Meeting Minutes 11.6.13

1. Events are online
2. Dr. Ulloa
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   2. Undergraduate advisor
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      1. Activity
         1. Discuss the DON’T’S you’ve seen in regard to interaction with faculty
      2. You are always expected to be professional
         1. Emails should still be formal
            1. Don’t rely on autocorrect
            2. Don’t send angry emails while under the influence of that email
      3. Doctoral Programs
         1. Mentor Match System
            1. What do you want to get from your training and whom do you want to work with?

Identify specific individuals & get in contact with them BEFORE applying

Find out if they have the ability/room to take a new student

* + 1. Other programs
       1. What do you want to get out of your training and does this program provide this for me?
          1. Contact a representative
    2. Tone is very important when interacting
    3. In applications:
       1. Mention what you think you don’t have and say why you think this program will benefit you- explain why it doesn’t exclude you from the running
       2. Don’t brush over missing experience
       3. Explain poor grades, don’t give an excuse
       4. Don’t be boastful- back up the reasons why you fit the program
       5. Be self aware
       6. View things from other perspectives besides your own