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Academic Events:

1. Grant Writing Workshop
   1. LEAD: Mike Rogers
   2. DATE: September 11, 2019
   3. TIME: 2:30-4:30 p.m.; Room booked for set up and clean up from 2-5 p.m.
   4. LOCATION: TST Jay Boardroom
   5. TO DO:
      1. get back to Dr. Freeman regarding the number of handouts she should provide (around 30 as estimate for cohort size)
      2. More student panelists needed for the event; lack of response from the email David Wagshal sent to the recent SSHRC and OGS winners. Will contact the list of names given to him.
      3. Thank you gifts: [Starbucks gift cards](#Starbucks_Gift_Cards) (Leanne will purchase them; M.J. to donate actual “Thank you cards”).
2. Conference: “Ecumenism: Dialogue and Dialectics”
   1. LEAD: Liam Farrer
   2. DATE: January 16-17, 2020
   3. TIME: Full Day
   4. LOCATION: TST and other colleges
   5. TO DO:
      1. Call for papers to be out next week.
      2. Prayer Service: suggestion was raised for Liam to contact Dr. Sarah Travis
      3. Proposed: Rev. Andrew Wesley to open and close the conference.
      4. Proposed Keynote speaker: Dr. Susan Wood, Dean of Regis College.
         1. She suggested to have the conference during the Week of Christian Unity because of the theme.
            1. The Week of Christian Unity was created by the Friars of Atonement, which is a Catholic Religious Order that two of the proposed panelists are a part of.
      5. Proposed panelists:
         1. Fr. James Loughran, S.A.
         2. Dr. Esther Acolatse
         3. Fr. Robert Langone, S.A.
         4. Dr. Hye-Ran Kim-Cragg
      6. Conference committee and some Board members to contact:
         1. Upstate NY
         2. BTU
         3. Affiliates of TST
         4. Princeton
         5. Yale
         6. Chicago
         7. Milwaukee
         8. Notre Dame
         9. St. Paul’s (Ottawa)
         10. McGill
         11. Martin Luther
         12. McMaster
         13. McDiv.
         14. Huron
         15. Dominican School in Ottawa
         16. Tyndale
         17. UofT departments: Philosophy and Religious Studies
         18. ICS
         19. Atlantic Theological Society
      7. Allison Murray for caterer (treats/snacks).
3. Writing Book Review Workshop
   1. LEAD: Meghan Bowen
   2. DATE: February 26, 2020.
   3. Hands On Deck: Mike Anderson
   4. LOCATION: TST Jay Boardroom
   5. TIME: 3-5 p.m.
      1. TO DO:
         1. Contact (Proposed) Panelists:
            1. Book Review Editor for TJT: Dr. Pam McCarroll
            2. Dr. John Berkman of Regis
            3. Fr. Thomas Worcester of Regis
            4. Dr. Stuart McDonald
         2. Mike Anderson to have a preliminary chat with Amy Panton, current student assistant to the editors of TJT

Career Events:

1. Post-Docs Panel
   1. LEAD: Liam Farrer
   2. DATE: October 9, 2019
   3. TIME: 4-7 p.m.
   4. TO DO:
      1. Liam has contacted Peter O’Hagan, who has been completing a teaching Post-Doc at the undergraduate division of the University of St. Michael’s College. Peter has given some names of other Post-doctoral fellows for Liam to contact for the panel.
      2. Liam to confirm the timing of the event with the presenters.
2. Book and Article Publishing Workshop
   1. LEAD: Mike Rogers
   2. DATE: January 22, 2020
   3. TIME: 3-5 p.m.
   4. LOCATION: TST Jay Boardroom
   5. TO DO:
      1. To contact Book Publishers:
         1. Baylor Press (TST invited them earlier this Spring for a publishing event.)
         2. McGill Press
         3. Orbis Books
         4. Liturgical Sources
      2. To contact Journal Publishers:
         1. TJT – Dr. Ivan Khan; Amy Panton
         2. Logos – Dr. Peter Galadza
      3. Possibly a member of a search committee at any TST college to talk about which types of publications search committees value more than others.
3. Shifting Pedagogy Panel/Workshop
   1. LEAD: Leanne Ketcham
   2. DATE: March 18, 2020
   3. LOCATION: TST Jay Boardroom
   4. TIME: 3-5 p.m.
   5. TO DO:
      1. Contact potential panelists
         1. Dr. Sarah Travis – experience with online teaching since a huge component of the DMin courses are online.
         2. Jason – Leanne and Mike Anderson’s cohort member. Research is on teaching online.

