

# November 8, 2019; 2pm-3:30pm, EOP Conf Rm

Zoom Link: <https://ucsb.zoom.us/j/978610923>

Attendees: Quinn, Dwayne, Julio, Stephanie, Betsy, Ryan, Maya, Lal, Mario, Aryn, Craig, Shereen

## Check-in

- Introductions (Name, Pronouns, Department/Major, Favorite Fall Beverage)

## 2018-2019 Accomplishments Memo

- [MEMO: 2018-2019 Accomplishments](#)

## Trans Task Force Agreements

- [TTF Agreements](#)
- Add item about holding self and others accountable

## Sub-committee Updates

- All Gender Restrooms - Dwayne Mosbey
  - Updates
    - Met last week
    - Updates on AI Gender RRs
      - New Map
      - Added new RRs that were not previously listed
      - Differentiated between this committee and AGRR Policy Subcommittee
        - TTF committee focused on user experience of AGRRs
      - Multi-user AGRR Letters of Support sent out
      - AGRR Walks this summer to identify locations to advocate for more AGRRs
      - New multi-user AGRRs coming to SAASB and GGSE
      - \$3000 given by ODEI for costs for signage to convert AGRRs
      - Continuing to identify and change signage on single-user RRs on campus
      - Increased wayfinding needed to help people more easily find the RRs in various buildings
        - Videos, Crowdsourcing
      - Amenities Details (grip bars, elevator, floor) to add to map
      - Create an online map for AGRRs

- Color differentiation between RRs on interactive campus map, but without a key, we do not know what the different colors mean
      - Needs assessment to determine work for this subcommittee
  - Seeking input from group on...
    - AGRR Mirror Clings
      - <https://canva.me/brRHfkFws1>
    - The group liked the toilet paper roll design the most
  - Next Meeting
    - To be scheduled, contact Dwayne to attend
- Communications and Outreach - Quinn Solis
  - Updates
    - Brand new subcommittee
    - Last year: Cultural Programming and Training Subcommittee
    - No updates yet
    - Attempted to schedule a meeting but could not find a common time to meet
  - Seeking input from group on...
    - What should this subcommittee focus on?
      - Quarterly Trans Town Halls
        - What's happening on campus, in departments, res halls, etc.
        - Hope to have the first in Winter Term
      - Help share info from other committees with campus
    - Can evolve and grow depending on the members
  - Next Meeting
    - If you are interested in attending, please email Quinn
- Curriculum Updates - Dr. Lal Zimman
  - Updates
    - Still seeking members for the Curriculum committee
    - Met with Maya and Sam
    - Sending out Google Form survey to departments to see what support they would like from subcommittee - Sam working on draft
      - Department Meetings
      - Syllabus and curriculum work
    - Lal teaching course which is working on determining the climate on campus for trans students/people
      - Classroom environment (misgendering, microaggressions)
      - Major (how trans friendly is it? General, open-ended)
        - How are faculty?
        - TA misgendering
        - Exclusion in the classroom
      - How is trans content covered in QT courses?

- Pronouns (how often check-in are happening? How are students feeling about it?)
      - Misgendering by peers in the classroom
    - Language instruction on campus (are students avoiding language courses due to the gendering of certain languages?)
      - Presentations occurred several years ago
      - Follow-up survey found that instructors were aware of it but did not know how to address it
      - How do we address this grammatical gender in language courses?
        - Next Step: Survey draft from Sam
  - Seeking input from group on...
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  - Next Meeting
    - If you are interested in attending, please email Lal
- Health Equity Initiative - Han Koehle
  - Updates
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  - Seeking input from group on...
    - Items coming up from students who are seeking HRT and gender affirming surgeries
      - What are the out of pocket costs for care?
      - SHIP v. MediCal - more covered by MediCal
      - Refer students to Shereen with these questions
        - Can schedule an appointment to discuss these topics
        - Shereen can support them through the process
      - Providers with SHIP not ideal for students
        - Shereen would like to get feedback from students on the in-network providers
        - Anthem willing to add providers to network
      - Let SHS know about feedback on providers
      - Grants for students to have their out of pocket costs covered for gender affirming surgeries?
  - Next Meeting
    - Email Han if you are interested in attending
- Housing - Julio Maldonado
  - Updates
    - **We met on 11/6**
    - **Flags posted in Lavender Living Community Center**
      - Intersex, Non-Binary, Rainbow Pride, Transgender, Bisexual, Asexual Flags
    - **Mention meeting: Robin, Stephen, Felipe with Quinn and Dwayne**
      - Updates:

