

UUP Oneonta Chapter Meeting: Thursday, February 22, 2018, Le Café, Morris Complex

Call to order 12:00pm

Chapter President Bill Simons welcomed the membership and briefly discussed a UUP initiative. The chapter is circulating a petition calling upon campus Administration to support a fair contract for UUP employees. The petition has garnered many signatories, and members are encouraged to share the petition with their colleagues. The petition drive will culminate with a rally on Thursday, March 1, 2018, from 3-5 PM. Additional information related to this event will be forthcoming. Bill also discussed the possible implications for UUP of the *Janus v. AFSCME* case the U.S. Supreme Court will be hearing on Monday, February 26.

Oneonta Chapter Chief Negotiator Rob Compton updated the membership on the state of UUP's equity study. After several failed attempts to include Management in a campus-wide equity study, the chapter recently decided to move forward with its own analysis. Rob has requested data from State UUP so that comparisons can be made between the salaries for academics and professionals at SUNY Oneonta and other SUNY comprehensive colleges – along with national averages.

Vice President for Academics Mike Brown briefed the membership about issues related to parking. Management recently told UUP that the College would be moving to a single parking sticker for all College employees. This decision was made without the consultation or consent of UUP. Mike discussed the ongoing efforts of Labor to engage Management about the implications of this unilateral decision. The membership discussed the pros and cons of moving toward a single parking sticker for all employees; however, there was agreement that Management's decision to leave UUP out of such a policy change is problematic.

Treasurer Rich Tyler presented the proposed 2018-2019 Oneonta Chapter fiscal year budget. The Executive Board previously approved the proposed budget on Wednesday, February 20. With data projected on the screen, Rich presented the anticipated expenses and the anticipated revenue for the proposed 2018-2019 fiscal year. A motion to accept the budget as presented was made and seconded. Following discussion, the motion passed with 12 in favor and 1 opposed.

Adjourned 1:00pm

Respectfully submitted,

Mike Brown
Vice President for Academics