UUP Buffalo Center Chapter
General Membership meeting agenda
9/10/2025

- [ ] Welcome
- [ ] Introduce New UUP Officers
  - [ ] Athena Mutua - VPA - Professor of Law
  - [ ] Domenic Licata - VPP - Instructional Support Technician in Art
  - [ ] Daniel Schweitzer - Secretary - Director of Assessment and Accreditation in SEAS
  - [ ] Kevin Ragland - Treasurer - Sr. Staff Associate in Financial Management
  - [ ] Melinda Lemke - Grievance Officer for Academics - Associate Professor in Educational Leadership and Policy
  - [ ] Lynette Deponceau - Grievance Officer for Professionals and Director of Enrollment Operations & Student Services in GSE
  - [ ] Joseph Didomizio - Communications Officer and Dr. Director of Communications and Marking in University Advancement
  - [ ] Brett Sitzman - Membership Development Officer for North Campus and Application Developer for Enterprise Application Services
  - [ ] Grady Gambrel - Officer for Contingents and Clinical Assistant Professor in Physics
  - [ ] Jesse Meyer - Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Officer and Human Resources Officers in the Libraries
  - [ ] Ryan Taughrin - Political Outreach and VOTE Cope Coordinator and Assistant Dean in GSE
  - [ ] Janiece Jankowski - Retiree Officer and is now retired from the Libraries
  - [ ] Tricia Canty - Data Officer and Internal Control Coordinator & Financial Analyst in Policy, Compliance and Internal Controls
- [ ] Introduce Kat Kielar
  - [ ] Background
  - [ ] Vision and mission
- [ ] UUP initiatives this year - Due Thu, Jan 1, 2026
  - [ ] Contract negotiations - Abigail Cooke
  - [ ] Parking Issues on North and South Campuses
  - [ ] Non-Edu Emails
  - [ ] UB Commons Lease Renewal
  - [ ] Federal funding
  - [ ] SUNY impact
  - [ ] VOTE COPE
- [ ] Ways to get involved
  - [ ] Need a Membership Development Officer for the South Campus