

# SPRING MEETING OF THE FACULTY

Wednesday, April 6, 2011, 2:30PM

Campus Center Ballroom

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## **AGENDA**

**1. CALL TO ORDER** (Eric Lifshin, Chair of the University Senate)

Refer to the following handout:

- Minutes of the November 3, 2010 Fall Meeting of the Voting Faculty

**2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – FALL FACULTY MEETING, November 3, 2010**  
(Eric Lifshin)

**3. MOMENT OF SILENCE FOR DECEASED COLLEAGUES** (Eric Lifshin)

- Carl Odenkirchen, Languages, Literatures & Cultures (July 10, 2009)
- Dick Hughes, School of Business (April 28, 2010)
- Corrado Baglioni, Biological Sciences (June 1, 2010)
- Joseph Heikoff, Public Administration & Policy (September 14, 2010)
- James W. Wessman, LACS ( November 19, 2010)
- Cesar Munive, College of Nanoscale Science & Engineering (November 22, 2010)
- Augustine Zitelli (Retired) Languages, Literatures, & Cultures (December 9, 2010)
- John S. Hoagland (Retired) School of Business (December 10, 2010)
- Joe Jenkins, Mathematics & Statistics (December 21, 2010)
- Matthew A. Staccone, Small Business Development Center (December 28, 2010)

**4. REPORT TO THE FACULTY** (George Philip, President)

**5. OTHER BUSINESS** (Eric Lifshin)

**6. ADJOURNMENT** (Eric Lifshin)

**State University of New York  
University at Albany  
Fall Meeting of the Faculty**

*November 3, 2010*

**MINUTES**

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

- Senate Chair, Dr. Eric Lifshin, welcomed those in attendance and called the meeting to order at approximately 11:00 am. He referred to the documents available at the door which included the meeting's agenda and the minutes from the Spring Faculty meeting of April 19, 2010. Other informative materials are available on the Senate web site.

**2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

- The first order of business was to approve the minutes of the April 19 Spring Faculty Meeting. A motion to approve the minutes was made and seconded, and the minutes were approved as distributed.

**3. MOMENT OF SILENCE FOR DECEASED COLLEAGUES**

- Dr. Lifshin read the names of those colleagues who had died since the spring meeting. A moment of silence was observed in their memory.

**4. REPORT TO THE FACULTY**

- Dr. Lifshin introduced President George M. Philip, who delivered the following message at the 2010 Fall Faculty Meeting:

President Philip thanked Senate Chair Lifshin and welcomed everyone. He stated the importance of coming together each semester as it gives us an opportunity to pause from our daily activities. This is a time to reflect on where we are and offer perspective on where we are going.

The President acknowledged the success and hard work of our faculty and staff. Those accomplishments contribute immeasurably to the advancement of the University at Albany and the pursuit of learning, discovery, and service. He cited some recent successes:

- In the Department of Atmospheric and Environmental Sciences, which will be celebrating its 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary, many of the faculty recently received nearly \$2 million cumulatively from major national funding sources. He congratulated Professors Braddock Linsley and Mathias Vuille for their awards from the National Science Foundation; Professors Christopher Thorncroft and Richard Perez for grants they received from NASA; Professor Vincent Idone for receipt of funding from the Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency; and Professor Ryan Tom, who received a grant from the University Corporation for Atmospheric Research.
- The School of Public Health launched its 25th anniversary this semester by announcing two federal grants totaling \$7.9 million from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.
- Psychology Professor Cheryl Frye received nearly \$1.3 million from the National Institute of Mental Health.
- Chemistry Professors Jayanti Pandi, Alexander Shekhtman, and Dan Fabris received nearly \$4 million combined from the National Institutes of Health.

- Physics Professor Carolyn MacDonald was awarded \$330,000 from the Illinois Institute of Technology.
- Information Studies Professor Dr. Xiaojun Yuan received \$325,000 from the Institute of Museum and Library Services.
- Sociology Professor Kate Strully received a \$625,000 grant from the National Institute for Child Health and Development.
- History Professor Gerald Zahavi's documentary film "Red Montana" is being funded by Humanities Montana.

