RHIC/AGS UEC QOL/DWG August Mtg Update

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Membership Charter Change

Proposal (changes in red:

a. The Executive Committee (UEC) shall consist of 18 20 members, including the Chair, the Chair-Elect, the Past Chair, eleven elected, three elected Student/Post-doctoral, and three appointed members. Members of the UEC shall rotate; each year for three-year terms four new members (one of which is the Chair-elect) shall be elected and three Student/Post-doctoral members shall be elected for one-year terms. Nominations for the elections shall be made by the Nominating Committee. Elections shall precede the Annual Users' Meeting, during which the names of those elected shall be announced.

Each year the current Chair shall can appoint and the UEC shall confirm two up to 3 additional members for one or two-year terms.

The Nominating Committee shall consist of at least three four members appointed by the Executive Committee. The Nominating Committee is charged with preparing a slate of candidates for election of the Chair-elect, and Executive Committee members. The slate should reflect a balance of interests, institutions, and nationalities among active fields of research at the BNL facilities.

Diversity WG Items

- Meeting w/ Diversity Office Next Thursday
 - Respond to my email if you want to be a member of the committee
 - Status: Information Gathering Plan Part 1 ready to be presented to Diversity Office
 - Follow-up on harassment event: There was a harassment event at the AUM, we have reported it to the BNL Diversity Office, actions have been taken, but full unfolding of the incident is not quite complete yet. Report on that next meeting.
- BNL Diversity Workshop Sept 7,8 (Wed + Morning Thurs). Please attend (also see email)
- User Agreement/Info Changes Kathy?
- Other Items Underway/ Todo
 - Follow-up Site Visit reports, New Ideas from AUM Diversity Workshop/Panels
- NEED: Update of Website www.rhicuec.org/diversity.aspx
 - Add links, implicit bias, etc... talked about at the AUM!

Other Follow-up Items: QOL/MC/Last Year

- Schedule visit to meeting with Berndt
 - Lijuan contact Fran?
- Meetings and Communications: the chairs could use help with the blogging/facebook, volunteers