

FACULTY ASSEMBLY WOMEN'S COMMITTEE

MARCH REPORT

MARCH 11, 2016

1. Spring Lecture + Workshop Event
 - a. Dr. Irene Vernon
 - i. CSU's "Commission on Women and Gender Equity,"
 - ii. Standing Committee on the Status of Women Faculty
 - b. Prospective dates: April 29 or May 6. 10-12p.m.
 - c. Announcement for registration will be made to faculty as soon as speaker can confirm.
2. Mini Grants
 - a. 3 Fall 2015 Winners
 - b. Call for Spring 2016 will go out by 3/15
 - c. Deadline will be 4/15
3. FAWC Sponsored Event:
 - a. Guest lecture from Dr. Xiaojian Zhao, Professor of Asian-American Studies at UC Santa Barbara.
 - b. March 17th, 9:30 - 11:00, in COLU 3022
 - c. The lecture is entitled "Calling the Phoenix Back to Its Nest: Legacies of Sent-Down Youth in Contemporary China," and is based on the collaborative work of Xiaojian Zhao and Emily Honig of UC Santa Cruz, collecting oral history interviews with participants in the Chinese cultural revolution of the 1960s and 1970s.
4. FAWC Woman of Distinction Award
 - a. Annual award to honor a UCCS woman faculty member who serves as a role model and/or have provided opportunity for other women.
 - b. Nominations and self-nominations welcome. 1 page nomination letter + CV to FAWC@UCCS.EDU
 - c. Call will go out by 3/15
 - d. Deadline will be 4/15
5. By-law Amendments
 - a. Updating By-laws. Will present to FA in April.
 - b. Committee Members (Standing and Advisory)
 - i. Full list now available.
 - c. Chairs + Co-chairs → Outgoing, Sitting, Incoming
 - i. Steering committee starting July 1, 2016: Catherine Grandorff, Lori Notestine, Beth Daniels