Commission on the Status of Women

Teaching Commons, Cline Library

11/13/14

I. Welcome

* President Cheng speaking at the AAUW Luncheon on January 28, 2015
* Woman who is in a domestic violence situation needing help. Contact Victims Witness Services for more information on how to help

II. BB Learn page

* Not much activity going on. Commissioners encouraged to use the interface for sub-committees

III. Anita Hill Film Follow-up

* Film showing was well attended
* Follow-up informal discussion/brown bag event about women in the work place on November 20, 2014 at 1 pm. Venue to be announced

IV. Committees

COACHE

* COACHE results indicate that women said they had too much service
* Benefits- overall satisfaction
* There is need for qualitative data

Gender Parity

* Work disparities between men and women
* Moving up the rank for women
* Are we losing lecturers to other universities?

NAU

* External funding
* Non-tenure cannot apply to the faculty research grant

Bias Committee

* Meeting in a week. Report about the meeting in next CSW meeting

Cultivating Relationships

* LGBT Trans Awareness Week
* Safe Zone training
* Lactation rooms, changing rooms

Childcare

* Need to read about what has been done in the past so as not to duplicate efforts
* There is a 2012 childcare report *NAU Campus Childcare Center*
* To distribute report to CSW

Portree Scholarship

Ideas to raise more money:

* Make baskets and place them at 1899 to sell them
* Hold a party and do a silent auction
* Volunteer time with the Full Circle Thrift for money towards the scholarship
* Do we want to increase the scholarship award? For now it seems like the $500 award is good. CSW can continue to raise more money for the future

Next meeting December 11, 2014