**UMBC Adjunct Faculty Advisory Committee Meeting**

October 1, 2021, WebEx (See access info at the bottom)

4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

1. **Welcome New Committee Members (with brief introductions)**
   1. Nandita Dasgupta (CMNS)
   2. Mary Laurents (CAHSS)
   3. Mina Seat (CAHSS)
   4. Priscilla Villavicencio (Non-college)
2. **Parking Committee Updates**
   1. Maggie will be our represnative of parking committee
   2. Has been connected to Chuck Boddy
   3. Awaiting meeting date(s)
   4. Can report back to committee
3. **Goals for 2021-2022**
   1. Continue to push for year-long contracts in all departments/colleges
   2. Continue discussions with HR about health care coverage (lost during summer)
   3. Continue to push/discuss salary parity for adjuncts in all colleges
4. **Discussion around tactics to achieve our goals** 
   1. Are there better ways for us to engage/push administration?
   2. While we’ve achieved successes, we’ve also been stalled on some issues
   3. How do we measure success for this committee?
   4. Must stay within the by-laws/charter
5. **Fall Workshop Ideas** 
   1. Unemployment workshop
   2. Adjuncts and Public Loan Forgiveness  
      1. Amy Loyd of Department of Education recently did a presentation on this for CCBC
   3. Other ideas?
   4. Need to start moving/planning this….at the point end of October/in November seems best dates for holding them….
   5. Should we just shoot for one in fall/another in spring?
6. **New Business**

a: Reminder to set-up meetings with your Dean

b. If you can, volunteer for other department/college committees

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