

Management & Professional Staff Advisory Committee (MaPSAC)

MaPSAC was established in 1988 to build a formal communication link between management and professional (M/P) staff and the central administration.

Dr. Jacquelyn Thomas-Miller
Butler Center Staff Lunch & Learn
“Growing Into A Position To Lead”
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What is MaPSAC?

Purpose

MaPSAC serves as a two-way conduit between M/P staff and the administration. As such, MaPSAC serves two distinct constituencies, each with the need to hear the other and to be heard by the other. In its role as a communication facilitator, MaPSAC offers M/P staff a mechanism to voice their interests and concerns as they relate to campus affairs. The following is expected of all MaPSAC members:

- Attend the full committee meeting the second Wednesday of each month, 1:30 p.m. -3:30 p.m.
- Serve on an MaPSAC subcommittee (meet monthly, times and dates vary by subcommittee).
- Communicate appropriate information to M/P staff in their area(s) on a regular basis.

MaPSAC Subcommittees

Compensation and Benefits Subcommittee

This subcommittee examines current salary structures, health benefits, leave policies, retirement issues, and other compensation and benefits concerns of M/P staff. The subcommittee also coordinates the MaPSAC Excellence Award.

Membership and Communications Subcommittee

This subcommittee works with the other MaPSAC subcommittees to make sure important information is effectively communicated to all M/P staff. Responsibilities include establishing guidelines and specifications for brochures and fliers, defining procedures for website maintenance and assessing the overall effectiveness of communication efforts across the full committee. This group is also responsible for developing The Sentinel, a newsletter for M/P staff.

MaPSAC Professional Development Subcommittee

The Professional Development subcommittee considers career-related issues including training opportunities and staff orientation, and the committee hosts two free staff professional development events each year. The subcommittee provides financial support via grants awarded twice each academic year to M/P staff on the West Lafayette campus. These grants help M/P staff continue their education through conferences, seminars, workshops, classes, etc.

Just to name a few...

University Committees with MaPSAC Representation

Advisory Committee on Equity

College of Engineering Dean's Staff Advisory Council

De-Densify Campus/Remote Work Best Practices

Eudoxia Girard Martin Staff Award

Healthy Boiler Committee

Recreation and Wellness Advisory Board

Regional Campus MaPSAC Committees

Retirement Investment Planning Committee

Spring Fling

Staff Memorial Committee

University Policy Committee

University Senate

University Senate: Equity and Diversity Standing Committee </equity/index.php>

University Senate: Faculty Compensation & Benefits

University Senate: Parking & Traffic

University Senate: Visual Arts & Design Committee

Fall 2024

Upcoming Professional Development Activities

September 1

Fall 2024 MaPSAC Professional Development Grant
Applications will open

TBA

Fall 2024 MaPSAC Lovell Leadership Speaker Series

Guest Speaker: Jeff Vargas

Topic: Intergenerational Leadership

https://www.purdue.edu/mapsac/about/professional_development_subcommittee.html

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