Other notable successes include:

- Six UAlbany faculty members – David Andersen, Deborah Andersen, Mark Blum, Stephen North, Carol Rodgers, and Lawrence Schell – are bringing their academic expertise to Europe, Mexico and Africa as Fulbright Scholars this year.
- Criminal Justice Professor Shawn Bushway has been appointed to the New York State Sentencing Commission.
- English Professor Eric Keenaghan has been awarded the David Gray Chair Library Fellowship at the University at Buffalo's Poetry Collection.
- Congratulations go to English Professors Helene Scheck and Lisa Thompson for the awards they received from the Society for Medieval Feminist Scholarship and the National Women's Studies Association, respectively.
- Art History Professor Amy Bloch was invited to lecture at the Victoria and Albert Museum in London.
- Atmospheric and Environmental Sciences Professor John Delano presented at NASA this past summer.
- History Professor Sheila Curran Bernard was selected for the 2010 Kennedy Center Summer Playwriting Intensive.
- The School of Business was recognized by the European CEO Magazine as the "Most Innovative Business School in the Northeast Region of the U.S." and it now ranks #2 in the United States for "Greatest Opportunities for Women" by the Princeton Review.
- In Criminal Justice, Professor Frankie Bailey received the 2010 George N. Dove Award.
- Distinguished Teaching Professor James Acker was invited to deliver the inaugural lecture in connection with the Cleere-Francis Lecture Series at the University of Northern Colorado.
- School of Education Professors Kevin Kinser and Jason Lane presented research at an international conference in Paris, France.
- The Counseling Psychology Department was ranked 5<sup>th</sup> in the nation for the number of faculty publications by the *Journal of Counseling Psychology*.
- Finally, it is also worth noting that the School of Education now hosts the Secretariat of the Comparative and International Education Society (CIES).

President Philip asked everyone to join him in applauding the success of our colleagues across the University.

President Philip spoke of the previous day's election, which gave New York a new Governor, a new Attorney General, and a new State Legislature, with control of the State Senate unknown at the time. He hoped that the changes would signal a new beginning for Albany and the State of New York. In the aftermath of yesterday's elections, we are once again reminded of how our elected officials can profoundly shape public policy, and how those policies directly affect every one of us. He said the University at Albany knows this all too well – given the extraordinary disinvestment public higher education has experienced under previous elected officials. President Philip indicated that these are difficult times and the harsh reality of the budget is taking hold. The campus is engaged in challenging conversations and choices are being questioned. Members of the University family have and will continue to be impacted. He said the simple fact remains that more than 30% of the University's State tax base allocation is gone. Over the past several weeks, he had been presented with many viewpoints on the proposed budget actions. He said while the way forward will continue to present challenges, the

best way to see us through these trying times is to continue with a constructive dialogue and with open minds. The President said we need to encourage creative thinking and constructive problem-solving, to work cooperatively and with shared purpose, and to look pragmatically and dispassionately at how best to move our great University forward.

President Philip said that some have questioned the process by which current budget scenarios have been developed and said a number of inaccurate assertions have been made. These include statements that the humanities are endangered at UAlbany; that students have to graduate by May 2012; that there will be no languages in our curriculum; that only the College of Arts and Sciences is being cut; and that all budget decisions have already been made. To correct the record, he said the truth is that the humanities have absorbed the least percentage of faculty losses and all current majors and minors will have the opportunity to graduate beyond May 2012. He further noted that languages will continue to be a core part of the University's curriculum and that areas outside of the Arts and Sciences have taken a far greater cut. He added that budget discussions are on-going.

Further, the programs under discussion amount to approximately 6% of the more than \$33 million in cuts exacted on the University. He reminded everyone that misinformation and misunderstanding will not solve the University's fiscal woes. To advance our University, we need to continue to work cooperatively and deliberatively.

