



Meeting Agenda
Thursday, April 13th, 2023

- Call to Order: 9:01 a.m.
- [Land Acknowledgement](#)
- Approval of [March Minutes](#)
 - Approved by Kelli Dowd
 - Seconded by Cortney Heileman
- President's Report (Nic Bongers)
 - AP Awards
 - [AP Elections](#) - Call for candidates ends April 21. Elections will be held May 1-May 26, with election results being shared the week of June 1, and seats activate July 1. [Nomination form](#)
 - Joint event with AP Association, we will be hosting a "meet the candidates" session on May 3 from 4:30-6:00 p.m. at the Red Ox. Please join us for refreshments and casual conversation to meet the current AP e-board members and those standing for office.
 - NEW - Welcome to the new APs hired, and congrats to all APs who were promoted, reclassified, or transferred in March:

Transaction	FirstName	LastName	Department	Title
New Hire	Gregory	Beatty	School of Medicine	Art & Pract-Med Course Coord
New Hire	Michael	Couch	Financial Aid	Assistant Dir of Financial Aid - Compliance & Training
New Hire	Carson	Deel	UTS Security	Cybersecurity Analyst
New Hire	Brittany	Golston	Centr for Multicultural Initiatives	Retention Coordinator
New Hire	Jacob	Howard	Golf Courses	Assistant Golf Shop Manager
New Hire	Lauren	Roy	Admissions	Admissions Adviser
New Hire	Autumn	Trumble	School of Medicine	Assessment and Evaluation Coordinator
Promotion	Sarah	Butash	Registrar	Assoc Registrar/Systems & Tech
Promotion	Kelsie	Hogarth	DACE Campaign and Stewardship	Asst Director of Stewardship
Promotion	Marisa	Jurczak	Risk Management	Risk Management Coord



Promotion	Carrie	Sliwinski	Strategic Programs	PACE Assistant Director
Reclassification	Mikayla	Benton	DACE Campaign and Stewardship	Sr. Research Analyst
Reclassification	Chris	Bowles	Advancement Services	Director of Advancement Information Systems
Reclassification	Kelly	Brault	Annual Giving	Sr Director Annual Giving and Special Audiences
Reclassification	Stephanie	Pollock	Advancement Services	Associate Director Advancement Operations
Reclassification	Richard	Rachner	Major and Corporate Giving	Associate VP for Philanthropy
Reclassification	Erin	Sudrovech	Alumni Engagement	Sr. Director Alumni Engagement
Title Change	Lauren	Jeske	Advancement Services	Asst VP Advancement Operations
Transfer	Dayna	Neef	Major and Corporate Giving	Corporate & Foundation Relations Officer
Transfer	Hnou	Vue	Health Sciences	Academic Adviser

- President-elect Report (open seat)
- Past President's Report (open seat)
 - Ways to recognize APs
 - [AP Shout Out](#)
 - GrEAT Recognition (offered through CARROT)
 - More information available here: [Community Service Recognition](#)
- Treasurer's Report (Ann Voorheis-Sargent)
 - Account 98204: \$4582.80
- Secretary's Report (Cissie Patterson)
 - Submit info for the Newsletter (we prefer info a month in advance)
 - [Submit an update](#) on other committee or organization news that may be relevant to APs
 - Interested in joining a committee? [Fill out this form](#) and a board member will contact you with more details.
 - Did you or a fellow AP win an award? We want to know! Fill out this [AP Award Spotlight form](#) to be featured in our newsletter.
 - If you have any comments or questions, please email us at apassembly@oakland.edu
- AP Association Report (Becky Lewis)
 - Elections



