

EMSA Diversity Committee

Minutes from 1/26/2009 Meeting

By Sara Rivera

Brown Bag Lunch – Series will be coordinated via the Staff Development committee and include a Diversity component.

- Julie confirmed that UNITE will utilize various topics for the series.
- The series will occur prior to March 15 roll-out of Diversity Training presentation

Senior Leadership Feedback – Rosa distributed assessment of UNITE’s presentation at senior leadership retreat.

- Based on this assessment it was determined that UNITE’s presentation needs some changes and therefore VP Mantella has requested that UNITE present to and receive separate assessment feedback from Staff Development, Center for Sports & Society and Support staff, to make changes/updated in order for UNITE’s presentation to be leadership focused.
- March 15 is the anticipated roll-out date for final UNITE product. Ed Klotzbier, Ronne Turner and Rosa Williams would review final UNITE presentation before it is rolled-out.
- Gavin will work with Neal and Chong to take charge of assessment component of the training.
- EMSA Retreat January 27, 2009 – Rosa has 5 minutes to present on EMSA Diversity Committee’s work, mission, training, calendar of events, and website:
www.northeastern.edu/EMSA/Diversity

Committee Updates –

- Discussed possibility of having “open- door” meeting possibly 1x/month where anyone could walk-in to a designated meeting. This item is yet to be confirmed.
- Affirmative Action is doing a Diversity week during March 20. Delia would contact her for update of events and calendar.
- EDC will continue to meet once, every two weeks, for updates. Next meeting is Feb. 11 @ 11:00 AM in room 205 (conference room) of the Latino Center.