

CPPC board meeting 2024-06-27

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1 Opening

The meeting was opened by Athanasios at 15.35. Martina was made secretary.

2 Agenda

The current agenda was approved by the board.

3 Next meeting

The next CPPC board meeting will be held in the first week of September, final date TBD.

4 Follow up on on previous CPPC meeting – Minutes

The minutes from last minutes were discussed. Updates are summarised under the project follow-up.

5 Project follow-up

- ISP survey

The ISP survey has been sent out. There will be a reminder sent after the vacations and an announcement will be spread on the monitors.

- Doctoral education evaluation

Björn has read the report on the evaluation and gave a brief summary. One point of interest was how to increase incitement for senior lecturers and professors to continue to attend pedagogical courses similar to what is mandatory for the assistant professors. In the next meeting with the working group the report will be discussed in more detail.

- Buddy system

All new students currently have a buddy, but there is a need to recruit new volunteers. Pantea will send an email for recruiting new buddies in the fall.

- Intro day by FFF

In October there will be an intro day for the new PhD students (at least 4 new students will start)

- Pizza days

CPPC plan to arrange Pizza days where an after work is arranged with invited speakers from industry and academia to give career talks. The first event will be a pilot to see if there is interest to make this a reoccurring event. The details of the plans for the days were discussed.

- Preliminary date 25th of September, start time approx. 16.30
- Two speakers will be invited to talk about their career paths (max 20 min each)
- There will be an after work with food and drinks (pizza + beer). The aim is to have a relaxed environment where people can interact and network.
- The invited speakers should be one from industry and one from academia, we will brainstorm over teams and Björn and Thanos will make sure an invitation is sent out to the selected people. Thanos will check with Thomas for alumni list.
- Practicalities that are needed are the following; examples of locations are Luftbryggan, FL-lecture halls, 10:an, invitation with possibility to sign up and mark allergies, beer should be bought from Systembolaget, a signed list is needed at the event, cutlery etc. should be arranged for in before hand, An announcement on the monitors should be made in proximity if the invitation.

- Other updates

No other updates

6 Updates from other meetings:

- Department day

The department day had a strong aim towards PhD students with two invited career talks. Unfortunately, there was still few PhD students attending the department day and a likely explanation was the lack of communication about the content ahead.

- Physics equality group

The results from the new employee survey was discussed.

7 Other Matters

FFF is missing a member from SEE. For the next year FFF will function as previously but with the help of assistance from the local councils when needed to compensate for the missing member.

The meeting was closed at 17:00.