

Lorraine Hansberry Coalition
General Meeting Summary
April 7, 2022

At the April 7, 2022, meeting of the LHC, attendees further discussed plans for the upcoming May 21, 2022, event tentatively titled “Celebrating Lorraine Hansberry.”

Conversation mainly revolved around logistics, including scoping out and finalizing Bethel Chapel as the venue for the event and both asking and answering venue-related questions (Like: Can we safely transport senior attendees into the space? Is there electricity? How many people can it fit comfortably? Etc.) Among other topics discussed: finalizing the content of the program and speeches, with Signe Bergstrom reviewing editorial-related questions; discussing the graphic design treatment of the program and poster and securing possible photographs of LH for both; checking in with Andrea re: progress on the Alumni Award application. A decision was made to nix the removable flyer we had originally discussed including with the program and, instead, to move it, along with other material/work of the LHC, online. The group also briefly reviewed the PR roll-out (in a doc prepared by Andrea Furey and Carla Dago), with final feedback due to Andrea no later than 4/14. Lynda Jones reviewed the timeline/dates of our project chart. So far, we seem to be on schedule.

The smaller LHC group will meet on Monday, April 11, at 6:30PM to discuss graphic design issues in more detail. The regular LHC group will meet on Thursday, April 14, at 6:30PM.