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LACUNY Junior Faculty Research Roundtable Meeting Minutes, October 2012

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Junior Faculty Research Roundtable
October 18, 2012
Welcome back meeting/mixer
4-5pm meeting, followed by mixer

Attendees: Helen Georgas (co-chair)/Brooklyn College, Alycia Sellie (co-chair)/Brooklyn College, Frans Albarillo/Brooklyn, Rebecca Arzola/Lehman, Ian Beilin/City Tech, Jonathan Cope/College of Staten Island, Julia Furay/Kingsborough, Matthew Harrick/Brooklyn, Stefanie Havelka/Lehman, Christina Miller/York, Jennifer Poggiali/Lehman

Agenda:

1. Introductions
   a. All of us—chairs Helen and Alycia, group
   b. JFRR—for new folks and our vision of the year to come
      i. We’d like this group to be productive, informal, relevant (not merely an obligation)
      ii. We want to make space for reflection on our scholarship, which often doesn’t seem as pressing as broken printers or other tasks that demand our attention in a more immediate way

2. Other LACUNY groups present?
   a. Intros to the groups and their goals/plans for this year:
      i. Adjunct and Substitute Roundtable
      ii. Professional Development Committee
      iii. Mobile Technology Roundtable
      iv. Multicultural and Diversity Roundtable

3. Map out themes for the year to come of JFRR
   a. Discussion of our three themes for the year and potential events/topics
      i. WRITING/PUBLISHING
      ii. RESEARCH
      iii. TENURE

4. CUNY Academic Commons JFRR blog: place to share announcements about our publications on the blog
   a. We talked about using the JFRR blog associated with this group (http://jfrr.commons.gc.cuny.edu/) as a place to announce publications and other projects in our meeting yesterday. It seems that everyone in this group is an “author” on the blog, and therefore everyone should all be able to see the dashboard and create a new post there as you like (just click the category “JFRR Publications” to have your post show up in our publications area on the blog).