
World Religions

Alexander Justice, Loyola Marymount University, Convener / Secretary

MEMBERS PRESENT

- Winette Field, William Booth College
- Ellen Frost, Perkins School of Theology
- Karla Grafton, Hartford International University
- Alexander Justice, Loyola Marymount University

AGENDA

1. Old Business – none
2. New Business
 - a) Plan programming to fulfill Aims
 - Consensus formed to plan a field trip and a panel at Atla 2025 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
 - Ellen will reach out to 2025 local host Michelle Spomer for help with proposal.
 - Group brainstormed possible sites: mosque, Buddhist center. Distance to suburban sites would present difficulty.
 - Additional brainstorming noted historically important synagogue and community Rodef Shalom.
 - Further conversation suggested panel on ecumenism in Pittsburgh, especially the ecumenical response to the tragic attack on Tree of Life synagogue.
 - Planning will continue on listserv.
 - b) Update the WRIG LibGuide
 - Technically owned by PSIG, so need to coordinate with David Schmearsal
 - Karla is updating the DEI LibGuide, so WRIG could also provide input .
- Alexander will call for input via listserv.