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UC Blue Ash College - Staff Senate News

MISSION OF STAFF SENATE

UC Staff Senate serves the university by promoting, protecting and representing the interests and perspective of university staff. The inclusion of a staff voice provides added talent and diversity to the university mission of serving and educating students, and enriching the university, city, state and global community.

Your Staff Senate Representatives for UCBA are Breana Buckner, Gerrie Copeland and Lacey McCarthy, who also holds the office of Vice-Chair. However all staff members are welcome to attend monthly meetings.

SUBMITTING UNIVERSITY-WIDE SUGGESTIONS

To submit a suggestion please go the following website and fill out the Microsoft Form close to the bottom of the page.

<https://www.uc.edu/employees/staff-senate/suggestions.html>

HIGHLIGHTS FROM APPROVED AUGUST MINUTES

Tuition remission is changing.

Effective fall term 2020, tuition remission benefits for specific programs in the college of law (JD) will be eligible for tuition remission for the spouses, domestic partners, and dependents of employees. Other updates soon to come.

Save the date: 12/12/19

UC Staff Senate is working on a University-wide Staff Excellence Award Ceremony that is scheduled for Thursday, December 12, 2019. Please save the date - more details to come.

Nomination for Staff Excellence Awards

Nominations are now open! Do you know a UC staff member who goes above and beyond to perform their duties in an outstanding manner that directly contributes to the success of the university? Nominate them for the UC Staff Excellence Award.

The nomination deadline is October 25, 2019.

- Nominees will be evaluated based on the following criteria: commitment to academic mission, innovation, job excellence, inclusion, team work, impact, service attitude and special achievement/accomplishment.

- Nominees of award winners will be invited to attend the award ceremony and help present award to winner.
- Please submit your nomination here: <https://www.uc.edu/employees/staff-senate/staff-excellence-nominations.html>. *If you have any trouble with this form, please email the UC Staff Senate (staffsenate@ucmail.uc.edu).*

Staff Senate Updates - A full comprehensive list of developments can be found on the website. <https://www.uc.edu/employees/staff-senate.html>

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