PATHOLOGY AND LABORATORY MEDICINE
EDI WORKING GROUP MEETING
MINUTES

Date: September 27, 2021
Attendees: Jacques, Rebekah (Chair)
Cabrera, Ana
Chakrabarti, Subrata
Darling, Mark
DeCandido, Angela
Driman, David
Hammond, Rob

Minutes from July 8, 2021; Approved

Key Discussion Points

1. Presentation by Guest Speaker: Dr. Opiyo Oloya, Associate Vice-President, EDI

2. Update

   a. Learner Representatives
      - We have received one application to date from Hong Lin (Linda) Wang.
      - Linda is in her first year of an MSc in our research-based graduate program.
      - Dr. Driman will reach out to residents again.

   b. Land Acknowledgements
      - Dr. Zeman-Pocrnich gave the Acknowledgement at our September department meeting.
      - We will continue to ask for volunteers for future meetings.
      - We have posted resources on our website.

3. National Day for Truth and Reconciliation (September 30th)
   - The first National Day for Truth and Reconciliation will be held on September 30th.
   - In honour of this day, Dr. Driman suggested that a donation request be made to the LPA.
   - Dr. Jacques will recuse herself from the LPA’s decision.
   - Follow-Up: $1,000 was donated to the Indian Residential School Survivors Society.

   - Discussion deferred to next meeting in light of upcoming Western Equity Census.