

Bridge to Doctorate
September 10, 2018
Time: 10:30 am
Location: CAST 306

Meeting Minutes

- **Tasks**
 - **Sign-up for Meeting Facilitator**
 - **Update Google Doc with presentations, conferences, etc.**
 - **Create OrcidID**
 - **Create LinkedIn Profile**
 - **Professional Head-shot**
 - **Bonding**
 - **Feel free to contact with any concerns**
 - **Contact Brandon for Jujitsu**
 - **Logistical Questions:**
 - Contact Randi
 - **Discuss Program Requirements**

- Introduction (Attendance):
 - Brandon
 - Aida
 - Randi
 - Jessica
 - Kevin
 - Pierre
 - Godwin
 - Roman
 - Victor
 - Steven
 - Christian

- Rules and Expectations
 - GPA: 3.0
 - Research takes priority
 - Select research focus
 - Resourceful-Contact Aida
 - Conference Funding
 - BD Conference
 - 2 Students Requested
 - October 2018
 - Possible Funding
 - Responsible to attend bi-weekly meeting
 - Contact if not able to attend
 - Safe Zone
 - Feel free to express concerns, etc.
 - Fellowships
 - 2 Required
 - Learn the process
 - NSF GRFP
 - Can only apply once

- Check BD Website for more
 - UConn Office of National Scholarships and Fellowships (?)
 - Others are welcome
 - Usually due in Fall (October/November)
- Workshops
 - Strongly encouraged to attend
 - Special exception to engineering workshops
- Teaching
 - Lecture Style
 - TA Style (grading, office hrs, etc) NOT acceptable
 - 10-300 students
 - Faculty Evaluation
 - Presentation Skills
 - Delivery Style
 - Communication Skills
 - At least one semester of four
 - Advisor discretion
- Outreach/Mentoring
 - Undergraduate Lab Mentorship
 - Written Report
 - Survey
 - LSAMP/McNair Graduate Mentorship
 - Contact Renee Gilbert
 - Windham Technical High School
 - Tutoring Volunteer Hours
 - Hands-on interaction
- 2-Year Fellowship
 - Stipend:
 - Monthly payment
 - Direct deposit on Thursday after the first Tuesday of the month
 - Advisor required to find funding after end of fellowship
 - Tuition Processed
 - Fees not paid
 - Semester basis
 - \$1000+
 - Only Tuition Late fees covered
 - Health Insurance
 - Medical
 - Dental
- Yearly Contract Renewal (July)
 - Advisor Review
 - Research Review
 - Academic Review (3.0 GPA)
- Yearly Survey
 - Very Important
- Full-Time Student Status
 - 9-credits
 - Tuition Waiver will be removed if below
- Orcid ID
 - Register

- BD Poster Symposium
 - Yearly: April
- Bi-weekly Meeting
 - Confirm Schedule
 - Student Runs Meeting
 - Research Presentation
 - Constructive Criticism/Feedback
 - Understandable to all
 - Topic of Your Choice
 - Guest Speakers Possible
 - Ie. Tax information
 - Agenda must be created
 - Reminder Email Night Before
 - Agenda & Minutes Emailed to Randi for website
 - Update Google Doc with information
- Game
 - Picture/Phrase
 - Importance of Communication Skills
 - Importance of details