W&M Staff Assembly Newsletter

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Serve as a Senator on Staff Assembly

Staff Assembly is currently accepting nominations through March 29, 2024. If you are an Operational/Classified or Hourly Employee, please consider running for a position on your Staff Assembly.

We are all busier than we have ever been, but the Staff Assembly continues to be your voice with the administration and leadership on this campus and it is so important that your voice be heard. Staff Assembly was part of the conversation with campus leaders on the recent employee appreciation day bonuses and days off. We are also working closely with HR on some new policies. Being a senator can take as much or as little time as you wish, but your participation is critical. We meet monthly via Zoom (hopefully moving to hybrid) and, as a senator, you would join a committee. We need you, your insights, your time, and your talent. Please give the utmost consideration to being a

Staff Assembly senator and take a moment to throw your hat in the ring for this year's election by filling out the nomination form found here: https://go.wm.edu/t7fKdN. You may also nominate someone who you think would be a good fit for the position.

REACH OUT!

Staff Assembly Secretary Role Vacant

The secretary role on the Staff Assembly Executive Board is currently vacant. We will re-elect a secretary in our upcoming elections in May for the 2024-25 cycle. If you are interested in serving in the interim or for more information about the role please reach out to staffassembly@wm.edu

Development Support Fund Open

The Development Support Fund is accepting applications until March 27, 2024. Funds are available for full-time and permanent part-time classified, operational, professional and professional faculty W&M employees for learning opportunities spanning 7/1/23-6/30/24. For more information on the Fund and how to apply, go to: https://go.wm.edu/8FVPyT

WMSA Elections April 8th-12th

The Staff Assembly election form will be open from April 8th through 12th and will be distributed by email. Please let your voice be heard, and help us represent you.





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Tawanda Johnson to join April 10 **WMSA Meeting**

Tawanda Johnson will represent University HR at the April 10 Staff Assembly meeting. She will be available to answer our questions and hear your concerns.

Join us in person in the Blow Memorial Hall Board Room or check the W&M Digest for Zoom registration information.

> Staff Assembly meets at 10 AM on the second Wednesday of each month. Watch the W&M Digest for Zoom and room information.

Office of D&I Spring Lunch and Learns

3/20/24, 12:00 - 1:30 pm - Understanding personality preferences and their impact on belonging

4/16/24, 12:30 - 1:30 pm - Water Pollution and its impact on Communities of Color

For more information and to register: https://go.wm.edu/kN19P3

Nominate an Inclusive Excellence Champion

The Office of Diversity & Inclusion welcomes campus community members to nominate faculty, staff, student or alum to be recognized for an inclusive excellence-related program or project that furthers our commitment to inclusive excellence at W&M. Submit your nomination here: https://go.wm.edu/Y3ck0g

The last day to submit nominations is Friday, March 29, 2024.

For more information: https://go.wm.edu/3JZG8X



