Minutes from NWiS Meeting – 03/09/16

1) NWiS stickers at CELLebrate
   • Consensus was not many people asked about the sticker but those that did were very interested.
   • We have leftover stickers to wear at other events.

2) Speakers (potential speakers)
   • Budget limit $1500 (until Sept 2016). This limits us to local speakers.
     - Sponsored speaking events by NWiS will be open to everyone at Scripps.
     - Bring potential candidate names to the next meeting.
   • Potential Dawn Eastmond (Director of graduate program)
     - She is coming next week. Does she have time to meet for coffee/lunch/informal meeting?
     - Note: Career symposium on March 18th, so this day should be avoided.
   • Reminder Dr. Andrea Bodnar
     - External speaker invited by Dr. Laura Niedernhofer
     - Coming on Friday April 8 to give a research talk.
     - NWiS will host a lunch (12-1, following her talk). Panera Lunch
     - RSVP will be limited to 10-15 people.
     - Need to send out RSVP email.
   • Athena Group
     - Is a local philanthropy group (business women supporting career development).
     - Official launch this summer but is hosting Salon events that potentially a representative of NWiS could be present.
     - This connection could be fruitful to find a speaker or could be willing to sponsor a speaker event.

3) Upcoming Networking Events
   • LST Hub (life science and technology)
     - Hosts a local Life science networking event held monthly.
     - This month will be at March 10 at the Waterway Café. RSVP
     - http://lsthub.org/
   • Women foundation of Palm Beach County
     - Holding a networking and cocktail event at the Kravis Center, April 5 (5:30-7:00)
     - RSVP ($50)

4) Join the Email list for NWiS
   • Instructions are posted on the website – NwiS-FL. Its open access.
5) **Article Read**
   - The Atlantic, the confidence Gap.  
     http://www.theatlantic.com/magazine/archive/2014/05/the-confidence-gap/359815/  
     - Discuss this at the next meeting.

6) **Meeting Conclusions**
   - Reminder: Sign up for the Career Symposium, March 18th
   - Luncheon with Dr. Bodnar, April 8th
   - Next Meeting, April 13th (12-1)