

The meeting was called to order at 4:05 PM with a reading of the Land Acknowledgement Statement

I. Approval of Agenda

The agenda was approved unanimously.

II. Approval of Minutes of General Faculty Meeting of September 26, 2022

The minutes were approved as distributed.

III. Report from the Officer in Charge – Mary Toale

OIC Toale discussed enrollment, budget, student engagement and upcoming events. Her [complete report](#) is available on the FA website.

In the question period that followed, questions were raised about the communication issues surrounded recent issues with the elevator and heat in Mahar Hall. Also, Dr. Toale was asked if she was a candidate in the presidential search. She declined to answer.

IV. UUP Report – Steve Abraham

Negotiations Update

Not much news

Possible Spring Picketing

Chapter Elections

Chapter & Affiliate Convention nominations close: February 17

Chapter Nomination Lists posted to web: February 22

Mail chapter elections ballots: March 14-16

Chapter elections ballots due: March 21

Count Chapter Elections ballots: April 24-28

Spring Events

February 16 – Virtual Academics Workshop

March 2 - Membership Meeting 12:00 – 2:00

March 7 – Oswego Workload Workshop 12:30 – 2:00

March 21 –Workload Workshop at UMU 11:30 - 1:00

April 11 – Academic Workshop 12:40 - 1:40

April ? – Chapter Meeting (off campus?)

I. UFS Report – Eve Clark Benevides, Frank Byrne

Frank and Eve gave an overview of the [Fall Plenary](#) and the [January 2023 Plenary](#). Both reports are available on the FA website.

II. Chair's Report – Liz Schmitt

Please see the regular Faculty Assembly minutes for Chair's Report. No formal report this meeting.

III. New Business

The faculty posed questions regarding the Presidential Search process. In the discussion that followed, the chair and faculty expressed concerns about process with waivers for internal candidates, the changing role of the position of OIC and eligibility as a candidate, the role of the College Council, and, overall, deviation from stated policy/rules at the SUNY level. For the current search, information and updates are available on the [Presidential Search Website](#).

The meeting was adjourned at 5:25 P.M.

The next General Faculty meeting will be held May 1, 2023 at 4:00 pm in
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