The President conveyed that as we look to the future, we simply cannot anticipate major new infusions of government support. Recent fiscal and economic reports suggest tougher times ahead. Recently, the Division of the Budget released its Mid-Year Financial Plan Update, which projects the State deficit to be at \$9 billion for next year, over \$14 billion for 2012, and over \$17 billion for 2013. He said the State's financial future continues to look ominous, and it is vitally important that we seek constructive solutions and alternative sources of revenue. Under New York State's highly restrictive regulatory environment, the University is striving to find new ways to bolster its resources. These include:

- Increasing the number of out-of-state students, which generates higher tuition revenue
- Securing differential tuition for select professional programs
- Focusing increased efforts on fund raising
- Advancing entrepreneurial public-private partnerships

President Philip commended the University Senate Executive Committee for initiating an important conversation about how our faculty might be able to develop alternative sources of revenue, and he looked forward to partnering with them on this. He said we will take a hard look at new opportunities for cost savings in administrative areas, as well as athletics. But to make a real and meaningful impact in moving our institution forward, every one of us needs to get involved. President Kennedy's speechwriter and counselor, Ted Sorensen, passed away on Sunday. Mr. Sorensen is known for the historic words that he penned for President Kennedy to challenge America: "Ask not what your country can do for you, but what you can do for your country." These words of personal accountability, which moved a nation, should be a source of inspiration for us here today. They are a clear reminder of the opportunity and obligation we have as University citizens to collectively take control of our institution's destiny. In these challenging times, President Philip asked everyone to work cooperatively together to find constructive solutions, and to find ways to change the conversation.

At present, the essence of the conversation has centered on "where" this University should absorb these devastating cuts. Members of our campus community are in conflict over how to implement the massive budget reductions imposed on our campus by the State of New York. He said he believed the conversation should be focused on "why" public higher education is being asked to sustain an unprecedented level of reduction – a more than 30% cut to this University in just three years. In the wake of potentially even greater losses in our State assistance, the President said it is incumbent upon each of us to voice our concerns to our elected representatives in government frequently, passionately, convincingly, credibly, and with a unified voice. President Philip said this is a time to exercise our constitutional right to influence public policy, to voice our concerns, and to argue for the preservation and betterment of public higher education, the State University and the University at Albany. He stated that

he has informed our legislators on many occasions that public higher education is not an expenditure but an investment in the next generation, an educated and thoughtful citizenry, our workforce, innovation and discovery, and in our future. He said the challenges facing our newly-elected officials will be difficult, but now is the time to have our voices heard and now is the time to change the conversation.

President Philip discussed the need for a strategy and a road map to move forward, especially given the uncertain fiscal environment around us. As resources for higher education are increasingly constrained, there are even higher expectations and demands on our public universities and colleges, and UAlbany is no exception. With this complex set of challenges, he initiated a strategic planning process in October 2009 with the goal of defining the University's path forward. The process was informed by the Middle States Self-Study and developed with an awareness of the then-emerging SUNY-wide strategic plan. The goal was to create a new statement of mission, a statement of strategic goals, and a 5-year blueprint for achieving our objectives. The strategic planning process began with an overview of innovations and emerging trends in higher education. This information helped us consider how UAlbany could best serve the needs of a local, state, national, and global population. Over the past year, more than 300 faculty, staff, students, alumni, and community members came together to develop the plan. They examined a variety of trends, from economic to social and political. They explored the interests of UAlbany stakeholders and assessed our institutional strengths and weaknesses. He said the final plan will be formally unveiled in a few weeks. He said some of its key components are to provide a framework for action and to define our mission, values, goals, and key objectives. Our mission statement articulates our shared purpose, namely: "Expanding knowledge and transforming minds to shape the future of our community and our world." The President discussed important values we share in carrying out our mission. These include our commitment to excellence in our endeavors; access to our programs; collaboration in our work; engagement with diverse communities; respect for individuals; and integrity.

The President said that our actions will focus on six key goals designed to capitalize on our strengths and propel UAlbany forward, and outlined the goals as follows:

**Goal 1**

- Enhance the quality of undergraduate education at UAlbany and attract and serve a highly qualified and diverse group of students.

