

## **UEC Meeting: Wednesday, October 18, 2023 – Zoom Call**

In Attendance: Teri Lazar, Kelly Guiffreda, Christina Markert, Hanna Zbroszczyk, Marzia Rosati, Zhenyu Ye, Megan Connors, Krista Smith, Richard Witt, Trista Protzman, Anders Knospe

### **Working Groups**

Funding, Politics and Programmatic (Marzia Rosati – Chair, Richard Witt)

- j Meetings, Communication and Outreach (Anders Knospe - Chair)
- j Quality of Life (Zhenyu Ye - Chair)
- j Diversity (Christine Natrass – Chair, Marzia Rosati)
- j Site Access & Science (Kathleen Nasta – Chair)

Please contact Marzia if you are interested in joining a working group.

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

UEC seeking to present QOL Survey to all Users – see presentation for list of questions.

- Outlined with questions with check boxes, multiple choices and short answer/paragraph
- Marzia – can more than one choice be selected - YES
- Marzia is not sure how she will send out the survey. Meeting with Haiyan and will confirm at that time.
- KG will hit RHIC users list, approval is not required, but courtesy to show Haiyan
- Christina contacted the Chairs with complaints about bed size in dorms.
- KG will check with KN
- Once results of Survey are in – meeting with housing to be scheduled.
- Fee for onsite housing is not published on the website.
- Housing does not give price when reservation is made
- Less than 30 – no pro rate
- Over 30 – it's prorated.
- No solution from last meeting and looking for responses/repairs by next month.

### **Funding, Politics, and Programmatic (FPP)**

Long Range Plan Capitol Hill Day – schedule for Nov 8<sup>th</sup>.

KG sent out email regarding lobbying session. No response. Found out email was held up.

Support is needed for RHIC and EIC

Why does UEC need approvals to send out email

System is not effective.

Megan inquiring if funds are available. Per Haiyan limited funds

This is different from the April Capital Hill Day.

Anders

- Open Forum
- APS DNP
- 4 speaker lined up, Nov 28 – 4:30 to 6:30
- Need to clarify if BNL has funding for food
- Funding comes from Haiyan, KG will check on food and ask Haiyan about the budget.
- Flyer to be generated.
- Anders will work with KG who will contact the design dept with AUM Poster being used.

Next Meeting scheduled for Wednesday, November 15, 2023.