**SEF Update**

7 May 2019

Comments on the new website? Ok to publish.

\*\*\* Karen will have authority to change the website; co-heads are Wally and Jesse.

Workshop Planning

* Draft essay setting stage for workshop circulated; nearing completion
* Draft invitation text circulated; Jane to redraft √
* √ Website draft looks great; almost ready to go live
* We are ready to launch invitations, right?
* Karen will visit Flatiron to coordinate with Abby (our Flatiron admin. Person)
* Matt: status report on Tech section?
* Jesse: status report on Funding section:
  + Emails out to Morgan Stanley, Barclays, Goldman Sachs
  + Peter: working on Citi rep to speak
  + Working on face-to-face meeting with Greg G. at Simons Foundation on Wednesday
  + Other ideas for investors, investor funds, etc.?
    - Jane to discuss use of Greg G in philanthropy outreach
  + Malcolm Hadley -- Jane to invite to speak.
  + Peter: try to get Izzo; in parallel…. Matt and Jesse to write to Cowley about Izzo (who is a PPPL alum).
* Status report on Economics section

Current Funding “panel”:

Simons Foundation -- who !?

Citi rep -- who?

Biotech parallel – (talk will take 10 min) – Jesse

ARPA-E – Scott Hsu

MIT philanthropy rep ?????

Goldman Sachs alt energy people --- idea stage !!!

Valerie Gardner ???