**Goal 2**

- Create an excellent student experience that integrates academic and co-curricular experiences, engages the surrounding community and the world, and fosters lifelong pride in the University.

**Goal 3**

- Advance excellence in graduate education in support of the University's reputation, role, and stature, and the preparation and competitiveness of graduates.

**Goal 4**

- Increase UAlbany's visibility in, and resources for, advancing and disseminating knowledge, discovery, and scholarship.

**Goal 5**

- Add to, and reconfigure, our teaching, research, student life and support spaces in a manner compatible with our contemporary mission.

**Goal 6**

- Engage diverse communities in strategic partnerships to increase public, scholarly and economic benefits.

For each of these goals, key objectives and action steps have been identified. The President stated that we are in the process of forming a steering committee to develop a plan for implementing these steps. As a result of this plan, our University will move forward in a variety of ways. We will be home to an increasingly selective group of undergraduate and graduate students. They will have an excellent student experience that integrates curricular, research, and co-curricular activity, and prepares them for successful futures in the global world. We will offer a balance of undergraduate and graduate programs consistent with a research mission that reflects a strong foundation in the arts and sciences, and strong

areas of distinctiveness in traditional, professional, and emerging disciplines. Those areas of distinctiveness will correspond to societal need, student interest, and to our competitive advantage in nanoscale and life sciences, social sciences, and public policy.

President Philip acknowledged that the world is changing, and so must our University, as it has throughout its history. A new way forward requires new thinking and new actions, and the courage for all of us to work together. The President said he was deeply grateful to all who have helped develop our strategic plan and asked those individuals to stand and be recognized. Together, we will overcome our challenges and continue to play a vital role in the success of our students, our community, and our world. While these are difficult times, there is a new day before us, with new State leadership, a new strategic plan, and new opportunities ahead. The President said it is a time to come together and ask ourselves "What can WE do for our University." He added that he was confident we can change the conversation with our elected State officials, foster creative thinking and constructive problem-solving, and together ensure a brighter future for our University.

President Philip thanked everyone for their everyday accomplishments that make the University an outstanding place of learning, research, and discovery for our students and the world. Before concluding his report, President Philip answered several questions and agreed to host a faculty forum on the budget.

## **5. OTHER BUSINESS**

- Dr. Lifshin thanked President Philip for his address. He recognized those who are or who have been involved with the Senate and thanked them. He encouraged everyone to attend future Senate meetings in force and to participate in activities so this critical dialogue can continue. He asked if there was any new business from the floor. A motion was made to have a faculty forum to discuss budget issues, which was seconded and opened for discussion. A statement was made in support and the motion was put to a vote, which supported holding a faculty forum. While the number present did not constitute a quorum, President Philip suggested that without a formal resolution, he would work towards creating a faculty forum.

## **6. ADJOURNMENT**

- There being no additional new business, a motion to adjourn was made and seconded, and the meeting was adjourned.

