

## **UEC Meeting: Monday, March 20, 2023 – Zoom Call**

In Attendance: Teri Lazar, Kelly Guiffreda, Agnieszka Sorensen, Carl Gagliardi, Christine Nattrass, Hanna Zbroszczyk, Marzia Rosati, Ron Belmont, Zhenyu Ye, Christina Markert, Megan Connors, Roli Esha, Justin Frantz, Raghav Elayavalli, Rosi Reed, Xuan Li

### **Zhenyu**

If you would like to join a working group please let the working group and Kelly G. know.

### **Meetings, Communication, and Outreach (MCO)**

- Does anyone have comments regarding the February 13, 2023 Meeting Minutes
- RHIC/AGS Annual meeting
  - Meeting dates confirmed 8/1 to 8/4 – discuss thesis dates
  - Hybrid mode – not many conference rooms at BNL are set up for Hybrid
  - Workshops – will need to figure out rooms
  - KG will try to get Physics conference room
  - Attendance Pre-Covid
  - Because meeting in August instead of June might change dynamics of the meeting
  - 3 workshops in the AM and 3 workshops in the PM
- Quark Matter Conference
  - Reaching out to organizers
  - Child care/remote connection
  - Emergency child care available.
  - Financial support child care – they are not organizing it. Information is posted on how to find local caregivers not located onsite.

### **Funding, Politics, and Programmatics (FPP):**

#### 2023 Nuclear DC Day

- In person taking place 4/25
- Will have a f/u virtual opportunity.
- Agnieski – can we be notified of this DC day earlier so she can book her time.
  - No, the schedule goes according to the President's Budget Announcement
- Sign up deadline was March 16, now March 25<sup>th</sup>. We need more people.
- Hotels are not being reserved, each person must book their own.
- Rosi – looking into who has not attended within that state and who signed up.
- Kelly will send another email about virtual opportunity.
- Try to obtain list non-gov't email addresses to encourage registration.
- Kelly mentioned BNL released their fleet so there is no van for shuttle service.
- Zhenyu will email the organizer for hotel information.
- Lobbyists and Badging (how names are displayed on badges vs. ID)

### **Quality of Life (QOL)**

#### Onsite living:

- Rosi – Barista in building 400?
- Facility meeting taking place – all questions can be raised there.

### **Diversity**

#### Dorm Policy

- Locked doors – Kathy will follow up

- Gender Neutral forms – should be completed by June 2023
- Remind housing to update form to include (gender request)

Rosi questioned guest badges ending 11/4 when should've been two year appointment. Kathy explained about our procedure at the time these guests were being approved. (Cutback to host training). Procedure is no longer in place.