
Campus Reports: LGBTQA Office: - QAZ Leaders: conference: 63 students signed up. 50 confirmed, 13 waitlisted. NAU is presenting five workshops. - 6 events for SafeZone in Jan & Feb. with 109 participants - Campus Climate Survey: IRB approved. Launch early next week, will go out to all grad/under grad students. Will provide needed data on LGBTQIA students experiences on campus. - Rainbow Convocation: May 3, 2-4 Dubois ballroom. Date for planning TBA - Q-Chat, LGBTQ Study Hours Competition - Received STAC Funding for NAU Pride. - Application for LGBTQA Programming GA open Faculty/Staff: - Next Thursday Feb 26, Film Screening of MOSQUITA Y MARI & meet the director. - Community Mentor for the LGBTQA Learning Community position available for next year. - NAU gets to choose the Student Regent this term, be encouraging applications - Diverse Peer Educators DMECCA, looking for 12 students. Programs will roll out in the fall. Info is on the IMS website. Student Org Reps: - PRISM: was gracious enough to donate $1,000 from the proceeds of their drag show to the scholarship fund! Their next drag show is March 26th Community Reports: - Coconino County: HIV testing 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month. New funding sources, if it comes through, free STI testing for one day. HIV Awareness Walk March 8th, South Quad along with testing at NAU Pride. Commission Reports: Matt: New GIH Info cards are available and being distributed. Bias protocol: university legal is reviewing, presented the working website. Next steps involve outreach. Finished by April. CHS Conversations: Monday meeting, presented the agenda. Debriefing of lumberjack article regarding gender neutral restrooms. Marian: Meeting with new EMSA VP Jane Kuhn. Continuing the dialogue regarding gender portion of applications, but is unlikely for now. Planning on a page in PeopleSoft to update gender preference. New CRM vendor for admissions, so it will streamline preferred names. President’s office is funding CHS transgender training this year, EMSA will continue this funding. Marian participating in a walkthrough of Cline to check out a potential restroom. Union restroom to be remodeled early March. Faculty Dev session set for March 9th on framing civility with Dr. Joe Wegwart. Presented the Out & Proud Posters funded by the President’s Office. Katelin: Spring Welcome Tabling went well, LGBTQIA Support Posters presented, Bus Shelters presented. Posters will be distributed. Two fundraisers set: donation night at Taverna’s and rummage sale at NAU Pride. Old Business: - HR updates: affirmation that should same-sex marriage suffer a setback, health/insurance coverage will still be offered following a UA model. HR working on gender change form for employees. ECERT: adding information to be able to speak privately. Revisions on document/form language, aiming for gender neutral. Resources & staff recruitment conversations continue. Aliases or former names for transgender individuals, criminal background checks, cannot make a change at this time. 2014 retropay is coming through W2 - Diversity Awards Nominations/Banquet: Ballots passed out - ID Card Office: Few weeks out yet in prioritizing preferred names on cards. Testing the preferred name in about two weeks. It will default to preferred name unless there is not one. No resolution to cost for new ID card for students. New Business: President Cheng’s Visit! President Cheng is committed to LGBTQIA issues as an integral part of student success, and pledges to demonstrate that through attendance at key events, such as the Rainbow Convocation, as well as through direct remarks. Because we have student services such as the LGBTQIA Office of Resources & Support: inclusion and diversity are ingrained in our campus. President Cheng is supportive of a progressive campus, so long as we are appealing to students from all walks of life and facilitating dialogue across differences, particularly beginning with first years. Next Commission Meeting: Friday, March 13th: 2-3:30 in Gateway Classroom. Next Social: Wednesday, March 25th, 6:30 location TBA Meeting ended at 3:24