

CSCA Intercultural Communication Interest Group Meeting
April 9, 2011
Milwaukee, Wisconsin
MEETING MINUTES

Chair: John Baldwin, Illinois State University
Vice-Chair: Stephanie Rollie, Texas A & M, Corpus Christie
Secretary: Melissa Beall, University of Northern Iowa

Called to Order: 9:31 a.m.

10 programs plus two extra: African Communication, Confucius and

Received 28 individual papers & 11 panel
60% of panels accepted

78% of papers accepted

Issues with planning and acceptance and the type of papers/panels accepted—discussion of those issues. Avoid panels with 5 panelists.

Numbers of papers/panels up from last year.

Top papers: (see agenda for names)

Satoshi Toyosaki

Top student papers:

Carolyn and Melissa willing to donate funds for and organize a social gathering next year.

Chad Edwards talked about next year's convention.

Heather Nesemeier self nominated for vice-chair, MNSU @ Moorhead

MSP Unanimous Acclamation (Melissa, Arlie)

Melissa Secretary for another year.

Reviewing Considerations:
Need 12-13 reviewers

Difficult to get consistent reviews w/ system John sent out. Need quality as the priority criterion. Make distinctions. Need to make sure that reviewer's methodology is

included, so listing of approach might be helpful. Ask people to identify their approach when submitting their papers/panels.

Stephanie will send out submissions and ask them to notify her if they don't feel comfortable with a specific methodological approach.

Abstracts and topic area identification might be helpful. Be sure to let Stephanie know your concerns as a reviewer.

April 2-7, 2013 KC, MO: Communicating Beyond the Possible (April

Satoshi What IF? Panel

C-C-T Differences in ideology==discourse of transcendence –challenge the theme

C C-T Have a book read the book, and 3-4 scholars respond to the book. Charles Murray's new book—a good possibility to make us think about culture and the lack of coherence of culture—Can democracy impede the progress of democracy--freedoms and limitations

Panel John B Imagining Peace

Discussion of Issues

Panel about stigmatizing and solutions

What happens in a culture where you cannot disagree

Affects / Effects

Creativity

Empathy

Cara Armstrong's book as a discussion or have her attend and speak

Speed-Meet: Well known members in the discipline investigate / discuss issues in small groups (liken it to speed dating)

Might offer short courses-this would be in addition to things the interest group submissions.

Spotlight programs

Pre-conference workshop (Satoshi, Ahmet, Melissa,C C-T)

C C-T Promote WCA discussion Aug 8-11, 2013, Seoul Korea Aug 12-16 2013\

2015 likely to be Turkey. Discussing the organization, conference theme, etc.

AEJMC & Brazil conference, biennial, this year in Chicago, in two years in Brazil

Eddah 2 p.m. African scholars panel today – want to look at curriculum, research, culture—promote intercultural and African culture Connections to Africa

Passing the gavel

Adjourn 9:29 a.m. C moves Heather seconds, m passed