

University Honors College Council Micro Retreat

Thursday, August 27, 2020

3:45pm to 5:00pm

Location: Zoom

In Attendance

Present: Nathan Filbert (chair) – University Libraries; Patrick Bondy – LAS Humanities; Roy Myose – Engineering; Douglas Parham – Health Professions; Holger Meyer – LAS Math/Natural Sciences; Elaine Bernstorff – Fine Arts; Samantha Gregus – LAS Social Sciences; Atul Rai – Engineering; Jessi Raburn – Honors Advisor; Kimberly Engber – Honors Dean

Abby Sheahan – Vice Chair; Analisa Bridge – Director of Records; Tyler Stice – Treasurer; Emma Carter – Director of Outreach; Jacquelyn Martinez – Director of Diversity Initiatives; Jadie Chauncey – Director of Recruitment; Jacob Tubach – SGA Senator; Ella Ihrig – SGA Senator; Skylar Russell – Honors LLC RA; Emma Ahrenholtz – WHEAT Student Organization

Meeting Handouts

- College Calendar
- Proposed University Honors College Council meetings 2020-21

Discussion

Your Superpower, Our Superpowers – Break Out Rooms

Small groups discussed individual “superpowers” then each group selected one superpower for the group. A presenter shared with the whole group. Group superpowers:

- Communication
- Problem-Solving
- Stopping Time
- Caring for others

Equity and Empathy Library (Nathan Filbert, faculty council chair)

Purpose

- Disseminate our college goals
- Outreach
- Legacy- Houses select book Senior class proposes and select book/material, etc.

Feedback

- Emma Ahrenholtz – Likes it.
- Ella Ihrig – Could we pull the induction book into that collection?

- Jessi Raburn – Loss if it's located in the library rather than Shocker Hall? Could it rotate out in some way?
- Cali Keith– What qualifies a piece for the collection? How does the selection happen?
- Patrick Bondy– Great idea. Was thinking about the question of where to house. Stimulating to have a library within a corner of the college.

Council Ideas/Initiatives/ Priorities for 2020-21 (council chairs and all members)

- Honors Baccalaureate – increase visibility within college and outside college, recruitment, external/community/employers
- How can we remarket/rebrand overall? Considering new holistic admission
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- Outdoor movie screening of H.G. Wells Invisible Man movie
- Oscar Wilde
- Stephen Crane – The Red Badge of Courage