

The University Faculty Senate Fall Conference
Friday, November 14, 2008, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
At John Jay College of Criminal Justice
455 West 59th Street (near 10th Avenue)

2nd Floor Multi-purpose Room

For New CUNY Faculty Members: Rights, Responsibilities & Freedoms

Welcome to the Academy

9:00 - 9:30 Continental Breakfast

9:30 - 9:50 Welcoming Remarks

- Moderator: Philip Pecorino, QCC, Philosophy
- Welcome from UFS Chairman, Manfred Philipp
- Welcome from President John Jay College of Criminal Justice, Jeremy Travis
- Welcome from Faculty Governance Leader, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, Karen Kaplowitz

PART I: The Profession, Rights, Responsibilities and Freedoms

9:50 - 10:00 The History of the Academy, The Collegium

-Stefan Baumrin, Philosophy, Graduate School & Lehman College

10:00-10:10 "The City University of New York -- An Experiment in Democratizing the University" –
Sandi Cooper, History, Graduate School & College of Staten Island

10:10 - 10:25 Professional Rights and Responsibilities in the Academy and your Discipline:

Balancing two Professions--Shannon Kincaid, Philosophy, Queensborough
Community College

10:25 - 10:35 Q and A

10:35 - 10:50 Academic Freedom for CUNY Faculty

Lenore Beaky, English, LaGuardia Community College, New York State Representative to the
AAUP National Council

**10:50 - 11:00 Faculty Academic Prerogatives: Who teaches - What is taught - How it is
taught - To whom it is taught –** Philip Pecorino, Philosophy, Queensborough Community
College

11:00 - 11:10 Q and A

11: 10 CUNY Policies: CUNY Policies on Conflicts of Interest, Research Misconduct, Workplace Violence Domestic Violence, Computer Use and Privacy, Affirmative Action, ADA Compliance, Anti-Harassment and Discrimination Policy, Institutional Review Boards, Institutional Animal Care and Use Committees

Jay Weiser, Baruch College and Karen Kaplowitz, English, John Jay College

11:30 - 11:50 College Governance and Your Rights and Responsibilities:

Terrence Martell, Business, Baruch College, Board of Trustees, PSC-CUNY Welfare Fund

Manfred Philipp, Chemistry & Biochemistry, Graduate School & Lehman College

11:50 - 11:50 Q and A

Lunch: 12:00 - 12:30

PART II: The Faculty: Responsibilities and Supports

12:30 - 12:40 The Faculty of CUNY: Title, Rank and Duty The Reappointment, Tenure and Promotion Process -- Bob Cermele, Mathematics, NYC College of Technology

1:00- 1:20 **Research at CUNY-**Gary Gavin, Biology, Brooklyn College; Sarah Durand, Natural Science, LaGuardia Community College

1:20 - 1:30 Patents and Copyrights

- Jake Maslow, CUNY Intellectual Property Officer

1:30-1:40 Q &A

1:40 - 2:00 Role of Publishing and Grants

- Andrew Beveridge, Sociology Department, Queens College
- Thomas Bird, European Languages & Literatures, Queens College
- Liesl Jones, Biology, Lehman College
- Robert Buckley, Hunter College, Chair, CUNY Council of Grants Officers

PART III Discussions with Presenters

2:00-3:00 Conversations with the presenters-- informal discussions and direct exchanges of audience with participants until 5 pm

Distribution of Materials – folders available with Conference materials including material from the University Faculty Senate, the Professional Staff Congress of CUNY, the PSC-CUNY Welfare Fund, and the CUNY Research Foundation

Area or Room A: Rights Freedoms and Governance

Stefan Baumrin, Philosophy, Graduate School and Lehman College

Shannon Kincaid, Philosophy, Queensborough Community College

Steve Leberstein, Political Science, Brooklyn College

Lenore Beaky, English, LaGuardia Community College

Area or Room B: Tenure and Promotion and related matters

Bob Cermele, Mathematics, NYC College of Technology

Area or Room C: CUNY Policies and CUNY By-laws IP Policy / Process/Procedure

Jake Maslow, CUNY

Philip Pecorino, Philosophy, Queensborough Community College

Jay Weiser, Baruch College

Karen Kaplowitz, English, John Jay College

Area or Room D: Awards and Research Support

Andrew Beveridge, Sociology Department, Queens,

Thomas Bird, European Langs. & Literature, Queens

Robert Buckley, Hunter College, Chair, CUNY Council of Grants Officers

Sarah Durand, Natural Science, LaGuardia Community College

Gary Gavin, Biology, Brooklyn College

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More information, including material relating to the conference presentations, is available on the UFS website.

<http://www.cunyufs.org>