**WJU Immersion Reunion Gathering Outline**

Each spring the SSAC hosts a dinner for all participants on immersions during the year to gather and reflect. The past three years this has been held on WJU’s research day since all undergrad students do not have class that day. The dinner aims to get students and employees to reflect further on what they have learned since their immersion experience, to reconnect with those on their immersion team, but also to share and reflect with those from other immersion teams.

**Dinner 5:00-5:40pm**- students eat dinner at a table with their immersion team. If they have participated on more than one immersion, then they pick which table to go to or move back and forth. In groups after they catch up they answer the following questions:

* Do you ever think back to the experience? What was most memorable? What has stuck with you since returning to campus?
* Have you come to see anything different about your experience since being back on campus?

**5:40-6:00pm- Mixed group discussions**: students from different groups are missed up and asked to share:

**What/ So What?**

Each person says their name and what immersion/ immersions they went on this past year

* Give the details of the trip and what you did/ learned?
* How did this experience impact you?
* Would you recommend this to others, if so why?

 **6:00pm-6:20pm Second group discussion:**

**Now What?**

Switch tables again, this time introduce more briefly what you did, which trips you went on…

Answer the questions:

* how has this experience impacted you since returning back to campus?
* Has this experience changed the way you think, or act in any way?
* Have you found ways to get involved since returning from this experience? If so what? If not, how can you?

**6:20-6:40pm- Large group discussion**

* debrief about small group discussions
* Why do you think immersions are such an important part of being at a Jesuit institution?
* If you have changed something since going on your immersion what is it? If you have not but what to what is it? What action steps do you need to make that change?
* After listening to other groups which experiences seem most exciting to you for next year?
* How can you promote these experiences to other students not in this room?
* Any questions or thoughts?