

BWIS Monthly Meeting & Minutes September 2022

Thank you!

Thank you for allowing me to be BWIS President for FY22. It was a great learning experience as well as self-fulfilling. Special thanks to the Board Members that always responded and helped me along way- Amber, Vivian, Kayla, Marc-Andre, Prerana, Kelly Anne, Chuyu, Xi

Reminder: FY23 BWIS Board:

- President- Megan Magrum, Safety & Health Services Division, Industrial Hygiene Supervisor
- Vice President - Jessica Gasparik, Physics Associate NPP Directorate
- Secretary- Estella Yee, NSLS II Ph.D Post Doc Research Associate
- Social Media Officer- Jennefer Maldonado (Senior Applications Analyst NPP Directorate)

To the new Board- don't fret or worry. We will help you along the way. We are a Team!

Immediate Upcoming Events/Speakers:

- We just had-Speaker Event September 22- Mica Estrada-She is a PhD in Social & Behavioral Sciences w/ University California San Francisco and is a leading scholar on Diversity & inclusion. **"Learning from Gardens & Braided Rivers to Increase Inclusion in STEM"**
- FY23 October 3- Joanna Fowler Award (Chemical & Biochemical) Virtual Ceremony honoring Tiffany Victor Lovelace, Diana Lutz, and Maila Danielis who each received \$3k. We will send out the ZOOM link
- FY23 October 4 webinar- Stuck: Why Asian Americans Don't Reach the Top of the Corporate Ladder- Forwarded by The Stanford Women's Leadership Innovation Lab Registration is required. 9 to 10:30Am PT
- FY23 October 20th- CFN PhD student researcher Laiba Bilal who will give a talk on her research on Nanotechnology for clean energy resources and the steps she took to get to where she is today. We will send out the ZOOM link

1. General UPDATES:

- Any interested in forming a BWIS/BERA Volleyball Team. At least 5 are needed to form a team. If interested, please contact Megan Magrum 3066 asap. League hopefully to start in January. It was postponed due to the recent COVID High level.
- FY23 BWIS Membership Drive- will send out message soon and hope to arrange an in-person drive soon (if we go back to COVID-medium)

FY 22 Year in Review: Another year with COVID restrictions but we made the best of it! This is just a snap shot of what we accomplished.

<u>10/21/2021</u>	<u>BWIS Lecture- Margaret Dominguez "From a Pig Farm to the Stars, my journey to NASA"</u>
<u>11/16/2021</u>	<u>BWIS Lecture- Meet Dr. Megan Magrum- Career choices outside of Research/Academia</u>

<u>12/2/2021</u>	<u>BWIS Lecture- "The Multiple Facets of Particle Accelerators" Silvia Verdun- Andres</u>
<u>1/12/2022</u>	<u>BWIS Workshop- 50 Ways to Fight Bias</u>
<u>1/20/2022</u>	<u>BWIS Lecture- Startup Woman "Developing an Entrepreneurial Mindset" Mouna Mahouachi</u>
<u>2/1/2022</u>	<u>February is Black History Month- no BWIS Events</u>
<u>3/5/2022</u>	<u>BWIS Symposium-Girl Power in STEM "Break the Bias" Symposium</u>
<u>3/8/2022</u>	<u>International Women's Day- BWIS Workshop- "Leading Change!" Lily Blocker, SBU</u>
<u>3/8/2022</u>	<u>BWIS Lecture- "How Women Succeed in the Workplace" Valerie Alexander, Speak Happiness</u>
<u>3/8/2022</u>	<u>BWIS Table at International Woman's Day Food Fete</u>
<u>3/10/2022</u>	<u>BWIS Yoga</u>
<u>3/17/2021</u>	<u>BWIS Lecture- "The Secret History of Women's Speech" Dana Rubin (Speech Studio)</u>
<u>3/24/2022</u>	<u>BWIS Lecture-"Shifting Paradigms to Engineer Change in STEM" Sharon Walker (Drexel University)</u>
<u>3/31/2022</u>	<u>BWIS Collaboration "Celebrating Sally Ride: First American Woman in Space"</u>

<u>4/19/2022</u>	<u>Assessing Gender Bias in Particle Physics & Social Science Colloquia</u>
<u>4/21/2022</u>	<u>Canceling Imposter Syndrome w/Dr. Malika Grayson shared by Slac</u>
<u>5/25/2022</u>	<u>#IamRemarkable Workshops w/ J. Greene</u>
<u>5/26/2022</u>	<u>Goldhaber Commemorative Plaque Installation in B510 room 1-200</u>
<u>6/15/2022</u>	<u>#IamRemarkable Workshops w/ J. Greene</u>
<u>6/16/2022</u>	<u>Powering Through Obstacles</u>
<u>6/19/2022</u>	<u>Announcement- Juneteenth Holiday</u>
<u>6/22/2022</u>	<u>Chasman Award Ceremony</u>
<u>6/24/2022</u>	<u>Goldhaber Prize Ceremony</u>
<u>6/29/2022</u>	<u>#IamRemarkable Workshops w/ J. Greene</u>
<u>7/12/2022</u>	<u>Career Paths & the Spice of Life- Peace Corps Experience in Thailand</u>

FY23 Miscellaneous

- October – New President Meeting w/ Megan
- Loralie- review of banking info- looking for someone signature authority
- General Goal-working with/including other ERGs
- Goal-community outreach. Working on an event for all ERGs this Holiday Season to benefit children- looking into migrant farmworkers children holiday event or little flower holiday event

- Girls who Code Workshops- recommendation to follow up on w/ Jonathan Greene
- More Women from BNL to speak on their successes