AMIA Conference Education Committee Meeting 2017
Location: Arcadian II
Date/Time: Saturday, 2nd December at 12pm

Introductions
- New Chair: Jen O'Leary Interim Chair, former Student Chapter Liaison in Education Committee

2017 Annual Report is posted on our website
(https://amiaeducomm.wordpress.com/about/annual-reports-meeting-minutes)

2017 Goals Completed
- Maintain Committee Websites
- Support Exploration and Expansion of AMIA Scholarships and Fellowships
    - Organized the George Blood, L.P. Women in Audiovisual Archiving Scholarship. This scholarship was designed to facilitate the advanced education and training of women who wish to pursue careers in technical areas of audiovisual archives. It is a one time award of $4000 and is available to both full-time and part-time female students.
- Complete and Launch Student Chapter Handbook
    - Student Chapter Handbook- Launched
        - The Guide contains three sections: *Starting a New AMIA Student Chapter* ; *I've Started a Chapter, Now What?* ; and *Student Report Guidelines and Tips*. This Guide is currently hosted on the AMIA Education Committee site

2018 Goals
- Integrate Education Committee site into new AMIA Website
    - The committee is currently working with, and will continue to work with throughout 2018, the AMIA Office to migrate the website to the new AMIA site. All of the sections of the site will remain, they will just be incorporated into the greater organization's site.Education Committee Site and new AMIA Site
- Support AMIA Scholarship Expansion Task Force
    - **Anyone interested in volunteering for this task force?**
- Launch and update the Student Chapter Handbook as needed

Update on Students and Student Chapters (further discussions during the Student Chapter Meeting directly following this meeting)
- Student Listserv will be phased out
    - Students are interested in trying Slack channels for communicating between students throughout the year
    - Action Item: Create Slack Channels for Students

- Student Chapters
    - 10 Chapters! Exponential growth in Chapters over the last couple of years
- Mentorship Program plan for 2018
    - There have been mentorship programs in the past, pairing up students and professionals at the conference, but that fell off
    - Students and Newcomers aren't sure what to expect from the AMIA Conference- a Conference 101, or way to ask conference veterans what to expect before they arrive would be helpful
    - Newcomers want more transparency and understanding of committees, what they do, and who the leaders are- many didn't get a chance to talk to chairs at the Newcomer's Mixer
        - Maybe a ribbon or pin on badges identifying committee chairs
    - Students would like to find a way to connect with professionals who have the same interests
    - Students and Newcomers would like to have a mentor throughout the whole conference, to ask questions to prior to the conference, and also while at the conference

Events at AMIA Conference 2017
    - Student Mixer- sponsored by Pro-Tek
    - Newcomers' Mixer and Resume Review Table
    - AMIA Conference Online Task Force
        - Continuing from 2016:
            - Community Note-Taking- live community note-taking for each panel and conference event
            - Live Stream- select streams throughout the conference

- Volunteers needed for:
    - **Social Media Accounts**
    - **New Student Liaison**

- AV Education Programs Round Table lead by Dimitrios Latsis
    - Program heads and representatives from University of Amsterdam, UCLA, NYU, and Selnick AV Archiving Programs
    - Discussed the current status of their school's programs, changes (or lack of changes) over time in these programs, and some of the issues that they've come up against
        - Discussion of institutional context of some of the programs that feeds into the curriculum (i.e. University of Amsterdam/EYE Museum, Selznick program/Eastman Museum)
        - Discussion of how internships and practical learning opportunities can be incorporated into the curriculum

- Discussion of how programs in different countries and cultures must differ due to the different needs of the students, especially in terms of job placement

Followed by Student Chapter Meeting