CALS Equity and Diversity Committee

April 18, 2019 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. 250 Agricultural Hall

Erika Anna ('20) Nutritional Sciences

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Meeting Ground Rules

- Listen without interruption.
- Encourage full participation. Use inclusive communication methods.
- Help others see the implications of actions that are being discussed. If you are more experienced and know about things speak up.
- Use Robert's Rules of Order to run the meetings.

AGENDA

- 1. Additions to the agenda
- 2. Approval of minutes from March 21, 2019.
- 3. Update on draft letter to Graduate School Dean Karpus (T. Browne)
- 4. Guest speaker Yanna Williams
 - a. Recruitment efforts to HBCUs
- 5. Updates from Subcommittees (time permitting)
 - a. Lunch & Learn Planning
 - b. Grad Student Training & Resources
 - c. Department Diversity Rep Planning
 - d. HR Strategies for Recruitment