President's' Leadership Awards

<b>Last Name or Organization Name</b>	<b>First Name</b>	<b>Award</b>	<b>Major</b>	<b>Minor</b>
A.S.U.B.A. Albany State University Black Alliance	N/A	Great Dane Award	N/A	N/A
Adams	Leda	Chapel House Award	Art	Psychology and Biology
Adomfeh	Emmanuel	Outstanding Senior Award	Biology & Africana Studies	N/A
African Student Association	N/A	Cultural Awareness Award	N/A	N/A
Albany Business Leaders Emerging (ABLE)	N/A	Community Service Award	N/A	N/A
Albany Student Television (ATV)	N/A	Great Dane Award	N/A	N/A
All Greek Council	N/A	Danes After Dark Award	N/A	N/A
Allen	William	Outstanding Senior Award	Physics	Mathematics
Aponte	Vincent	Greek Leadership Award	Psychology	N/A
Barry	Sarah	Great Dane Award	Political Science	NA
Battaglia	Jodi	Outstanding Senior Award	Business Administration	N/A
Bennett	Katelyn	Outstanding Senior Award	Public Health	NA
Bilek	Elizabeth	Chapel House Award	Urban Plannning	Atmospheric Science
Bill	Kristine	Athletes Leadership Award	Business Administration	Sociology
Biunno	J.B.	Great Dane Award	Communication	N/A
Brown	Cherie	Outstanding Senior Award	Political Science	N/A
Bulman	Taylor	Great Dane Award	Psychology	Sociology & Education
Carlton	Douglas	Residential Life Outstanding Achievement Award	Communication & Rhetoric	N/A
Choong	Tatiana	UAlbany Spirit Award	Criminal Justice	N/A
Closs	Hillary	Outstanding Senior Award & Ada Craig Walker Award	Psychology, Sociology, & Education	Education
Corey	Geoff	UAlbany Fund Award	Political Science	LGBTQ Studies
Crotty	Kyle	Athletes Leadership Award	Accounting	Business Administration
Deane	Sarah	Outstanding Senior Award	Psychology	Neuroscience & Education
Dedopoulos	Meredith	Outstanding Senior Award	Criminal Justice	N/A
DeMartino	Sean	Great Dane Award	Psychology	Education
Destin	Giovanny	Great Dane Award	Biology	Spanish
Dorcely	Raymond	Great Dane Award	Communication	Business
Erman	Joseph	Residential Life Outstanding Achievement Award	History & Anthropology	N/A
<b>Last Name or Organization Name</b>	<b>First Name</b>	<b>Award</b>	<b>Major</b>	<b>Minor</b>

Friedlander	Lee	Great Dane Award	Psychology	Women's Studies & LGBT Studies
Frumkin	Sam	Community Service Leadership Award	Social Welfare	N/A
Ganetis	Sara	Distinguished Scholar-Leader Award	Atmospheric Science	Mathematics
Gillette	Nicole	Great Dane Award	Communication	N/A
Gondar	Julie	Outstanding Senior Award	Public Policy	Public Administration
Graduate Student Organization	N/A	Great Dane Award	N/A	N/A
Grimmick	Kathryn	Outstanding Senior Award	English	Education
Haitian Student Association	N/A	Great Dane Award	N/A	N/A
Hayes	Jackie	Graduate Student Organization Outstanding Leadership Award	Latin American, Caribbean, and U.S. Latino Studies	N/A
Hernandez de Sigma Iota Alpha, INC.	N/A	Cultural Awareness Award	N/A	N/A
Hernandez	Jessica	Outstanding Senior Award	Social Welfare & Spanish	N/A
Huie	Ashley	Middle Earth Award	Psychology	Education
Jacobs	Shoshana	Five Quad Award	Psychology	Womens Studies/Public Health
Jamison	Kelly	Outstanding Senior Award	Public Health & Sociology	N/A
Jayawardena	Chinthaka	International Student Leadership Award	Computer Science	N/A
Jean	Nicole	Great Dane Award	Social Welfare	Education
Joseph	Lerone	Residential Life Outstanding Achievement Award	Sociology	Criminal Justice, Mathematics
Kawakami	Simeon	Rod Hart Memorial Award	Accounting; Business Administration (Financial Analyst Honors)	N/A
Kielbasa	Kristen	Women's Outstanding Leadership Award	Information Science	N/A
Labianca	Roseanna	Residential Life Outstanding Achievement Award	Accounting	N/A
Lee	Jason	Graduate Student Organization Distinguished Service Award	Public Health	N/A
Lee	Jae Ho	International Student Leadership Award	Nanoscale Science & Engineering	N/A
Livingston	Joel	Community Service Leadership Award	Criminal Justice	Educational Studies & Public Policy

