May PDA meeting

May 15, 2017 @ 9:00AM Graduate School, Main Conference Room

In attendance

- Ahmed Mohamed
- Greer Arthur
- Jason Cramer
- Karl Pazdernik
- Mohan Ramaswamy
- Nicole Ditillo
- Vanessa Doriott Anderson

Agenda Items

- OPA Updates/items (Nicole/Laura)
 - Promotional items
 - Nicole is working on finalizing the logo
 - Top choice is the USB Drive
 - Library Workshops (Mohan)
 - Peer Scholars Program
 - PDA Elections and recruitment
 - Review Bylaws
 - Timeline
 - We will send out the Google Form for nominations after Research Symposium
 - How will we collect nominees
 - Google Form
 - Recruitment process
 - Convince and coerce!
 - Set PRS as a recruitment time
 - Annual/Bi-annual postdoc survey
 - Can be distributed at PRS (electronically)
 - Survey items
 - Nicole will draft up and send out
 - EOY Cookout
 - Selected date was June 10th, but this is during Ramadan
- Communications Update (Greer/Ashley)
 - Verve Issue 3 is almost complete!
 - Print and give out during PRS
- Diversity Committee Update (Catherine)
- International Committee Update
- Social Committee Update
- Any other business?