

Senate Advisory Committee on Diversity 2018-19 Brief Summary

This year, we started with no charge at all from the Senate. During our first meeting, in September of 2018, we had a lengthy discussion about what tasks our committee could accomplish this year.

There were many ideas discussed and we decided to pursue the following:

We'd like to take on the charge to gather the information together regarding all activities, committees, offices on campus focusing on diversity/equity/inclusion and then make an official proposal to OED of how to organize and present that information on a U of U web page.

We emailed the Academic Senate President, Tom Richmond, to seek approval of our self-appointed charge, and every meeting since then has been focused on achieving this goal, along with brainstorming ways to make this effective. We also had input from OED about the fact that this goal would serve a helpful purpose on campus.

Included in this report is a separate spreadsheet document that contains our list to date. We have two meetings left for this academic year, when we will optimize and edit this list and then by the end of April, we will present the list to OED for them to organize on their website and discuss ways to keep this list, or a list like it, up-to-date. Please keep in mind that the work is not yet done and this list is still a work-in-progress at this point. I will submit a more refined list by the end of the academic year.

Furthermore, it is our belief that this committee is being underutilized. To my knowledge, this committee is a permanent committee for the Senate and its members are dedicated workers who are interested in diversity issues and making a difference on campus. We believe that the Executive Committee should consider giving this committee a standing charge, in addition to short-term other charges that come up from year to year.

SACD spring 2019			
List of Equity and Diversity related Trainings			
Website	Contact Information	SACD member who found this	Description of training
https://inclusive-excellence.utah.edu/intranet/faculty/index.php	Elizabeth Rogers/801.585.5994	Shelley Gabriel	Support to create inclusive classrooms "Workshops on Gender and Sexuality asks participants to explore our personal relationships with (a)gender, (a)sexuality, privilege, and oppression. We attempt to engage our varying levels of (dis)comfort, (un)awareness, and (in)action through interactive activities as well as small and large group discussions to: Explore concepts of Assigned Sex, Gender Identity, Gender Expression, Sexuality, and other identities. Trouble arbitrary binaries wrapped around these identities. Delve into internalized and institutionalized privilege and oppression. Disrupt internalized and institutionalized privilege as we reimagine current, better, and best practices relevant to our specific contexts."
https://lgbt.utah.edu/lgbtrc_programs/workshops.php	Resource Center at 801-587-7973 or e-mail Ray Taylor	Kelly MacArthur	Tu, 1/29 1-3 pm pano East/Union, Please note, the modules must be taken sequentially. Register at https://sadc.utah.edu/
Putting it all Together: Dialoging About Social Justice	Email Olivia Harker (OHarker@sa.utah.edu) to	Michael Gills	Tu, 4.2. 1-3 pm pano East/Union, Please note, the modules must be taken sequentially. Register at https://sadc.utah.edu/
Exploring Self and Others	Email Olivia Harker (OHarker@sa.utah.edu) to	Michael Gills	

Exploring Power, Bias and Values	Email Olivia Harker (OHarker@sa.utah.edu) to	Michael Gills	Wed, 4.24. 10-12 pm CPDC Lib 350 SSB, Please note, the modules must be taken sequentially. Register at https://sadc.utah.edu/
Putting It All Together: Dialoguing About Social Justice	"Thinking with Queer and Trans* Youth about Resistant Socialities and the Infrapolitics of the Street"	Michael Gills	Wed., 4.24. 1-3 pm CPDC lib 350 SSB, Please note, the modules must be taken sequentially. Register at https://sadc.utah.edu/
"Diversity and Social Action" open discussion for college		Anne Cook - EDPS College of Education	January 25, 2019 11:00-12:30
Thinking with Queer and Trans* Youth about Resistant Socialities and the Infrapolitics of the Street	Department of Educational Leadership and Policy	Sharon Aiken-Wisniewski	February 21, 2019
Just Go In Looking Good: The Resistance, Resilience, and Kinship-Building of Trans* College Students"	Department of Educational Leadership and Policy	Sharon Aiken-Wisniewski	02/12/19
Applying Diversity and Inclusion to Strategic Leadership	Department of Educational Leadership and Policy	Jason Taylor	Jan-19
"The Uncomfortable Truth."	Department of Education Culture and Society	Alex Hyres	02/13/19

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List of Equity and Diversity related Workshops			
Website	Contact Information	SACD member who found this	Description of workshop
https://asuu.utah.edu/code	ASUU leaders	Shelley Gabriel	Open dialogue and create consciousness around social justice
		Michael Gills	Managing Generational Diversity . 3.28. 12-1. Natural History Museum. 5th Floor.
Environmental Racism Lecture	801-585-3479, events@law.utah.edu	Michael Gills	1.31. 12-1:30. College of Law Moot Courtroom.
		Michael Gills	POW WOW: In Honor of Missing/Murdered Indigenous Women. Friday, 4.6, 7 p.m.. Saturday 4.7, Noon. Student Union Ballroom (I've been--certainly a diversity training...).
https://diversity.utah.edu/annual-events/	Annual Events Office/Office for Equity and Diversity	Shelley Gabriel	MLK Week - Dialogue around race
https://sadc.utah.edu/events/index.php	Student Affairs Diversity Council	Kelly MacArthur and Michael Gills	ongoing Diversity Seminars in Fall and Spring semesters
https://library.med.utah.edu	Eccles Health Sciences Library/Office of Health Equity and Inclusion	Shelley Gabriel	Community Read - Various Diversity Topics
https://library.med.utah.edu	Eccles Health Sciences Library/Office of Health Equity and Inclusion	Shelley Gabriel	Film Screenings - Various Diversity Topics
https://environment.utah.edu/justice-equity-and-diversity/	Global Change & Sustainability	Shelley Gabriel	Justice, Equity and Diversity Topics
https://diversity.utah.edu/events/	OED (Office of Equity and Diversity)	Kelly MacArthur	calendar of many diversity-related events on campus
LGBTQ Workshops Series	Urban Institute for Teacher Education Mary Burbank		Strategies and related issues for K-16 educators
Special Education and Inclusive Settings	Urban Institute for Teacher Education Mary Burbank		Effective Teaching for K-12 teachers and children with disabilities.