<b>Last Name or Organization Name</b>	<b>First Name</b>	<b>Award</b>	<b>Major</b>	<b>Minor</b>
Manganelli	Steven J.	The Justice Award	Criminal Justice	Business Administration and Sociology
Middle Earth Peer Assistance Program	N/A	Community Service Award	N/A	N/A
Moghadam	Neema	Great Dane Award	Business Administration & Economics	Sociology
Nozawa-Joffe	Michiko L.	Don't Walk Alone Award	Women's Studies	Criminal Justice & LGBTQ Studies
Onuorah	Christopher	Great Dane Award	Information Science	Business Administration & Music
Papa	Nikoleta	Great Dane Award	Communication	N/A
Patterson	Brandon	Great Dane Award	Political Science	Criminal Justice & Public Policy
Pelchat	Margaret	Residential Life Outstanding Achievement Award	Math	English
Phillip	Shani	Great Dane Award	Social Welfare	N/A
Pollard	Jennifer	Great Dane Award	Human Biology	N/A
Presidential Honors Society	N/A	Community Service Award	N/A	N/A
Price	Tremayne	University Governance Leadership Award	Public Policy	N/A
Pride Alliance		The Justice Award	N/A	N/A
Ramsey	Ieasha	Residential Life Outstanding Achievement Award	Social Work & Psychology	N/A
Rar	Rostislav	Great Dane Award	Accounting; Business Administration (Honors Financial Analyst Concentration)	N/A
Reclassifying All Children Equally (R.A.C.E.) Organization	N/A	Community Service Award	N/A	N/A
Rivera	Salina	Greek Leadership Award	N/A	N/A
Rodriguez	Stephanie	Great Dane Award	Criminal Justice	Political Science & Latin Caribbean Studies
Rotella	Leah	Outstanding Senior Award	Spanish - Language Concentration	Italian, Latin American Studies, Educational Studies
Scala	Nicholas	Academic Leadership Award	Accounting & Financial Analyst	N/A
Service Is Key	N/A	Community Service Award	N/A	N/A
Sigma Psi Zeta Sorority, Inc.	N/A	Greek Leadership Award	N/A	N/A

<b>Last Name or Organization Name</b>	<b>First Name</b>	<b>Award</b>	<b>Major</b>	<b>Minor</b>
Sisters With Pride	N/A	Community Service Award	N/A	N/A
Sklover	Aleeza	Chapel House Award	Theater	N/A
Stulov	Konstantin	Great Dane Award	Mathematics, Physics	N/A
Tijani	Rukayatu	Outstanding Senior Award	Political Science & Africana Studies	N/A
UA Veterans		Great Dane Award	N/A	N/A
University at Albany College Democrats	N/A	Great Dane Award	N/A	N/A
Waldman	Cameron	Outstanding Senior Award	Philosophy	Bioethics
Walters	Tieisha	Great Dane Award	Rhetoric & Communication	Sociology
Wax Jacobs	Justin	Outstanding Senior Award	History, Far East Asian Studies, and Political Science	N/A
WCDB	N/A	Cultural Awareness Award	N/A	N/A
Wedin	Arianna	Great Dane Award	Biology	N/A
Whitcomb	Maureen	Outstanding Senior Award	Women's Studies	N/A
Zapata	Patricia	Residential Life Outstanding Achievement Award	Criminal Justice & Political Science	N/A

## 2011 Recipients of Chancellor's Award for Student Excellence

Nicole Branchini

Hillary Closs

Carolyn Frantz

Sara Ganetis

Chinthaka Jayawardena

Patrick Lawrence

Cynthia Mellen

Leah Rotella

Rukayatu Tijani

Justin Wax Jacobs

Melinda White

## 2010-11 RECIPIENTS OF THE PRESIDENTIAL AWARDS FOR UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH

Name	Major	Faculty Advisor
Douglas Bennett	Psychology	Dr. Jeanette Altarriba
David Blundell	English	Dr. Tomas Noel
Kathleen Brien	English	Dr. Branka Arsic
Alicia Bentley	Atmospheric & Env Science	Dr. Lance Bosart
Cyndel Carreau	Biological Sci	Dr. Ewan McNay
Meredith Dedopoulos	Criminal Justice	Dr. Alissa Worden
Giovanny Destin	Biological Sci	Dr. Ben Szaro
Sara Ganetis	Atmospheric & Env Science	Dr. Lance Bosart
Cynthia Hunke	English	Dr. Jennifer Freiman
Janice Jin	Biological Sci	Dr. Melinda Larsen
Christine Jorge	Human Biology	Dr. Ewan McNay
Andrew Orayfig	Psychology	Dr. John Forsyth
Gabriel Susca-Lopata	Atmospheric & Env Science	Dr. Ryan Torn

