November Staff Senate Rewind

ARE YOU ON TRACK FOR RETIREMENT?

Thank you to Allegacy Financial’s, Dan Bernabe for presenting, “Are You on Track for Retirement” during our November meeting!

Allegacy was kind enough to contribute a workbook to assist UNCG Employees plan for retirement. Additionally, don’t forget you can set up individual meetings with Allegacy to plan for your retirement!

Thank you, Dan!
2020 marks the 30th anniversary of the landmark Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990, which provides protection against discrimination of people with disabilities. Over the last 30 years there have been real gains in access, but we still have a long way to go! In honor of the 30th anniversary, OARS will showcase a virtual PhotoVoice project for our students, staff, and faculty who identify as a person with a disability. This project is a collection of photos/drawings, including an explanation of how life is on campus through the lens of a person with a disability. The project will be featured in a virtual awareness tour for our UNC Greensboro community as well as surrounding areas. **WE NEED YOU!** We are calling for submissions of photos/drawings from our students, staff, and faculty who identify as a person with a disability. Submissions may be sent to oars@uncg.edu. Choose how you want to be identified in the exhibit (Anonymous, full name, initials, major, department, class of..., etc.).

Thank you to Director of the Office of Accessibility Resources & Services Tina Vires for coming to our November Senate Meeting! Tina shared information on the upcoming OARS ADA anniversary project. See below to contribute to their efforts! Additionally, Tina shared with us how OARS can be a resource for your students. Connect with Tina and welcome her to campus when you get a chance. Welcome Tina and thank you again!
Opportunities to Serve!

Please find clickable Service Committee Calendar here to sign up.

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STAFF SENATE IS GRATEFUL FOR YOU

We hope you enjoyed UNCG Staff Senate’s "Grateful for You" week! Thank you, from the bottom of our hearts, for making this such a great place to work! We would like to send a big shout out to our Staff Senate Committees for making this happen, coordinating these events, pushing the information out, and collecting giveaways.

Special, extraordinary thanks to our campus partners, UNCG Bookstore, UNCG Communications, UNCG Bryan School, UNCG RESEARCH, UNCG Alumni, UNCG Bryan Alum, UNCG Advancement. Jan Albrecht and Michele Dye for making this possible. We are Grateful For You!

#uncggrateful4u
Kyle, Desiree, Kara, Erin, Monica, and Lisa recently participated in Staff Senate’s, “Grateful For You” week by liking, sharing, and commenting on posts on social media and subscribing to the Staff Senate Rewind. Thank you to everyone for playing along with us! Please continue to follow the Rewind and Staff Senate social media to be ready for future giveaways!

We are excited to be sending you the Angel Tree link for the holiday season 2020!!! Hopefully, you will find something that works for you, within your budget this year in giving to some individuals and families in need. I have always appreciated your support in helping make Angel Tree successful each year. You will see the individuals from the Servants Center, two families in the UNCG community, then also, some students and their families we connected with through the Spartan Open Pantry.

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0C4DADA72FA6FC1-angel1
You may recall recent announcements related to UNC System Racial Equity Task Force Surveys and Town Halls. Please find the Task Force’s report and draft recommendations available on the Staff Senate Drive.

Welcome to the UNC System Racial Equity Task Force. The UNC Board of Governors established the task force to examine the legacy of race and racism in North Carolina’s public higher education system, how that history shapes and impacts the experiences of our students, faculty, staff, and communities, and arrive at an actionable path forward that will build a culture of inclusion across our institutions.

The iGrow Study @ UNC Greensboro needs your help to learn more about healthy infant growth and development!

The Infant Growth and Development Study (iGROW), led by Dr. Esther Leerkes and colleagues, is recruiting new participants! Pregnant women may be eligible to participate. The goal of this research study is to determine the earliest predictors of healthy weight, growth, and development during infancy. Mothers and babies will participate for about 2 years. Participants receive a total of $405 and small gifts for them and their babies over the course of the study to thank them for their participation.
with pregnant women you know. To read more about the study, click HERE. If you are pregnant and might be interested in participating, click HERE.

Please note, we are employing a number of enhanced procedures, modeled after those currently used in obstetric and pediatric practices, to reduce the risk of exposure to COVID 19. These procedures are summarized in the first link above.

UNCG Employees are long known for volunteering and service. Do you know a UNCG employee that has been caught in the act of caring? The Staff Recognition Committee encourages all staff, campus-wide, to nominate employees whom they observe being kind, thoughtful, helpful or considerate.

Ready to make someone a Star?

Complete the Staff Stars Recommendation Form.

Contact the Information Resources Committee

If you want to make updates on the website, facebook, twitter, or the mobile app, please send requests to the information resources committee at this email address: staff_send_info_resources-l@uncg.edu

Sending to this address will ensure the quickest turnaround time for your post, since...
this email is shared by all the members of the committee and eliminates the need to

Any information you want in the posting. If you have specific wording you want used, be sure you make that clear in your communication to us.
Photos – if there are people in the photo, please include their names and home departments if possible.
Links to any websites, forms or sign-ups that you want referenced in the post.
Let us know if you want people tagged in social media posts.

Also, please follow us on facebook - @UncgStaffSenate, twitter - @UNCGStaffSenate, and opt-in to Staff Senate Communication notifications on the UNCG mobile app. By following these, you’ll have access to the most up-to-date information on upcoming events and volunteer opportunities, as well as important news about the staff senate.

November 2020 Senate Meeting Minutes

NEXT SENATE MEETING: December 10, 2020
SEE MEETING INFORMATION & ZOOM LINK: https://staffsenate.uncg.edu/

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