Welcome to the NPRLG 2021 Workshop!

11/12/21
Who We Are

Plus future sites!
General Goals of the NPRLG

• NPRLG Website

• The NPRLG is committed to enhancing undergraduate student research experiences through cooperative engagement of the Physics REU site directors.
Executive Committee

Thanks to past chairs!
Catherine Mader
Garfield Warren
Aaron Geller

Starting Dec 2!
Paola Rodriguez
Hidalgo (UW-Bothell)
Executive Committee

• Meets every-other week

• Helps to coordinate community efforts

• New this year: Strategic Plan was made in the late summer
  • Each new chair, with the help of the EC members and input from the NPRLG community will come up with a new Strategic Plan for the coming year in December
  • One of the things we hope to find out from folks today/tomorrow!
## Current Strategic Plan

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| Goal 1: Recruitment of Underrepresented Minorities | • Develop a long-term plan for common recruitment of URMs  
• Develop relationships with the NSBP and NSHP organizations | | | • Contact leads of the NSBP and NSHP organizations  
• Attend NSBP and SACNAS to host booths and talks  
• Invite NSBP and NSHP representatives to the NPRLG Workshop |
| Goal 2: Efficiency          | • Continue to promote the use of CIMER  
• Disseminate CIMER results  
• Investigate Common Applications | | | • Offer a CIMER session during the NPRLG workshop  
• Share CIMER findings with NSF  
• Form a Common Application Committee |
| Goal 3: Community-Building  | • Strengthen bonds among REU site directors | | | • Hold NPRLG workshop |
| Goal 4: Plan for Future Support | • Think “globally” about what the NPRLG can contribute to the NSF | | | • Open line of communication with NSF program officer |
Schedule and Set Up of the Meeting

Day 1: Friday, November 12 12pm - 4pm
12:00pm - 12:05pm  Session 1.1: Welcome
12:05pm - 12:20pm  Session 1.2: Statement Kathy McCloud, NSF REU Program Officer
12:20pm - 12:25pm  Session 1.3: Reminder of Virtual Resources
12:25pm - 1:10pm   Session 1.4: COVID Lessons Learned
1:10pm - 1:40pm    Session 1.5: CIMER and Common Assessment
1:40pm - 2:10pm    Coffee Break
2:10pm - 2:30pm    Session 2.1: Current Initiatives and Brainstorming Nuggets
2:30pm - 3:15pm    Session 2.2: Breakout Rooms to Brainstorm
3:15pm - 3:55pm    Session 2.3: Report-out
3:55pm - 4:00pm    Session 2.4: Survey

Day 2: Saturday, November 13 12pm - 3:20pm
12:00pm - 12:05pm  Session 3.1: Announcement of booths at fair
12:05pm - 1:05pm   Session 3.2: Gather.town Initiative Fair
1:05pm - 1:50pm    Session 3.3: Report-out from each booth
1:50pm - 2:20pm    Coffee Break
2:20pm - 3:20pm    Session 4.1: Gather.town Rooms for Institutions with Synergies
Focus on the Future

• Current NSF Award:
  • 1.5-day in-person workshop
    • Northwestern: Nov 17-20, 2022 (exact dates TBD)
  • Common assessment
  • Conference attendance to share NPRLG resources with non-REU sites and for recruitment purposes

• What should be our future community initiatives?
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Other information

• Slack
  • #2021 intros
  • #2021 workshop

• Conference Map