## 2010-11 UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH ENDOWED FELLOWSHIP

<i>Name</i>	<i>Major</i>	<i>Faculty Advisor</i>	<i>Name of Endowed Fund</i>
Carmen Branca	Biological Sciences	Janet Paluh, CNSE	Lita & Stephen Greenwald
Cyndel Carreau	Biological Sciences	Ewan McNay, Psychology	Lita & Stephen Greenwald
Giovanny Destin	Biological Sciences	Ben Szaro, Biological Sciences	Lita & Stephen Greenwald
Janice Jin	Biological Sciences	Melinda Larsen, Biological Sciences	Lita & Stephen Greenwald
Hillary Closs	Social Welfare	Philip McCallion, Social Welfare	Adelaide Schmid
Brenden McCarthy	English	Helene Scheck, English	Adelaide Schmid
Maureen Whitcomb	Women's Studies	Barbara Sutton, Women's Studies	Clyde & Virginia Roosa Slocum
Hassan Naqvi	Biological Sciences	Graeme Newman, Criminal Justice	Adrienne Zimberg

## 2011 Excellence Award Winners

### **Teaching Full Time:**

Christine Wagner, Associate Professor, Psychology

Joanne Kaufman, Assistant Professor, Sociology

### **Teaching Part-time:**

Craig Hancock, EOP

Barbara Rio, Social Welfare

### **Teaching Graduate Student:**

Matt Vogel, Sociology

Dawit Demissie, Information Studies

### **Professional Service:**

Suzanne Lance, NYS Writers Institute

Holly Barker-Flynn, Residential Life

### **Academic Service:**

Alan Wagner, Professor, Educational Administration and Policy Studies

### **Classified Service:**

Brett McLaughlin, University Police Department

### **Research and Creative Activities**

Iris Berger, History

Istvan Kecskes, Educational Theory & Practice

Fatemeh Shahedipour-Sandvik, College of Nanoscale Science & Engineering

JoAnne Carson, Art

# 2011 Faculty Rental Regalia Form

Members of the teaching faculty who wish to rent regalia must complete and return this form by April 11, to receive a hood with your school color. All orders placed after **April 11** will come with a UAlbany hood. All rental orders must be placed no later than **April 27**. This is the last day for faculty to order Ph.D. regalia from the University Bookstore.

This form may be submitted via email to Sue DeRocco: [sderocco@uamail.albany.edu](mailto:sderocco@uamail.albany.edu) . Sue will also be your point of contact for all questions regarding rental regalia. She can also be reached at 442-5692 / fax 442-5685. Upon submission, you will receive a confirmation email within **48 hours**.

**Please Note:**

**Regalia will NOT be distributed the day of the ceremony on site.** You must pick up your regalia between May 2 – May 13 at the University Bookstore or you may have it delivered to your campus office May 2-4. Please indicate your preference with your order

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Department: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please mark each piece you need. (**Tams are not available for rental. Please contact the UAlbany Bookstore regarding inquiries into availability for purchase.**)

I wish to order: Cap \_\_\_\_\_ (One Size only) Gown \_\_\_\_\_ Hood \_\_\_\_\_

Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_\_

Degree: \_\_\_\_\_ Field: \_\_\_\_\_

Institution that  
Awarded degree \_\_\_\_\_

Ceremonies I plan to attend: Grad \_\_\_\_\_ Undergrad \_\_\_\_\_ Both \_\_\_\_\_

*Rented regalia will be collected by Bookstore representatives after the ceremonies. All regalia must be returned to the bookstore no later than Tuesday, May 17*