

Womens+ Caucus
19th January 2017
6pm – 8pm, bookable room 2.

The Chair welcomed everyone to the caucus and re-capped the previous meeting.

Activity – Naomi Carter (Education and Engagement Manager) attended the caucus to facilitate the discussion and activity based around the equality and diversity framework. Naomi is supporting Theo Antoniou-Philips (Undergraduate Education Officer) on with his work with equality and diversity within the curriculum. Theo wanted feedback from all caucuses on the different elements of the framework that have been established to present a new framework to the University. Each area of the framework had been placed on the flipchart around the room and participants would be happy to have a think about what they think UEA should do to make then as E&D as possible.

The categories for discussion were –

Course management and co-ordination
Learning resource, sites and environments
Curriculum design and content
Curriculum delivery
Assessment and Feedback

The results of these discussions will be made into an accessible document (link is below)

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Discussion – A member spoke to the group about her meeting with the Sportspark regarding accessibility and making the Sportspark more welcoming to Women's+ students. The outcome of this was to trial a 'This Girl Can' sessions, 'give it a go' sessions, women only gym inductions, Sportspark myth busters,

Discussion - Increasing ties with Leeway – Chair explained who Leeway are and what they do and how we can better utilise our relationship with them including bettering our relationship with them, understanding their services better and training SU staff.

Discussion – Reclaim the Night. Reclaim the night is planned for 22nd March. Chair explained the premise and how the event works, including 'Light Up Norwich', encouraging clubs and bars to get involved and fundraising for Leeway. This will also feed into other events before and after the march.

Discussion – Elections for delegates to the Women Students' conference. It was decided that there would be an election to decide who would go the conference. The deadline for this election is 14th March.

Next meeting is Monday 27th Feb 2017, 6pm in bookable room 2.