Diversity Advocates Meeting Agenda
September 14, 2016, 9:00 – 10:00 a.m.
Gillham Park Room – Volker

Clarification of the Charge:
The Diversity Advocates Program is a diversity and inclusion learning community that helps to equip faculty, staff, and students with diversity-related skills and strategies they can use on the job and on our campuses. By participating in training and hearing from colleagues, Diversity Advocates become “change agents”. As our "eyes and ears", Diversity Advocates also help us identify needs and gaps, and take back to their units important skills and resources in diversity and inclusion.

Updates re: UMKC & UM System from the Division of Diversity and Inclusion:
Diversity Advocates program updates & feedback
How can we make this the best learning community for you all?
UM System Diversity, Equity, Inclusion Audit
UMKC Climate Survey, October 4 – November 4
Green Dot – Brief Overview and contact information for more
Chancellor’s Diversity Council re-launch
DDI team changes

Updates from Diversity Advocates:
Successes, e.g. sharing experiences with skill modeling, resources, or new initiative
Challenges, e.g. identified needs and gaps
Policy Recommendations for Chancellor’s Diversity Council

Adjourn

Next meetings:
1st Tuesdays every quarter
November 1, 2016 (Adjusted from what would normally be a meeting in December)
February 7, 2017
May 2, 2017
August 1, 2017
November 7, 2017