Program Committee Minutes October 2013

Jo Ellen Kaiser, Eric Galatas, Dyan Ruiz, Jesse Russell,  Yana Kunichoff,

**Next meeting: Monday, November 11, at 11PT**

**Speakers**

Stephen Colbert

**Jo Ellen: John Cusack, the Freedom of the Press Foundation –in Chicago**

Amy Goodman

Katrina van den Heuvel

Lisa Graves

**Jo Ellen: Democracy Alliance—Rob McKay**

Van Jones

Robert McChesney/ John Nichols

**Ask Nation folks:** Jeremy Scahill—Omidyar

Karen Jay Bond, Nat. Director of Black Coalition for Media Justice (Chicago)

Kim Gandy, Chair Free Press

Eric: will volunteer for this:

Highlight a foundation project—to talk about the project they are doing

Knight, McCormick,

**Impact Awards**

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**Break out groups with report backs**

Friday afternoon

**Panels/ Discussions/ etc—**

**feature speakers from as many members as possible**

Is there an alternative to the email newsletter?

Fundraising tools and practices

Diversified revenue

Metrics project—where that is

Spanish?

Midterm elections

ACA rollout

List 3 things that their organization could share with the group if asked to present?

List 3 topics you really want to learn about.

What breakout sessions would you like to participate in?

Ratio between presentation and working sessions?

Would you rather have a longer time for breakouts or two shorter times?