

EAC Minutes
October 1st 2014
4pm-5.30pm

Attendees: Stuart Cooley, Amber Katherine, Melanie Klien, Kaya Foster, Eric Oifer, Alex Schwartz,

Motion to reorder agenda to move EcoFeminism to top of agenda. Katherine seconded. Moved unanimously.

- I. Announcements
 - a. Blackfish: Oct. 11th 2pm
 - b. Sustainability Week: AS funded! Oct. 21st - 25th Please promote widely
 - c. Selby's field trip: Mammoth lakes, Convict lake, Devil's post piles, rainbow falls, red rock national park, alabama hills, June lake

- II. AS Report
 - a. Still working on Food Coop

- III. EcoFeminism conference
 - a. Date: April 26th, Saturday
 - b. Time: 10am-5pm
 - c. Free registration / event
 - d. Capacity: 80 - 120 people
 - e. Following Earth Week (promotions)
 - i. Promotions: service learning, UCLA partnerships, KPFK / KCRW promotions
 - f. Structure: Three panels / presentations, lunch break, resource fair.
Topics include: seed saving, labor rights, toxic chemicals (products), women in green jobs, global citizenship theme: peace in turbulent world.

The role environmental degradation, lack of access to resources, and toxicity plays in the lives of women. Opportunity to help people understand the role of gender and environmental issues. Connection to the social justice aspect of sustainability.

- IV. Greening the Curriculum
 - a. Application Wording:
 - b. Section flag: This section will provide foundations in ecological literacy and help prepare students to live more sustainably.

Sections that achieve this outcome will be flagged in the course syllabus.

Application Questions: Please answer the following questions for review by the Academic Senate Environmental Affairs Committee.

1. Explain how your section achieves the flag outcome?

2. Provide relevant materials supporting the flag request including syllabus, exams, lecture notes, slides and other materials.

- c. Next steps:
 - i. Create the application
 - ii. Pilot with EAC
 - iii. Finalize on Oct. 15th
 - iv. Meet with Guido and Georgia
 - v. Academic Senate agenda as informational item
 - vi. Present to Chairs
 - vii. Roll out to district

- V. Earth Week Keynote Ideas
 - a. Sandra Steingrabber: Raising Elisha
 - b. Allan Green: Kids and toxicity
 - c. Richard Lu
 - d. Debate? GMO

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