DEI

Kate reported that the committee is working on a mentorship/listening breakfast event at the Annual Meeting. There is a general desire for more mentorship, particularly amongst underrepresented groups. The committee is still figuring out the format and they are talking to the PC about logistics. A land acknowledgement statement and training for sessions chairs are other points of interest in terms of the annual meeting.

The committee is also undertaking an audit of the ASOR website through a DEI lens.

ECS

Tiffany reported on the recent ECS Brown Bag event featuring Eric Kansa of Open Context that was organized by Vanessa. The topic was data management and the event was well-attended.

A second cohort of the Digging Up Data mentorship program

There are 26 nominations for book awards thus far. She encouraged committees to spread the word about the deadline, April 28. The publication date needs to be 2021-2023. Marta noted that there are 16 for Cross, 5 for Wright, and 4 for Lapp.

COM

Teddy announced the committee is meeting this week

4. Other Matters

None arising. Meeting adjourned.