Mentorship Program Planning Meeting
April 7, 2022 3pm-4pm
Present: Gina Viarruel, Laura Stanley, Robert Taylor, Michelle Lee, Karen Manning
Absent: Chaun Campos

- Has the mentorship program been sanctioned by the board? How do we and the GLA board need to proceed?
  - Gina ran on the platform (when running for NMRT Chair) of creating a mentorship program and connected with some other groups she knew were interested in creating a mentorship program.
  - We will need to present this project and get it sanctioned by GLA Executive board and go through an approval process
  - We need to provide a submission to the GLA Executive board

- Implementation team for GLA Executive board and Strategic Plan is currently being developed
  - A large group will be created for the whole project, and smaller groups will work on more specific projects
  - People have been chosen (rather than volunteering) to be part of the Implementation Team

- Going over summarized information from our previous meeting to let Karen Manning know where we are in the process and what we’re thinking about.
  - Creating/development of guidelines could be an action item for the implementation process/team
  - We were thinking of making this program into a division (rather than a subcommittee)
  - Events for engagement between mentors and mentees

- The mentorship idea is going to be presented to GLA Executive Board meeting tomorrow morning