

Agenda

- 1. Previous SBSA events
- 2. Upcoming SBSA events
- Spring Proposal Cycles now open!
- 4. Certificate in Critical Consciousness and Anti-Oppressive Praxis
- 5. Mental Health update
- 6. SBSA Elections 2019-2020
- 7. Open Floor and Questions

Recent SBSA Events

- **Feb 20** Science Justice Reading Group (STLC140 @6pm)
- Feb 28 SBSA/BioAlMS Interview Weekend Happy Hour
- **Mar 7** SOAR Explore Dinner (6-9pm LKSC Berg Hall)
- Mar 14 SBSA/BioAIMS Joint Movie Night

Upcoming SBSA events

Mar 22 Spring Proposals Due

Apr 1-26 SBSA 2019-2020 Elections

Spring Proposal Cycle-- due 3/22!



Certificate in Critical Consciousness and Anti-Oppressive Praxis

How do we think consciously about other human beings? How can we create a reflection and action practice (praxis) to create a more just world? <u>CCC Mission Statement (PDF)</u>

In-depth <u>program</u> that requires discomfort and vulnerability Structure - fall quarter, workshops, peer groups, courses, and praxis component (e.g. mentoring undergrad URM, changing university policy to be more equitable and inclusive)

Pilot of 12 people in fall of 2019 through OFDD Website will be open in January, application will open in March The certificate will show your experience with diversity and inclusion on equity statements and CV

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Mental health update

Nina Horowitz

- Another death in the community
 - o Totally different background, highlights that mental health is a grad-wide issue
- Nina is working with the GSC mental health work group
- Drafting concrete list of asks to give to the administration
- Will be sending a draft for SBSA leadership to read over for feedback
- Many angles more therapists, change faculty mentality, change culture
- Carrot highlight faculty as people who care. Stick publicity about suicides

SBSA Elections 2019-2020

April 1 Nomination form opens

April 10 SBSA April General Meeting

April 19 Nomination form closes

April 22 Election polls open

April 26 Election polls close

April 29 Election Results

- Can we get HPRs to be more intentional?
- Office hours pizza party or other meeting for officers to discuss roles
- Make SBSA handbook