

## **WLL Department Meeting: Wednesday, 6 Feb, 2019**

### **Attendance**

Gina Greco (Leading), D Aleeva, J Ceciliano, J Coleman, C Collenberg-Gonzalez, W Comer, C de Oliveira, A Dolidon, J Eleweke, C Eplin, K Godfrey, L Gooma, Y Hanoosh, J Holt, I Jaen-Portillo, L Kominz, T Nidever, E Nunez, J Pease, J Perlmutter, M Rachmuth, S Roulon, R Sanders, A Sedighi, C Sloan, S Snyder, S Sychov, S Thorne, S Wadley, S Walton, I Warnock, S Watanabe, A Zagarella

After announcements, Greco presented information about the budget and possible implications for WLL.

By all accounts, we are moving into a minimum of 5 years of continued budget cuts. Different process this year: not focusing on cuts yet. Administration wants to look at areas for investment and growth first (due by colleges Feb. 28), and afterwards talk about cuts (colleges must submit scenarios for a 2.5% cut and a 4% cut by March 15).

This led to an unplanned, but lively and productive, brainstorming session about how WLL might position itself to be ready for the uncertain budget future. A Future Committee was formed, to continue the discussion about possible changes and new directions.