

SUCSESSES

- Established Staff Council budget
- Improved communication between staff, faculty, administration, and students
- Improved tuition reimbursement procedures
- Improved building evacuation procedures
- Increased community involvement
- Leadership Flint Staff Scholarship
- Staff Lounge relocated
- Release time for Staff Council sponsored functions
- Representation on Student Publication Board
- Staff Council bulletin board
- Open parking on Fridays
- Volunteer Service Credit
- Sterling Staff Awards

STERLING STAFF AWARDS

The Sterling Staff Award is designed to acknowledge staff members for their contributions to the campus. Submitted by a student, faculty or staff member, a Sterling Staff Award lets staff know that they are making a difference, that what they do is valued, and that they are recognized for going the extra distance in their work.

Each month, staff members who are nominated will receive an email with a link to an online certificate in PDF format. Nominated staff members will be entered in a drawing, with the randomly selected winner highlighted on the Staff Council webpage. All nominees will be listed.

www.umflint.edu/staffcouncil/sterlingstaff

VOLUNTEER SERVICE CREDIT

We recognize staff members who volunteer on campus or in the community! Record your volunteer service hours via the electronic form on our website and print transcripts of your cumulative volunteer hours. Certificates will be presented at the Holiday Staff Breakfast to staff members who have volunteered 50 hours or more from December of the previous year through November of the current year!

www.umflint.edu/staffcouncil/volunteer.htm

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

August and September

*Back to School Supply Drive
First Year Student Book Project*

November

*United Way Campaign
Veteran's Day Ceremony*

December

*Adopt-A-Student-Family
Holiday Staff Breakfast*

May

*Staff Recognition Awards
Staff Assembly Breakfast*

Save the Date!

Birthday Club Parties

We celebrate Staff birthdays!

2nd Wednesday in

Feb, May, Aug, and Nov

Alumni Room

1:00-2:00 p.m.

The University of
Michigan-Flint

**STAFF
COUNCIL**



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Staff Council

MISSION

The Staff Assembly and the Staff Council will stimulate and maintain a spirit of unity and open communication between the University Support Personnel and the Administration of the University of Michigan-Flint. The Charter establishes the guidelines for procedures under which these bodies will function.

GOALS

- Provide open communication on campus between staff and administration.
- Be the voice to the Administration, channeling concerns by suggesting proposals and solutions with input from Staff Assembly.

STAFF ASSEMBLY

Staff Assembly was formed following a task force study in 1990. Staff Assembly consists of three groups:

1. Staff Assembly (all staff members of UM-Flint)
2. Staff Council (elected UM-Flint staff)
3. Staff Council Advisor (Vice Chancellor for Administration)

STAFF COUNCIL

Staff Council will serve as an agent of Staff Assembly. The terms of Staff Council are two years. All Staff Council members are eligible for re-election at the end of their two-year term. After serving two terms, a member needs to be inactive from Staff Council for one year before being eligible for re-election to Staff Council.

STAFF COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES 2009-10

M. Lynn Barbee, International Center
Barbara Bassett, EOI, Vice Chair
Nicole Borcharding, Development/Alumni Relations
Rhonda Broadworth, CAS, Chair
Garry Cardillo, Academic Advising, Secretary
Karen Davis, English
Stacy Doyle, Development/Alumni Relations
Jennifer Fisch-Ferguson, EOI
Sharon Seames, SOM
James Vogt, Department of Public Safety

The officers of Staff Council are selected at the first Staff Council meeting following their election.

CAMPUS COMMITTEES AND EVENTS

Staff Council members serve on committees and/or volunteer at events on campus, including:

- Auxiliary and Recreation Services Advisory Board
- Campus Child Care Advisory Committee
- College Athletics Planning Committee
- Commencement Ceremonies
- Committee for Disability Concerns
- Faculty/Staff Scholarship Committee
- Health and Wellness Committee
- M. Borland Book Fund
- Martin Luther King Day
- Parking and Transportation Committee
- Safety (DPS) Oversight Committee
- Student Housing Committee
- United Way Campaign
- Veteran's Day Recognition Committee
- Voices of the Staff
- Welcome Back Picnic Committee
- Women's Night Out

MEETING SCHEDULE

Staff Council meetings are at 10:00am in the Alumni Room on the third Thursday of every month (unless otherwise posted). **ALL Staff Assembly members are welcome to attend Staff Council meetings.**

ON-GOING CONCERNS

- Increase staff morale
- Obtain feedback from staff
- Improve parking on campus
- Promote Employee Tuition Assistance
- Recognize achievements of staff
- Lobby for staff discounts at the Early Childhood Development Center
- Facilitate the creation of staff lounge space(s)
- Assist with issues that impact enrollment such as athletics and campus safety
- Maintain the Staff Council website and archives
- Raise funds for more Staff Council activities

Staff Council cares about your concerns.

If there is an issue you would like to bring to the attention of Staff Council, please contact a Staff Council member or use the online Suggestion Box form.

www.umflint.edu/staffcouncil/feedback.htm