**February 21, 2018 – CICPC Minutes**

*Prepared by:* Sarah Monaco

*Present:* Sarah Monaco, Manuel Figueroa, Susan O’Connor, Forrest Link, Ambrose Adegbege, Justin Lewbel, and Felicia Steele

*Absent:* Dionne Hallback

1. Welcomed new student member: Kiana Stockwell
2. Proposals
	1. No new submissions
	2. Discussed potential meeting/information session for faculty/students/staff to learn more about CICPC funding
3. Budget update
4. Conference update from Felicia Steele and Forrest Link
5. 2018-2019 book discussion and assigned readers

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| Book | Author | Readers | Notes |
| Life on Mars: Poems (2011) | Tracy K Smith | Susan, Justin, Felicia, Sarah |  |
| Homegoing: A novel (2016) | Yaa Gyasi | Forest, Manuel, Dionne, Kiana |  |
| Spare Parts: Four undocumented teenagers, one ugly robot and the battle for the American Dream (2014) | Joshua Davis | Forest, Ambrose, Sarah |  |
| Make your home among strangers (2015) | Jennine Capo Crucet | Felicia, Justin, Manuel\* |  |
| Evicted: Poverty and Profit in the American City (2016) | Matthew Desmond | Ambrose, Sarah\*, Kiana, Felicia \*  |  |