- RCSGD staff and RCL staff getting to know each other
- Open to collaboration in the future
- Rainbow House hosting UndocQueer/UndocuTrans training - currently in progress to be scheduled
- Sharing context on the history of work between RCL and RCSGD
- Discussed RCL outcomes and how those might align with RCSGD programming
- Moving to digital marketing for RCSGD events
- Hosting RCSGD events in residence halls

■ **Projects:**

- Gender Inclusive Housing Intake process
  - Streamlining process, so it is not only a conversation between Mario and students
  - Waiting for update to housing assignments system to create more gender options in assigning students
- Gender Inclusive Housing video
  - Shares information about what this housing option entails and how to apply
  - Developing content
  - Seeking student(s) to be featured in the video
  - Will precede the intake process
  - Filmed by Instructional Development
- Restroom signs for single stall restrooms in housing
  - Update signage, so all RRs are all gender
- Mercury will be releasing an update next year to give more flexibility in making room assignments

■ **Do folks have needs for Housing Sub-committee?**

- From Student Subcommittee:
  - Changing signage in restrooms from saying “feminine products” to “menstrual products”
  - Fee waiver for students to stay on campus during breaks due to fraught relationships with families that make it hard to go home
  - Preferred Name in Advocate for use in judicial processes
    - Can it pull preferred name except legal name?
- Review “The Bathroom Policy” in housing contract to revisit the intent of this policy and the language of how it’s written
  - Re-orient to be behavior focused as opposed to gender focused

○ Seeking input from group on...

○ Next Meeting

- Let Julio know if you want to attend the next meeting

- Names and Pronouns in University Systems - Craig Leets
  - Updates
    - This committee spent the summer focused on implementing the pronouns project to integrate pronouns into GOLD, eGrades, and GauchoSpace
    - Craig and Quinn provided 5 in-person and 1 Zoom Pronouns Information Sessions during the Fall term
    - About 6500 students have input their pronouns into GOLD so far
  - Seeking input from group on...
    - Please continue encouraging students who you work with to go into GOLD and submit their pronouns!
  - Next Meeting
    - Friday, November 14, 2019
    - Will discuss timeline for next steps on the pronouns project and will discuss other items re: preferred name
- Student Subcommittee - Aryn Amezcua
  - Updates
    - Discussed which projects they want to work on and what issues on campus can be given to other committees
    - Issues
      - Restrooms - signage to closest AGRR
      - Transphobic content in classes
      - SOC 152A
      - Students experiencing harassment in Isla Vista, possible from students in fraternities
    - Projects
      - Safe Binding
      - Binder Drive
        - Use Google Form to determine what students need re: binders
        - Getting binders donated from GC2B
      - Planning Trans Week of Visibility - starting next quarter
    - Need to recruit for subcommittee, getting a space
  - Seeking input from group on...
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  - Next Meeting
    - If students would like to attend, email Aryn - [trans@sa.ucsb.edu](mailto:trans@sa.ucsb.edu)

## Recruiting New Members

- Possible project for Outreach and Communication Subcommittee

## Student Feedback and Concerns

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## Announcements

- Betsy will share flier for seminar she is attending later this month
- Trans Day of Remembrance - November 20th, 5pm, at the SB Courthouse

## Next Meeting

- Friday, February 21, 2020, 2pm-3:30pm, Orientation Conference Room