

Diversity Council Meeting Agenda 10 December 2018 (10-11am, Admin 404)

One item: identify our priorities for Spring 2019 semester. Potential areas of work include:

1. Teaching evaluation (student, peer) biases: A University Senate subcommittee is working on the use of end-of-semester student evaluations in teaching assessments, particularly with respect to bias and inequity. We could offer our help.

2. Cultural competence on campus: In the process of discussing the “priorities and recommendations” from the climate survey, we have brought up the utility of more robust and widely available programming for cultural competency. We could review what is already available, and identify gaps; we could also identify programs elsewhere that we could adapt for use at Michigan Tech. We could do this in anticipation that the President’s Council will ask us to do this in response to our Priority #3.

3. Other ideas?