



## Faculty Council LGBTQ+ Committee Meeting

September 12, 2019, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

CU System (6<sup>th</sup> Floor Anschutz Conference Room, 1800 Grant St, Denver, CO 80203) and  
Zoom

<https://www.cu.edu/faculty-council/committees/lesbian-gay-bisexual-transgender-lgbtq-committee>

### MINUTES

**Attending:** Ed Cannon (Co-Chair), Troyann Gentile (Co-Chair), Carey Candrian (AMC), Steven Frost (UCB), Darren Chavez (Academic Affairs), Rian Cheley (Faculty Council)

#### Items Discussed:

##### 1. Committee membership

- We could use 2 faculty from AMC
- We could use 1 faculty from UCD
- We Could use 3 faculty from UCCS
- We could use 1 faculty from Boulder

We discussed how to recruit membership. Carrie will reach out to two of her colleagues at AMC, whom she believes would be interested in serving. Ed will reach out to UCCS to gauge interest.

##### 2. Committee Goals for AY 2019-2020

- **Goal #1: Explore committee membership interest from AMC and UCCS**
- **Goal #2: Reach out to President Kennedy and invite to a meeting in Fall or Spring.**
  - o What do we want as a faculty council committee from that meeting
  - o Rian will reach out for November meeting? (TABLED)
  - o Steven- every campus survey we have conducted indicates negative experiences for LGBTQI students- How do they plan to address those concern?
  - o Carrie- Amount of resistance we are encountering to collect basic demographics at a system level.
  - o Rita- Can Rita give updates on SOGE process/data on clinical sides?

- **Goal #3: Invite Kathy Nesbitt to one of our Fall meetings (VP for employee services)**
  - o Talk with Kathy about new CDO position. Official thank you for Pride support.
  
- **Goal #4: Look at status' of LGBTQ student support services on the campuses (UCD does not have a center for students aside from Auraria)**
  
- **Goal # 5: Pride 2020**
  - o How does this committee want to be involved?
  - o Would prefer for this committee to be a part of a larger system task force/committee to plan Pride. It has become too much for this committee alone to plan/coordinate. Want to have more administration involvement.
  - o How can we get a VP to the event
  - o Get CU's commitment for 2020
  
- **Goal # 6: Explore grant program for committee monies (currently we have \$7,000)**
  - o Criteria for Grant-Grant includes more than one campus in addition to LGBTQ+ research
  
- **Goal # 7: Something Queer Event at Each Campus (contact chancellors or CDO)**
  
- **Goal # 8: What are the needs of each Campus and System in General?**
  - o Who are our FA committee representatives for each campus?

### 3. **Pride Fest – CU sponsorship**

- a. Sub-committee update- Rian reported good volunteer numbers and fund raising from across the system for 2019 Pride. However, would like to see more departmental involvement in the future. For example, OBGYN (UCHEALTH) was sponsor right next to us. How can we unify?

4. **Adjournment:** 3:00 p.m.

5. **Next Meeting:** October 10, 2019 at CU System (6<sup>th</sup> Floor Anschutz Conference Room)