

GMM 3: Name Change

23/03/2022

18:00

Welcome everyone to this GMM

We wanted to invite everyone for the name change and what's happening with the association and to explain ourselves and give you the opportunity to vote for the name change.

Agenda:

- Welcome and announcement
- Reasons for the name change
 - Kwakiutl is a native american tribe that was colonized
 - We think it is inappropriate for a dutch association to have this name
 - We want to decolonize the association
 - Yes it was picked at another time and year but the world is always changing and we want to change with it and we don't want to continue this history
 - Also as we are anthropologists its embarassing and feels wrong
- Proposing new name
 - CASA: cultural anthropology study association
 - Neutral name that represents what the association stands for and neutral connotations
 - This is the name we will vote for unless people really disagree
- Open discussion and questions
 - A minute or two given so people can voice their opinions
 - Ines: i really like the new name, i feel like its cute cause it means home in spanish
 - Feedback was good from spanish people
 - If there is no objections we will vote
 - Elisabeth: I wonder, how do other board members feel about this? i can imagine they are not so happy. How do you handle that?
 - We had a pole and realized most people against it are from older boards
 - A lot of them feel that changing the name means erasing the association and its history but after we talked to them we had more support from them
 - We are also keeping the logo as the eye
 - In two years no one will remember
- Vote
 - Change your name to Kwak and then type in the chat what you want
 - For
 - Against
 - Blank
 - Neutral
 - Everyone is in favor

- That was it, we appreciate everyone for coming!

So then what will happen:

- We will do a second GMM in 4 weeks because we needed 2/3rd of our members present at this GMM for it to go through which is very hard to get
- In 4 weeks we will then do it all again because its legally required

End: 18:27