

Rockville Workgroup Meeting 09/28/18

Attendees: Laura Anna, Susan Blumen, Fabian Drain, Sara Kalifa, Angela Lanier, Cynthia Mauris, Carlos Molina, Greg Sember

Agenda:

A. **Introductions**—members introduced themselves and shared a heartwarming or funny moment from the first month of class.

B. Proposal review:

- a. Angela will follow up with Gloria Barron regarding her proposal on effective grading frustrations
- b. Susan will follow up with John Coliton regarding his proposal
- c. Fabian will contact Rebecca Portis regarding her proposal on aging in the professional environment.
- d. Angela will follow up with Rebecca Portis regarding her proposal for critical thinking strategies.
- C. **College wide panel conversation on Mental Health**—Susan gave an update on the panel. The panel will take place Friday, October 5, 2:00-4:00pm in SW 218.
- D. **Review professional day numbers**: Members reviewed the list of professional day workshops and identified which workshops we would like to invite facilitators to present in Rockville.
 - a. Susan and Sara will consider offering their workshops
 - b. Angela will reach out to Dave Fallick to schedule his workshop for the spring.
 - c. Susan will follow up with the security team about the Emergency Preparedness workshop

Other workshop suggestions: Greg suggested a workshop on helping faculty use social media for promotion and sharing of information by departments. The recommendation was to refer to MC Communications for guidelines and contact Stephanie Gallo, MC's contact for social media.

- E. **Teaching Tips:** Put on hold until the next meeting.
- F. **The Hub:** Susan reminded everyone to check out the HUB, MC's virtual space for teaching and learning resources, including materials from past workshops.
- G. **ELITE Information**—no new announcements.