DCL Meeting 9-14-2011

1. Introductions
2. Covered meeting minutes
3. Discussion of meeting format
	* 1. Meetings will start at 6:00 each Wednesday, dinner is welcome
		2. end at 7:00 or when business is finished
4. Discussed the purpose of Diversity Leadership Council
	1. Ethan proposed that we expand our purpose beyond that of fiscal discussion
		1. Proposals included:
			1. Greater communication between groups to have greater impact on campus
			2. Addition of more positions to DLC Executive meeting
			3. Collaboration on events to bring in a larger campus population
5. Meeting Structure Discussion
	1. Mission Statement:
		1. Discussed reasons for DLC involvement
			1. Show diversity on campus
			2. Promote and educate diversity in an organized way at Gustavus Adolphus College
			3. Service Leadership
			4. Recognize differences and similarities of campus population
			5. Promote greater communication and collaboration between groups
	2. How to increase efficiency of DLC was discussed
		1. Coco introduced the creation of committees
			1. Finance committee
				1. Collection of DLC groups’ treasurers that would meet with finance chair of DLC

Would be expected to meet during budget proposal times

Members of finance committee would serve to alleviate the workload of DLC treasurer

Finance members of organizations would be expected to have monetary requests and details organized

* + - 1. Publicity
				1. Would stress greater communication between diversity organizations and The Gustavian Weekly
				2. Idea proposed to have a website/blog

Publish ongoing events

Include DLC news as well as world news (get people outside of the “Gustavus Bubble”

Link to the Gustavus blog system

Encourage discussions about current issues/events

Moderator needed

* + - 1. DLC Events
				1. Involved with D-Week
				2. In charge of scheduling
		1. All committees would meet during scheduled meeting times
1. Discussed possibility of a DLC Theme for Year
	1. Organize events based on a theme
		1. Groups would be asked to co-sponsor events
	2. Fall event proposed
		1. Speaker/workshop
		2. Fall event idea accepted
2. Groups asked to organize a schedule for semester
3. Groups asked to compile an email alias with entire group (officers and members)
4. Elections to be held next week for committee chairs (Publicity, Finance, Events)
5. Attendance policy discussed
	1. 3 Absences and ejected from DLC
	2. Punctuality expected (here by 6:00)
	3. Anyone allowed to attend in representatives stead
6. Treasury List to be compiled
	1. Email treasurers to Josh (jconnell)

Upcoming Events:

 CAB sponsoring International Dance Lessons from 8:00-9:00pm in Alumni Hall on Friday, September 23rd

 Can I Kiss You, Thursday 16th at 7:00pm in alumni

 M-Pact Bonfire, Friday 17th 7:00-9:00pm at the complex fire pits