Faculty Coalition for Inclusiveness and Diversity
Agenda — 5/18/07
-- College Center 205 --

1. Next FCID meetings:
   Monday, June 11th, 4:00 – 5:30 PM

2. Our mission is:

   As a broad coalition of faculty members, we will work together with the shared understanding that inclusiveness, equality, and acceptance of differences are all essential for a productive and respectful learning environment. To achieve this form of community, we actively promote:
   - dialogues across differences
   - greater representation of historically underrepresented groups on campus
   - the development of global citizenship

3. Agenda for today’s FCID meeting
   A. Brief introduction by Dave --- FCID’s list of projects
   B. Some thoughts on achieving diversity by Therese and Stephen
   C. A discussion of FCID’s priorities, projects and ideas:

      Faculty Recruitment
      - Lorraine: Promoting diversity through pre-doc and post-doc programs.

      Faculty Retention
      - Lorraine: Using the COT as a means of discussing diversity issues & pedagogy.
      - Lorraine & Anu: Mentoring junior faculty.
      - Daniel: From meals to cultural diversity.

4. Subjects for the June 11th meeting?
   - Format and makeup of the panel discussion on “Sensitive issues in the Classroom” at New Faculty Orientation in September
   - Progress on establishing a mentoring program for new faculty
   - Specifies on what we want to do to help new faculty searches in the fall
   - List of campus groups working to promote diversity at Union (FCID, Allies, COT....)