



IRGE Meeting Notes
Friday, June 11, 2021
12:00 to 1:00 p.m. ET
Zoom

Attendees: Alan Zais, Joe Gray, Kerron Barnes, Liz Glenn, Laurie Putscher, John Chow, Patricia Allen, Sheldon Packer, Ramsey Jay, Betsy Morris, Kurt Creager, Lloyd Halverson, Saeed Hajarizadeh, Julie Brewen, Don May

Liaison: Jori Solomon

A. WELCOME

Alan welcomed everyone and thanked them for their attendance.

B. CONFIRMATION/REVIEW OF MOU WITH CHRA TO BE SUBMITTED FOR JULY BOG MEETING APPROVAL

Jori circulated the documented changes to the CHRA MOU to the group for review prior to the meeting but not everyone had a chance to look over. The group set a deadline of Monday, June 14th, to respond to Jori with any recommendations. Additionally, Jori would circulate a revision of the documented changes for the group to vote on June 15th.

C. UN QUADRENNIAL REPORT DRAFT

Alan reported that he was in the middle of draft two of the Quad report to prepare for submission and stated that we are a behind. He stated that he appreciated that committee members were contributing to this effort.

D. FOLLOW-UP ITEMS FOR THE IRGE PANEL FOR THE NATIONAL CONFERENCE

Julie reported that she was struggling to pull a panel together due to the constraints placed upon international partners being able to travel due to COVID and NAHRO's requirement that they attend in person. She proposed since this was a major component to our panel, she suggested that we not hold an international session during the National Conference for 2021. Consensus was received from the committee that this was the best course of action.

E. UPDATE ON EIEA SESSION ON INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVES ON EQUITY AND INCLUSION

Liz provided a brief update on this topic (JS did not take notes on what was said here).