

PhD Committee Meeting
December 11, 2018

The next meeting of the Ph.D. committee will be next week, on December 11 at 11:00 in 317.

The major item on the agenda is to consider Ph.D. requests to teach summer courses. Sonja will circulate the application materials to you before the meeting. I know at the end of the quarter you have nothing else to do, so please try to look them over.

A second item to discuss and consider is whether non-native speakers of English should have more time on their general exams than native speakers. (A request to do so by a non-native speaker has come in.)

I have now asked Liora Halperin, Mark Metzler, and Clair Yang to serve on the committee. Whether they will or not is to be decided.

In addition to reviewing the students' applications for teaching summer school, and considering policy about extra time for non-native speakers of English for general exams, I would like to add a discussion about the methods requirement for the Ph.D.

The meeting is tomorrow at 11 in 403 Thomson. Sonja sent you the link to the files for the summer school teaching applications