

## TSO CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MINUTES

Friday, April 20, 2018, 10:30 am, Room V1120

**Present:** Chris Steele, Chair; Earl Fleehart, Fred Frederickson, Tim Hay, Jay Hurwitz, Diane Kester, Arlene LaTurner, Claudia Lawrey, Martin Leeds, Carole Maynard, Jim Maynard, Alexa Munoz, Anne Repass, Joe Scott, Al Serpas, Donnie Wilburn, Bob Wilburn, Richard Young

### I. Guests

- a. **Sandra Morris** provides methods of supporting an unpaid family caregiver who outlives the individual cared for. She advocates care of self and how to ask for help; and gives tangible ideas for caregiving. Heartening stories are a part of her presentation. She has written a book on the *Journey of Caregiving: How to Enjoy It*.
- b. **Joy Yue** comes to the Seattle area from China. She is interested in sharing the real China, which has changed dramatically in recent years. She will talk about the cultural aspects and perhaps the political.

**II. Minutes:** of March 16, 2018 were approved as submitted.

### III. Administration Info

- a. Summer classes will be online as of May 9.
- b. Spring quarter enrollment is 800 with 10 potential classes cancelled.
- c. Dipali Desai will replace Laurie Philips as Assistant Program Manager. Office hours are Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 9 am to 3 pm.
- d. Due to recent changes in the administration, there are some disagreements on direction. To resolve these issues a meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 25, with Al Lewis, Vice President, Continuing Education Workforce Training; Jennifer Sohonie, Director of Community Solutions; Edie Heppler, President, TSO Council; Jerry Bunce, Vice President, TSO Council; Chris Steele, Chair, TSO Curriculum Committee; Jim Cushing, Chair, TSO Strategic Planning; and Chuck Kimbrough, TSO Council Member.

### IV. CCF Info

- a. The Economics Club has disbanded.
- b. The Political Book Club has been approved to proceed.

### V. TSO Quarter-break Seminars

- a.. The Following Seminars were evaluated:  
Jerry Harkleroad reported the Metro-link Seminar with Marie Marquardt on March 20 was a great experience; Strange Bedfellows: The Alliance Between the US and Saudi Arabia on March 21 with Jim Maynard was very good; the Role of the Social Worker with Kelly Green on March 27 was well attended with a lot of questions; and the fundraiser with Darina Regio on March 29 and 30 was very good. A return speaking engagement was requested for Darina.
- b. TSO quarter-break Seminars:

Date Schedule	Speaker	Topic	Sponsor/Emcee
May 30	Rob Dunlop, KCTS	Future of Public Television	Anne
May 31	Maureen Massey	Team Read	Anne
June 1	Loring Doyle	Animation	Class Su Q
June 5			
June 6	Laura Miccele	Hands-on CPR	Tim
June 7	Sandy Morris	Enjoying Caregiving	Alexa
June 12	Aaron Falk	How Science Views the Universe	Class Su Q
June 13	Jim Minorchio	Probating a Mid-size Estate	Fred
June 14	Nelli Szigali	Washington Cease Fire	Claudia
June 19	Matt Kuharic	King County on Climate Change	Alexa
June 20			
June 21			

June 26	Laura Miccele	CPR 10 am to 12 m	Claudia
June 27			
June 28			
June 29			

**VI. Possible Future Classes/Seminars**

Assigned To	Topic	Speaker	Notes
Alexa	Redmond Archaeological Dig		
Alexa	Women's History Consortium and Washington State Library		
Arlene	TED Talks—Burial End of Life	Sue Black	
Alan Caswell	Astronomy & Astrobiology	Brett M. Morris <a href="http://staff.washington.edu/mnmorris/">http://staff.washington.edu/mnmorris/</a>	
Barbara	Healthy Brain Aging: Medication to Enhance Mental alertness		
Ben Goffee	Swiss-style apprenticeship Education Program in US	Ambassador Suzi Levin—Switzerland & Lichtenstein	Presented at VofN 12-4-17
Chris	<i>The Federal Reserve</i>	James Rigali	Osher-Fall 18
Chris	<i>King County Assessor</i>		
Claudia	African Drumming		
Claudia	EMS	Laura Miccele	June
Diane	Immigration Law	Greg Rodgers	
Diane/Steve	Medical: Allergies DNA; In Home Care; Dementia	Overlake Hospital	
Edie	Recycling and Composting—How to	<a href="mailto:recycle@bellevuewa.gov">recycle@bellevuewa.gov</a> or 425-452-6932	
Fred	Legal Forum		
Jim	Opioid epidemic		
Jim	Democracy and the Individual: A Look at Individual Freedom and Collective Responsibility in American Government		
Joe	Infrastructure Report Card		
Jordan	Movie with legal issue discussion		Friday
Marty	Gender Identity		
Shane	Bill Cummings NW Art School	Shane Liston	
Tim	Sanctuary Cities		
Tim	Ross Hunter—early learning Rainier Beach—International Baccalaureate		

**VII. Adjournment:** There being no old or new business, the meeting adjourned at 11:20 am.

**VIII. Next Meeting:** The next meeting is May 4, 2018, at 10:30 am, Room V1120.

Submitted by Alexa Munoz, Secretary