

## President's Action Committee on Anti-Racism (PACAR) March 15, 2023, 4 – 6 PM

## Minutes

Attendees: A. Cockshutt, M. Fogerty, G. Galimore, C. Morales, O. Nzindukiyimana,

A. Sylliboy, E. Yeo (Co-Chair), L. Delorey (Recording secretary)

Regrets: K. Hanscomb, E. Mulvihill, S. Price, K. Prosper, S. Skinner, R. Upshaw (Co-Chair)

Invited Guest: K. Arthurs

1. E. Yeo called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone at 4:00 PM.

2. The agenda was approved as circulated. Moved: O. Nzindukiyimana.

Seconded: C. Morales

3. The Minutes from February 1, 2023, were approved. Moved: O. Nzindukiyimana.

Seconded: A. Cockshutt

- 4. Business arising from the Minutes.
  - Megan to update on RDI(Rainbow Diversity Institute) project
  - Update on peer mentoring grant
  - Grant proposals under development
  - Communication of PACAR report
- 5. Co-chairs Update
  - Elizabeth updated on the recommendations report and that they require financial support.
  - EDIA peer mentor group have worked hard to roll out the EDIA peer mentoring program.



- Megan gave a report on the events of African Heritage Month. Black student advisors were very successful in the events.
- The RDI is concluding with a tool kit result. Final review in next week and it will be brought back to the PACAR committee for input.
- Action: Megan to bring report to PACAR group for input.
- Jocelyn Gabriel is our Human Rights, Education & Response Advocate
- Hired a PT investigator with an immense background in social justice activism
- Report of racism on campus; at the end of each academic year, we create a report.
- 6. Discussion and editing on the one-page summary.
  - Keri reviewed the draft one-page summary document shared the original document and tracked all the changes to the current document.
  - Roundtable discussion and suggestions were shared, and Kerri will have an updated, edited version to this committee for review.
  - Kerri presented the communications email for review and discussion.

## 7. Next Steps

- As we come to the end of the PACAR terms, we must determine what the next phase will look like, after the launch of the report.
- Elizabeth and Kerri held a roundtable discussion on the PACAR committee moving forward, working groups, support groups, members,
- 8. Next meeting, April 5, 2023
- 9. Meeting adjourned 6:10 PM.



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Amanda Cockshutt, Faculty
Megan Fogerty, Staff
Gord Gallimore, Student
Krista Hanscomb, Staff
Che Morales, Student
Ella Mulvihill, Student
Ornella Nzindukiyimana, Faculty
Shelley Price, Faculty
Kerry Prosper, Indigenous Elder
Sabrina Skinner, Community
Ann Sylliboy, Community
Robert Upshaw, Co-Chair
Elizabeth Yeo, VP Students Co-Chair
Lynne Delorey, Recording Admin