

UMW STAFF ADVISORY COUNCIL NEWSLETTER

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WHAT IS THE S.A.C. WORKING ON?

YOUR VOICE & OPINION MATTERS!

Visit the new [S.A.C. Meeting Minutes webpage](#) to read previous meeting notes.

July Highlight: The S.A.C. communicated concerns from multiple staff members regarding the original language of the UMW Eagle Pledge.

The input was successfully integrated into the official pledge you see in the COVID training.

S.A.C. VIRTUAL MEETINGS

NEW MEETING SCHEDULE & WE'VE MOVED TO ZOOM!

In August, the S.A.C. is holding video meetings every other Thursday at 11:00 a.m. on Zoom.

- August 6
- August 20

These calls are an opportunity to share staff-related updates, connect with one another, and discuss your questions or concerns.

Join the next meeting with this [Zoom meeting invitation](#) or open Zoom and enter the following meeting ID and password from your computer.

- Meeting ID: 963 8049 2856
- Passcode: 779004

You may also call in via phone at the following phone number.

- Call: +1 646 558 8656



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IN CASE YOU MISSED IT

Several important announcements, documents, and resources have been shared within the last month:

- [COVID 19 Face Coverings and Masks Policy](#)
- [#ForwardUMW Return to Campus Plan](#)
- [Return to Campus Frequently Asked Questions](#)
- The [COVID training for UMW employees is live in the Learning Center!](#) All employees must complete it by August 18 or before returning to work on campus, whichever comes first.
- [COVIDWISE](#), a new app that notifies you if you come in proximity with someone who has tested positive for COVID, was introduced in an email from Governor Northam on Wednesday, August 5.
- The Eagle Health Survey started on August 3. Don't forget to report your symptoms (or lack thereof) as soon as possible on each work day.
- [James Farmer Hall](#) is the official new name for the previously known Trinkle Hall.
- In-person classes will now begin on September 14. More information can be found in the email from President Paino, sent by Anna Billingsley, on Wednesday, August 5.



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RECOGNIZE AN EXCELLENT EAGLE

There is no better time than now to show appreciation for our co-workers.

Visit the [Recognition and Awards page on the new S.A.C. website](#) to see all of the ways you can give a fellow staff member the praise they deserve!

VIRTUAL EXERCISE OPPORTUNITIES

Take one of the fitness classes that UMW Campus Recreation is hosting this month, including Zoom fitness classes! More Zoom classes will be announced for the first week of classes.

See the [August fitness schedule on the Campus Recreation fitness class webpage](#).



Please seek out a council member or visit the [S.A.C.'s Contact Us page](#) to submit a question, comment, or idea.