

5/3/23 MRIC meeting minutes

In attendance: Sylvia Twersky, Matthew Mizuhara, Jinsil Kim, Tracy Kress, Salika Lawrence, Eva Detroia, Shannon Conklin, John Leonard, Tabitha Dell'Angelo, Dixita Malatesta

The meeting started at 1:35

1. Update from Tracy and John on MUSE awards
2. Feedback on review process
 - a. Sent out z-scores to faculty applicants for feedback
 - b. For next year: perhaps provide example of a good mentoring plan on website
 - c. Some Faculty Process issues (viewing documents)
 - d. Some students missing major specific GPA
3. Discussed desired data/feedback from faculty/students this summer
 - a. Perhaps collect pre- and post- feedback
 - b. Faculty questions: is funding sufficient? How difficult is it to recruit students? How to differentiate learning outcomes for multiple students on same project?
 - c. Student questions: did they have food security?
4. Steps for next year
 - a. Vote for new chair in fall
 - b. Middle States (working group 3) looking for internship information -> MRIC may be in charge of data analysis
 - c. Continue thinking about increasing stipends for MUSE (first meeting agenda)
 - d. Spring 2024 there will be a experiential fair -> after MUSE deadline but could create awareness
 - e. Unpaid internship funding for future discussion
5. Urban Innovation Grant Discussion
 - a. Put together a Google Sheet for collecting data

Adjourned 2:40