Social Events:

1. Welcome Back BBQ
   1. LEAD: Carolyn Mackie
   2. LOCATION: Wycliffe College Backyard
   3. DATE: September 11, 2019
   4. TIME: 5-9 p.m.
   5. TO DO:
      1. Liam volunteers to grill. Will need assistance though. Carolyn volunteers to help Liam, and will ask for help with the grill from someone at Wycliffe who is familiar with it.
      2. Leanne volunteers to shop for the food:
         1. Burgers: meat and veggie option
         2. Hot Dogs
         3. Salads
         4. Chips
      3. M.J. volunteers to donate compostable eating utensils and plates.
      4. If necessary, Fiona will ask TST if TGSA can borrow their bowls for the salads.
      5. Clean-up crew: M.J. and Carolyn have volunteered to stay back and clean up.
      6. Bring Your Own Beverage
2. [TENTATIVE Social after October 16 events](#October_16_Social)
   1. LEAD: Sam Needham
      1. Details: TBD
3. AGM
   1. LEAD: TBD
   2. DATE: April 1, 2020
   3. Details: TBD

Health Events:

1. Mental Health for Scholars: Self-care strategies
   1. LEAD: Liam Farrer
   2. DATE: November 13, 2019
   3. LOCATION: TST Jay Boardroom
   4. TIME: 3:30-5 p.m.
   5. TO DO:
      1. Liam to confirm with Nicole Leblanc the time of the talk (back up person is available as well).
2. Mental Health for Scholars: “It’s Okay to Not Be Okay”
   1. LEAD: TBD
   2. DATE: February 12, 2020
   3. IMPORTANT NOTE: M.J. requests that the point that all experiences are subjective (i.e. that my experience of being “okay” can be different from another person’s experience of being “okay” and that both experiences are true) be stressed at this event.

Other Notes:

1. ORIENTATIONS
   1. College Orientations
   2. GCTS Orientation: Friday September 6, 2019
2. Oct. 16 2019:
   1. GCTS is hosting a productivity workshop in the Jay Boardroom (3-4:30 p.m.), and it is focused on those who are in their dissertation stage. Dr. Colleen Shantz suggested that TGSA could have a social after this event.
   2. Historical Students group will be meeting that day in the Seminar Room of TST. Dr. Mark Elliot of Wycliffe College will be speaking on a topic in the field of Patristics. M.J. is asking the students if they have any suggestions for Dr. Elliot. This will be happening from 2-4 p.m.
   3. Seeing as there are two events hosted at TST that day, the TGSA Board believes that it would be good to take up Dr. Shantz’s suggestion and host a social after these events. However, the Board decided to let the social Chair, Sam Needham, to make the final decision on this.
3. Elections
   1. More details to come (probably in January).

Starbucks Gift Cards:

1. As for the first semester: $100 will be spent on Starbucks gift cards
   1. Total of two $20 gift cards allocated for Dr. Jane Freeman and David Wagschal (Grant Writing Workshop)
   2. Total of six $10 gift cards allocated for panelists of both the Grant Writing Workshop and Post-Doc Panel
      1. Three Student Panelists (Grant Writing Workshop)
      2. Three Post-Doc Panelists (Post Doc Panel)

ADDITIONAL NOTES:

1. Library Committee Report: M.J. reported that P.J. Carefoote from the Thomas Fischer Rare Book Room is now the chair of the Library Committee.
2. TST Swag: Questions were raised regarding why TST does not have TST Swag. It was suggested that such objects could be used as thank you gifts.