

Arts & Lectures Committee Meeting Minutes

Thursday, April 22, 2021 3:15-5:00 p.m.

Zoom Link

Meeting ID: 946 9354 7573

Committee Members Present: Stephanie Arciero, Joan Barrie, James Blue, Robert Holcomb, Laura Larqué, Stacie Sather, Christopher Woodcock Committee Members Absent: Jake Aharonian, Joanie Dybach, Leon Hsu, Megan Rhodes, Narmeen Nasseem, Athena Weathers

- 1. Committee Co-chair Christopher Woodcock called the meeting to order at 3:18 p.m.
- 2. The Committee reviewed minutes from the 4-8-21 meeting. One correction to be made: Stephanie Arciero did attend the lecture with Michelle DeJohnette and with this correction Joan Barrie makes a motion to approve the minutes, Stephanie Arciero seconded the motion, and approval of the 4-8-21 minutes passed. Robert and Stacie abstain since they were absent from that meeting.
- 3. 2021 Del Monte lecture, Erika Lee, Thursday, May 6, 2021 (email subject from Nick Hill)
 - Here are some updates regarding the Del Monte Lecture, let me know if you any questions.
 - Dr. Lee will speak between 40-45 minutes followed by a 15-20 minute Q & A. Dr. Chong will be the host for the introduction and the Q & A. Dr. Lee was originally going to talk about her book America for Americans: A History of Xenophobia in the United States, however she will now focus on the recent violence attacks directed against Asian-Americans
 - Dr. Lee approved of the promotional poster that Jesse Hillsenrad created for the event.
 - 1:00-1:30 pm Dr. Lee will meet with the APISA group and we will using Lauren Servais Zoom account for this portion of the event
 - The week of the event Dr. Chong and I will meet with Media Services to review everything for the event, and the day of the event we will jump on Zoom prior to the event to make sure everything is working correctly. Kealoha Pisciotta's lecture is to be rescheduled, and a date is unknown.
 - Marian Taylor followed up with Nick Hill, on 4-23-21, to see if the webinar form was submitted
- 4. Proposal Review: Two proposals were submitted. One was from Marco Giordano to discuss Propaganda and the current state of global Fascism and the other was from Tom Chown with a suggestion of having Michael McGinnis come present (Note: both submissions were sent to the committee members by Marian Taylor on 4-22)
 - There was discussion of to extend the open call or to review the two submissions and start from scratch.
 - The fall brings so many uncertainties, the fire season, on-campus, remote presentations via zoom.



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- Chris discusses a prospect that he has been working on for the Agrella Art Gallery, Jamil Hellu, who is a photographer
- Stacie states that the WOLM committee have not voted for the next season
- Robert suggest committee members that are associated with other groups to contact them and see if there is a public person to put forward (there is discussion about opening the deadline, but not clear)
- Joan asks if this is open to the community and Robert clarifies that there needs to be a SRJC sponsor
- Robert suggests that he can approach Leslie Mancillas that was held in the past
- James also suggests a co-sponsor with the Arts department for visiting artists and Chris can start a dialogue with Hannah Skoonberg for prospects
- We are committed to being online for the Fall, for the May 13 we will review the current proposals and Robert will follow-up with Leslie Mancillas and committee members will submit any event that they have.
- 5. The links for the Arts & Lectures presentations were co-sponsored by Women's History Month and the links went to that primary committee. But currently all the links are properly posted on the Arts & Lectures website.
- 6. James also suggests doing zoom presentations for speakers who don't live locally.
- 7. The meeting was adjourned at 3:54 p.m.

Recorded by Marian Taylor