

Lab Safety Advisory Committee (LSAC) Minutes

Meeting Time: 11/15/17 9:30-11am

Location: 217 LISB

Members Present: Alice Barkan, Mike Pluth, Kurt Langworthy, Tim Mason, Matt Hendrickson, Alan Rempel

Members Absent: Brian Gillis

Non-Voting Attendees: Jessica San Jose, Luke Sitts

Guest Speaker: Lab Coat Program

Old Business:

- A) Minutes adopted without amendment
- B) Discussion of lab coat policy and speaker. *The discussion primarily revolved around this topic as we had a guest speaker from the laundry industry to present her program. Members are universally in favor of instituting a program. Estimated cost and programmatic choices were to be presented to members for a preference vote at the next meeting. Universal belief that funds should come from central ICC. High agreement that this would increase safety and lower risk across campus while adding to the safety culture and soft skills development of the University. There was some agreement that such a program could be pushed out to the affected departments to house versus another form of centralization.*
- C) Fume Hood testing enhancement and guidance. *EHS is moving ahead on testing in conjunction with Pacific Hall commissioning for cost efficiencies. There will be 12 hoods given an increased ASHRAE 110 test including certain problem hoods and hood recently recertified in hopes that this will validate our normal testing methodology.*
- D) Update on program status (liaison program)(lone worker)(Off-campus work)(Incident reporting) and flyers (Emergency Flyer) (Lab Postings). *Discussion was quick all programs moving along. Lone worker and Off campus worker to be presented next time. Lab postings are being worked on in EHS with occupational safety, and emergency management input. Liaison program has targeted individuals and prepared questionnaires for distribution.*

New Business:

- A) Pacific contractor concerns and associated ID Badges to fix security concerns. *No comments.*

Meeting Adjourned: 11/15/17 11:04am