - ii. Challenging the perception of "simply gay" being "fine" (not targeted anymore)
 - iii. Representation of SOGI groups? And who is / how they're represented?
 - d. Think carefully about how to "word" the sessions--to attract more people
6. Exec Director Jimmie Manning
 - a. In 2007, the caucus voted to support a journal called 'sexuality & communication.' Exec Director said no.
 - i. T&F said yes... interesting. So Jimmie put the application in, and it sounds optimistic!
 - b. Endowed award for the SOGI caucus
 - i. Endow the top paper award?
 - ii. \$175 with the endowment for top paper & top student paper
 - iii. Money comes from Jimmie, so award named after Jimmie :)
 - iv. Motion to endow the top paper award the "Jimmie Manning top paper award"
 - 1. Moved: Sarah B-B
 - 2. Seconded: Tony Adams
 - 3. Vote: unanimous
 - v. Jimmie will take it to the Exec Council for approval
 - c. Recognizing SOGI voices of resistance (& creation)
 - i. Krista Fair (sp?)
 - ii. Tony Adams?
7. Meeting adjourned!