

**Student Development Working Group Executive Board Meeting
Wednesday, December 1, 2021 at 9:00 AM EST**

Action Items

NEXT MEETING: Dec. 1st 9-10AM EST 3-4PM

All:

- 1.) Create Google Doc: Come up with goals and vision for each committee before next meeting
- 2.) Chair plays around with and comes with feedback to next meeting
- 3.) Set Dates for all meetings this year

Darwin:

- 1.) Create Poll for next meeting
- 2.) Ask Mariah about photos
- 3.) Create Google Spreadsheet with interested parties
- 4.) Ask Mariah about banner for email

Morgan:

- 1.) Draft Template for how to run Town Hall Meetings
 - a.) Format (45 minutes)
 - i.) Catch up from host chapter
- 30 minutes of concerns/issues from that Chapter, open floor style
- o Draft email about Town Hall to Mariah about Student Chapter advisors
- Should we send to them on our own or does Mariah do that?

Brittany:

- 1.) Talk with Audrey about Communications Committee
 - a.) Art and photography committee
 - b.) Member Spotlight

Audrey:

- 1.) Written agreement between SDWG and ECPWG to set aside \$ for Trail Blazer grant
- 2.) Need written confirmation about structure of Trail Blazer grant and where the funding is coming from
 - a.) Is it just us or are we combining funding?
 - b.) Confirm where it is coming from and if a joint initiative get a written agreement
- 3.) Ask Jessica about BioBlitz

Call to Order: [9:20AM EST](#)

Roll Call and Approval of Minutes

- Darwin Mayhew (Chair)
- Audrey Boraski (Secretary)
- Morgan Register (Chair-Elect)

Approval of Meeting Minutes

- Vote to Approve Oct 21st, Oct 24th, Nov 3rd, and Nov 19th Meeting Minutes
- [Past Minutes Approved by all](#)

Chair Report

- Goals for December
 - Start gathering folks for committees
 - [Tap into contacts](#)
 - [Create Google Spreadsheet with interested parties](#)
 - Start pushing to get more social media outreach (open a photo submission sight)
 - [Create a place to gather photos and art for media](#)
 - [Creator, credit, medium](#)
 - [Idea: 1 leader of accounts, asks others to check on when can not](#)
 - Reach out directly to student chapter leadership to increase engagement
- International Joint Committee Update
 - Joint symposium
 - [2-3 hours talking about engagement with students for next conference](#)
 - [Morgan's Student Chapter Blueprint about starting a chapter](#)
 - [Update and include the map Laken made](#)
 - [Contact information](#)
 - [Last year's BioBlitz results](#)
 - Chair-elect and Secretary/Treasurer position opens soon

Officer and Committee Reports

- Chair-elect (Morgan, update Student Chapter BluePrint Committee)
- Treasurer (Brittany, update Communication and Arts Committee)
- Secretary (Audrey, update ECP joint committee and Trailblazer grant)
 - [Liaison](#)
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Old Business

- Town Hall style meetings and better communication
 - Hesitant to start now
 - Revisit idea and try to roll out in Feb.
 - Incorporate into Communications and Arts Committee or all of us?
 - Monthly or Bimonthly Zoom Meetings
 - Draft email about Town Hall to Mariah about Student Chapter advisors
 - Should we send to them on our own or does Mariah do that?
 - Try to get some majority of Student Chapters to run it
 - E.g. X College runs it, the board takes notes and we attend if available
 - Goal
 - Listening to the voice of students chapters, issues they are facing and where are they succeeding
 - Draft Template for how to run Town Hall Meetings
 - Format (45 minutes)
 - Catch up from host chapter
 - 30 minutes of concerns/issues from that Chapter, open floor style
- Getting Committees off the ground
 - Engagement and participants spreadsheet
- Interactive Student Chapter Contact map
 - Need to figure out how Laken made
 - What more do we want to include?
 - art
- BioBlitz Planning (maybe we need a committee for this?)
 - Ask previous Chairs how they went about BioBlitz
- Banner for our emails
 - Design
 - Logo folder
 - Email Mariah specifically what she needs
- Student Geared benefits
 - Policy?
 - Gamification
 - Allow students to participate and be involved
 - Get a benefit out of it later

New Business

- Gearing up for committees
 - Best way to keep track of folks
 - How often should they meet?
 - How would we best communicate with everyone and work in parallel

- Submission spot for art
 - [Call on Social Media](#)
- Learning how to use the “We did it platform”
 - [Chair plays around with and comes with feedback to next meeting](#)
- Slack and Discord

For the Good of the Order

Adjournment:

Ending meeting formality:

Board member 1: "I make a motion to end the meeting" [Morgan](#)

Board member 2: "I second" [Audrey](#)

Chair: "All those in favor" [Darwin](#)

Board members: "Aye"

Chair: "All those opposed"

"..."

Chair: "Abstentions"

"..."

Chair: "Meeting adjourned at XX:XX"

Meeting Adjourned: [10:37AM EST](#)

[Minutes Approved:](#)