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The Non-Exempt Staff Council Monthly Newsletter
Trinity College ♦ 300 Summit St. ♦ Hartford, CT

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About the NESC

The Non-Exempt Staff Council functions in the interest of Trinity College Administrative Staff employees on the bi-weekly payroll. The Council serves as a liaison between the Administration of the College and Administrative Staff and makes recommendations designed to strengthen and improve communications, the working environment, and the Trinity community. On behalf of administrative staff, the committee brings forward concerns, issues, and ideas to the attention of the appropriate College administrators via the Senior Administrative Liaison as appointed by the President of the College.

Join us!

The Inauguration of President Daniel G. Lugo: Saturday, October 18 at 9:00 am at Ferris Athletic Center

Welcoming of the new HR Director of Benefits, Amy Walsh: Stop by anytime the week of September 15 to meet and greet (apparently, they have donuts on Wed)

Faculty and Staff Coffee Hour at Peter B's: Fridays from 12:15 – 1:15

Staff Ombudsperson Policy

The Staff Ombudsperson Policy ensures that staff have a neutral, independent, confidential and informal resource, who provides assistance in identifying options for addressing and/or resolving workplace, employment-related issues and/or conflicts. The service is intended to help you exercise problem solving capabilities in order to arrive at, and implement, workable solutions on your own.

Our staff ombudspersons are:

Curtis Gamble – Access Control and Card Services Manager
Marcia Phelan Johnson – Budget Director

Learn more by visiting [Trinity's Ombudsperson page!](#)

NESC News:

Welcome Back! The NESC is excited to get back to work this coming year! We have added new members to our roster, and will hold our first meeting Wednesday, September 10th!

2025-2026 NESC Members

Executive Officers:

Co-Chairs:

Elizabeth Landel-Simon
Jim McLaren, III

Secretary:

Judy Grote

Council Members:

Sean Donnelly
Michael Hassett
Keysha Matthews
Tracy Quigley
Teresita Romero

ESC Liason:

Judy Grote

Senior Staff Liason:

Anita Davis, VPDEI

Standing Committees Members:

Benefits Committee:

Sean Donnelly

Wellness Committees

Tracy Quigley

Planning & Budget Council:

Elizabeth Landel-Simon and
Jim McLaren, III

Meetings – All Welcome

First & Third Wednesdays of every month, TBA

In-person: McCook 201

Zoom: <https://trincoll.zoom.us/j/5567510356>

Visit us at <https://www.trincoll.edu/nsc/>



2024-25 Staff Retirees:



Nancy Fleming
Mathematics Department and Quantitative Center



Robin Kelly
Chemistry Department



David Knight
Campus Safety

Introducing New Employees – Welcome!

Bridget K. Abbott, Writing Center
Alysha Bucci-Lassalle, Teaching and Learning Center
Scott Castico, Campus Safety
Oliver Dunham, IT – Access Control
VA Ferrigno, English
Cheryl Fox, Chemistry
Hector Gonzalez, Campus Safety
James J. Kelly, Campus Safety
Kathleen E. Morin, Human Resources
Kevin Picard, Campus Safety
Osbourne Richards, Campus Safety

**Let's not forget Cooper,
Campus Safety**

