

## President's Message - Amy Everitt October 2, 2007

Happy fall!! I am pleased to announce that the ratification vote on the one-year extension of our day unit collective bargaining agreement has passed by a margin of 700 yes votes to 20 no votes. Thank you to everyone who participated in both the ratification and Tenure Committee voting. Results of the Tenure Committee vote can be found below. As of this date, information on funding for the contract is not available, and we will keep you posted on when you can expect to see your increases. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Salem State alternates to the bargaining team, Marty Krugman and Maggie Vaughan. They were terrific in helping to cover the summer sessions. In addition, we would not have been successful without Pat Markunas, C.J. O'Donnell (Chair of bargaining) and Donna Sirutis, our MTA Consultant. Please be sure to thank them!!

Finally, we have more committee seats that have become vacant. Consider getting involved. These committees need your time and talents and I thank all of you for your willingness to serve the College community.

### **Appointments**

Congratulations to the following members on their committee appointments and a thank you to each of them for their participation.

### **Foundations of Excellence**

Aoyagi, Tatsuya (THE)

Ardon, Kenneth (ECO)

Baker, Emerson Tad (HIS)

Bandyopadhyay, Jayanti (MGT)

Buchanan, Patricia (ENG)

Carroll, Greg (EDU)

Chapman-Adisho, Annette (HIS)

Chenault, Tiffany Gayle (SOC)

Connolly, Patricia (SWK)

Darien, Andrew (HIS)

Deere, Michael (PHL)

DeFrancis, Theresa (ENG)

Dion, Steven (SFL)

Fallon, James (THE)

Fox, Joe (MAT)

Gallo, Anne Marie (SFL)

Golub, Ellen (COM)

Hess, Kathleen (MGT)

Hills, Donna (NUR)

Hubeny, Jeremiah Bradford (GLS)

Jain, Anurag (MKT/DS)

Kitanov, Severin (PHL)

Kudrimoti, Sanjay (ACC/FIN)

Larson, Doug (ACC/FIN)

Lindholm, Jan (ENG)

Meirovich, Gaviel (MGT)

Mokoro, Shannon (SWK)

Poitevin, Luis Pedro (MAT)

Ratner, Keith (GEO)

Rhyne, Brett (COM)

Schultz, Nancy (ENG)

Silveira, Jeramie (OCT)

Smolianov, Peter (SFL)

Steenrod, Shelley (SWK)

Sweeney, Michele (SFL)

West, Tom (ENG)

Valens, Keja (ENG)

Vincent, Cheryl (NUR)

### **Promotion Committee**

Hillier-Walkowiak, Jane (THE)

Rubin, Donnalee (ENG)

Sablock, Jeanette (GLS)

### **MSCA/Salem Chapter Executive Committee**

Dole, Betty

### **Tenure Committee**

Matchak, Steve (GEO)

Walker, Peter (ENG)

### **Committee Vacancies**

The following is a list of current committee vacancies and their eligibility requirements:

### **Contract Committees 2007-2008**

One-Year Appointment

Full-time Unit Members

**Library/Media Development - 7 Unit Members**

Member from each Area and (3) Librarians

**Two (2) Vacancies** - Library

### **Non-Contract Committees 2006-2008**

Two-Year Appointments

Full-time Unit Members (unless otherwise specified)

### **Center for Teaching Innovation (CTI) Advisory**

**Committee** - *New Non-Contract Committee*

The purpose of this committee is to advise the CTI on professional development programming, as well as to facilitate communication between the CTI and the campus community.

### ***Eight (8) Vacancies***

#### (8) Unit Members

- School of Arts & Sciences - (1) full-time and  
(1) part-time member
- School of Business - (1) full-time member
- Schools of Human Services - (1) full-time member
- Library - (1) full-time member
- Division of Continuing Education - (1) part-time  
member
- Graduate School - (1) part-time member
- Council of Teaching & Learning - (1) member

### **Athletic Council**

(4) Unit Members **One (1) Vacancy**

**Budget Committee (formerly Resource Allocation Committee or RAC)**

(3) Unit Members

**One (1) Vacancy**

**Foreign Language Waiver**

(4) Unit Members including FL Chair

**One (1) Vacancy**

*Parking Task Force Committee*

(5) Unit Members

**One (1) Vacancy**

**Student Scholarship**

(3) Unit Members

**One (1) Vacancy**

**MSCA/Salem Chapter Committees 2006-2008**

Two-Year Appointments

Full-time & Part-time Unit Members

**Political Action**

Unit Members

***One (1) Vacancy***

**Foundations of Excellence Committee**

(45) Unit Members

***Seven (7) Vacancies***

**Search Committee for Vice President of**

**Administration & Finance**

(1) Unit Member

***One (1) Vacancy***

**- Nominations -**

If you are interested on serving on any of these committees, please respond via

e-mail to: [mbuckley@salemstate.edu](mailto:mbuckley@salemstate.edu) or by calling the MSCA/Salem Chapter Office at extension 6920.

Please be sure to include:

Name

Department

Rank

Committee you are interested in serving on.

The deadline for all nominations is

***noon, Monday, October 15, 2007***

### **Holiday Party**

Mark your calendars! The MSCA/Salem Chapter holiday party is scheduled for Thursday, December 6, 2007, 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. at Capt.'s Waterfront Grill & Club, Pickering Wharf.

Watch for your invitation in the coming months!

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