- Meet the Candidates Event
- All AP Meeting. Please hold the date: June 22 from 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. for this important gathering of all APs to get updates and new information regarding OU employment, etc. This will be a zoom event (<https://oakland-edu.zoom.us/j/94387671418?pwd=cW1ueDR4RlAvR21YUzVmUVZCc2twdz09>). More details on the content will be shared in the next few weeks.
- Formerly the Ultimate Fringe, the AP Association will be hosting "Cheers to Our Careers" on Thursday, September 28 at the Red Ox from 4:30-6:30 p.m.
- AP Assembly Committee Reports
 - Community Engagement (Charles Guzowski)
 - Spring Fling June 2 - social networking event
 - Monthly Board Game Night (Matt- mholtz@oakland.edu) - We are looking to do at least one Board Game event per month going forward. Time is from **5pm-8pm**. Show up anytime as multiple games should be going on. It will be at the OC behind where Plum market was. For anyone interested, you can bring board games you'd like to play as well.
 - April 12th
 - May 10th
 - Professional Development (Cortney Heileman & Beth Feiten)
 - Past Events:
 - *February 28, 2023 from 1-2pm / [Zoom](#): "Understanding Your Tuition Benefits for Staff" with HR's Cissie Patterson*
 - Upcoming Events:
 - *Add the AP Calendar to your Google Calendar - dates/events will be added!*
 - *April 18th - 12-1pm/ [Zoom](#): "Step By Step Process of Performance Reviews" with HR's Cissie Patterson*
 - Continuing:
 - [Anti-Racism Discussion Group](#) (on OU website Calendar)



- *Wednesday, April 19th from 12-1pm* / [Zoom](#): "Racial Wealth Gap and Higher Education"
- PD Empowers yOU:
 - [Tuition Assistance @ OU](#)
 - Voice of the AP (Kelli Dowd)
 - University-wide [DEI Council](#) - split into three working groups for staff, faculty, and students to work on DEI initiatives - one of the first is to make sure that all of our maps have accessibility outlined - as well as included on tours.



- [Senate Committee Updates from our AP Representatives](#) -
 - Academic Student Success Committee - Caitlin Thayer
 - No updates
 - ASH - Academic Standards and Honors Committee - Jackie Keith
 - No updates at this time
 - Budget Review Committee - Nic Bongers
 - Finished until fall semester
 - CDEC - Campus Development & Environment Committee - Nic Bongers, Christopher Gregory, Laura Culbert, Maria Ebner-Smith
 - No updates
 - Faculty DEI Committee - Kelli Dowd
 - Doing first initiatives, locating ramps, gender inclusive restrooms, etc.
 - General Education Committee - Zach Barclay
 - Intercollegiate Athletics Committee - Dan Arnold & Matt Prentice
 - Planning Review Committee - Tricia Westergaard
 - Student Academic Support Committee - Dan Arnold
 - No updates. Last meeting of academic year is 4-13-23
 - Teaching and Learning Committee - Julie Dermidoff & Kate Huttenlocher
 - Winners will be notified shortly if they haven't been already by the Chair of the Committee.
 - [Employee Resource Group](#) (ERG) Updates -
 - AAPI ERG - Asian and Pacific Islander Resource Group
 - Tomoko Wakabayashi (President/Communication)
twakabayashi@oakland.edu
 - BERG - Black Employee Resource Group
 - Jesse Hurse (President) - jhurse@oakland.edu
 - IERG - International Employee Resource Group
 - Tamas Horvath (President) - thorvath@oakland.edu



- Latinx ERG - Latinx Employee Resource Group
 - Rebecca Mercado Jones (Chair) rebeccajones@oakland.edu
- LGBTQIA ERG - Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer, Intersex, Asexual/Allies - Employee Resource Group
 - Kelli Dowd (Chair) - lgbtqia_erg@oakland.edu
 - Lavender Graduation today 4-6pm in the OC Ballroom C
- WERG - Women's Employee Resource Group
 - Andreea Bordeianu (President) - bordeian@oakland.edu
- AP Recognition (open chair):
 - Show your colleagues some recognition, through our [AP Shout-Out Form](#)
 - Nominate a colleague for the GrEAT Recognition through the CARROT app!
 - More information available here: [Community Service Recognition](#)
- OU Senate Report (Mari and Dan)
 - Last meeting today of academic year
- Share your upcoming Event! Share your events that other APs can attend or help spread the word!
 - Athletics Tickets (Mari) - discounted group tickets (kids, groups, etc.) - contact Mari if you've never been to a game (free tix!)
 - Adam Gordon - University Commencement last week in April - could use volunteers to help out. Interested Staff volunteers can contact tnenglis@oakland.edu
 - Bianca Bryant - Summer camps - STEM - 50% off for faculty and staff - contact bbryant@oakland.edu or visit [SECS outreach website](#).
- Good & Welfare:
 - If anyone wants any more OU merch, the OC bookstore is doing a huge 75% off sale of basically everything in the store (with some limitations).



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- Next Meeting is **May 11th at 9am via ZOOM only.**
- Adjourn: 9:29am

THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME AND DEDICATION