

GSWC Meeting Minutes 1/17/08

1. Oral Exam Help Session

- Workshop went well. There were no suggestions for improvements.
- Carolyn will send out a survey in two weeks to those who attended.

2. Next workshop – Post-docing

- Reviewed previous workshop layout and participants
 - We are looking at starting the workshop earlier and including professors in the panel
- Workshop will take place mid to end of April
- The structure of the panel will depend on the number of panelist we have.
- Matt volunteered to lead the workshop
- Ben volunteered to help with the food
- Neil volunteered to help with organization
- potential panelists:
 - Matt – Carrie Mcgee, Prof. Douglas, Prof. Pierre, Prof. McNeil
(If Douglas or Pierre cannot make it, Carolyn will email Hartnett and Haynes)
 - Matt – talk to Betsy about 3M postdocs
 - Neil – Adam Chamberlin, Joe Scanlon, Dwight
 - Jeff – Amanda Nienow
 - Carolyn – Lyndal Hill, Greg Hanson, Tom Hoye, Marc Hillmyer
 - We will email Matt with the results of our search for panelists

3. Recruiting

- Brainstorm on ways to recruit new members
 - Email all users regarding next meeting – Carolyn
 - Ask Chuck to send email
 - Personal invites to join the group (one-on-one)
 - Dip from other groups – YCC, Student seminar

4. Next meeting – March 20th at noon