

Faculty Assembly Final Meeting Minutes**February 26, 2021****12:00-1:00 pm****Zoom:** <https://arizona.zoom.us/j/83125014084>Primary Faculty and Lecturers Present: Janet Foote, *Chair*

Gail Barker, Leila Barraza, Paloma Beamer, Heidi Brown, Leonard Brown, Zhao Chen, Dan Derksen, John Ehiri, Ibrahim Garba, Laura Gronewold, Iman Hakim, Robin Harris, Lindsay Kohler, Mary Koss, Chris Lim, Yiwen Liu, Purnima Madhivanan, Mark Martz, Tomas Nuño, Adaeze Oguegbu, Shiela Parker, Cecilia Rosales, Refugio Sepulveda, Rodrigo Silva, Amanda Soka, Xiaoxiao Sun, Doug Taren, Frank von Hippel, Jin Zhou

Primary Faculty Absent: Halima Alaofe, Jennifer Bea, Ed Bedrick, Melanie Bell, Dean Billheimer, Benjamin Brady, Jeff Burgess, Stephanie Carroll, Scott Carvajal, Chris Cutshaw, Leslie Dennis, Kate Ellingson, Kacey Ernst, Leslie Farland, Melissa Furlong, Gabriela Valdez, David Garcia, Joe Gerald, Kirin Goff, Eduardo Gonzalez-Fagoaga, Jennifer Hatcher, Tricia Haynes, Paul Hsu, Chengcheng Ju, Beth Jacobs, Aminata Kilungo, Yann Klimentidis, Deanna Lewis, Velia Leybas Nuño, Kimberly Lind, Priscilla Magrath, Martha Moore-Monroy, Sydney Pettygrove, Kristen Pogreba-Brown, Kelly Reynolds, Denise Roe, Cynthia Thomson, Terry Urbine, Marc Verhougstraete, Nicole Yuan

Other MEZCOPH Personnel Present:

Danielle Embry, Ali Gabriel, Christine Girard, Maia Ingram, Jean McClelland, John Molina, Naqib Safi, Karen Tiggs, Dirk Timmerman, Ruqaiijah Yearby

Meeting Recording: https://arizona.zoom.us/rec/share/-UsgTj-YwdeBDUmlZ0uENDPZodERR3_GlpstrfOgOvOMuyjyBIU9AVXf-dD_tre.oUokcz69gQTYtms?startTime=1614365787000

1. Review / Approval of January 22, 2021 Meeting minutes (Janet Foote)

A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes. The January 22, 2021 minutes were approved by all voting members present.

2. Introduction of New Faculty

Janet welcomed two new faculty in MEZCOPH:

Femina Cordova-Marks, Health Promotion Sciences

Frank von Hippel, Community, Environment & Policy

3. Quick Announcements (Janet Foote)

Janet announced the upcoming presentation: COVID19 Vaccines 101: Talking Points for Public Health faculty, given by Dr. Doug Campos-Outcalt. The talk will be given on a reading day, Wednesday, March 10th at 11 am.

4. Dr. Ruqaiijah Yearby, JD, MPH; Saint Louis University:

Presentation: Healthcare, Race, Health and Justice



Yearby AZ
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Dr. Yearby gave a presentation on the impact of structural racism on public health, particularly as it relates to governmental response to the COVID-19 Pandemic, and proposed ways to address inequities with a Health Justice model.

5. Date for next Faculty Assembly Meeting (*Janet Foote*)

Faculty agreed on Friday, March 26, 2021 for the next Faculty Assembly.

Meeting adjourned at 12:56pm

Changes or corrections to the minutes should be submitted to:

Danielle Embry, *Coordinator, MEZCOPH Academic Curriculum and Faculty Affairs*