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Notes from the MBW PhD Council Board meeting

20150904

Present: Andreas Ring (Chairman), Jessica Olsen, Amanda Bengtsson, Antonio Martins, Fredrik Hurtig and Mattias Engelbrecht

1. Reports and discussion

- 1.1. **PhD student information folder** – Antonio presented the updated version of the PhD student information folder. This version will be presented at the next PhD Council meeting September 7th.
- 1.2. **Apply for “Verksamhetsbidrag”** – Jessica will send in the application for Verksamhetsbidrag to Stockholm universitets studentkår.
- 1.3. **PhD student event** – The event will take place September 22nd and we now have two confirmed speakers. Amanda and Jessica will be responsible for the workshop, which will be “Round table discussions”. Mattias will contact the responsible person for booking one of the lecture halls in Geovetenskapshuset. Mattias will present the activity, “Bubble ball” at the next Council meeting and see if people are interested in participating in this activity.
- 1.4. **Honorary doctor** – Professor Sandra Schmid from The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center is receiving an honorary doctorate from the institution. She will visit the institution September 23rd and the PhD students will go out for lunch with her. We will ask the PhD students at the next meeting if anyone is interested.
- 1.5. **Alumni day 2015** – October 1st is the yearly Stockholm University Alumni day and all PhD students are invited. Amanda will inform the PhD students at the next meeting.

At the protocol:



Jessica Olsen