

2/3/2021 - CICC

Minutes

1. Approved 12/2/2020 minutes.
2. Proposals approved this academic year:
 - "Racial Injustice and Policing: A Virtual Presentation by Dr. Atiba Goff" in the amount of \$2000.
 - "Student-Run, Student-Produced, Student-Written Play" up to \$2,000.
Paula will find out the remaining funds available. CICC will send out another call for proposals. The students who submitted the student-run proposal had asked CICC if they would help secure vendors to help with their event. CICC does not do this; it just provides the funds. However, Tabitha suggested that Tiffany Youngblood may have names of available vendors. Paula will also reach out to her contact vendors.
3. The fall 2021 theme is "resilience". Judit will draft a summary of the 2021 theme to place on the CICC website (see current website: <https://liberallearning.tcnj.edu/cicc/>)
4. Possible Speakers for Community Day:
Presentation - Panel Presentation
 - Keynote Speaker: Kimberly Noble
https://www.ted.com/speakers/kimberly_noble
 - Kimme Carlos
<https://communitynews.org/2018/03/28/kimme-carlos-urban-mental-health-alliance/>
 - Kemi Alli
<https://henryjaustin.org/teams/dr-kemi-alli/>
 - Carole Keener
<https://nursinghes.tcnj.edu/about/office-of-the-dean/dr-carole-kenner/>
 - Angel Richardson**Speakers for Other events**
 - Greg Grant
 - Trenton Health Team Members
 - Kemi Alali (later in the day)
5. Activity Leading up to Community Day
Student Lead Resilience Activity during welcome week. Snehi will meet up with Dara. She is the Program Director of the grant funded "Am I Okay" (AmIOK) program. Snehi suggested a program that focuses on coping with failure.
6. Discussed the possibility of holding community one week later. There are pros and cons for holding the event a week later. Let's see what speakers are available for either date.
7. Possible books for fall 2022:

CICC should choose the book before the end of this spring semester.

- “Untamed” - Susan, Paula and Snehi do not recommend the book.
 - “Undocumented Immigrants.” She liked the book.
 - “The Soul of an Octopus - Mindi and Judit will read. Paula and Tabitha read the book
 - Tabitha will ask the publishers for copies of “Tell Me Who You are” by Winona Guo and Priya Vulchi. A faculty member recommended this book to Susan.
 - Paula will read “Unforgetting: A Memoir of Family, Migration, Gangs, and Revolution in the Americas”. Lisa Caton, Director of The Center for Mindfulness and Compassion recommended this book. Paula has six copies in her office.
 - Mindi will take a look at “Feline Philosophy: Cats and the Meaning of Life” by John Gray.
8. Next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, March 3, 2021 at 1:30 pm.