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Serving as officers of The General Faculty
and The Faculty Delegate Assembly of
Hunter College this year are:

Bernadette McCauley (History), President
(through 2013)
Tony Doyle (Library), Vice President
(through 2013)
Debbie Sonu (Curriculum and Teaching),
Treasurer (through 2012)
Owen Gutfreund (Urban Affairs and
Planning) Day Session Representative
(through 2012)
Jason Young (Psychology), Evening Session
Representative (through 2012)
Vacant: Secretary and Part Time
Representative

Administrative Assistants:
James Regan and Nipa Hossain

Recent Activities

Reception at the School of Social Work
On March FDA sponsored a reception in
conjunction with the Schools of Social Work
and Public Health at the School's new 119th
Street location

March Social

On March 14 the FDA sponsored a social in
the Faculty Lounge at the 68th Street
campus. The social was also the occasion for
a month long exhibition the Crown Heights
photographs of Hanan Ohayon. Mr. Ohayon
holds a Masters in History from Hunter.

March General Meeting

The first part of the March FDA meeting
featured a discussion of CUNY's university-
wide program, Pathways to Degree
Completion, for revising the general
education curriculum. Professor Pam Mills
(Chemistry), chair of the Hunter Senate
Standing Committee on General Education,
was the speaker.

Professor Mills discussed how Hunter's
General Education Committee is attempting
to preserve Hunter's general education
requirements (GER) should Pathways be
adopted. She laid out prospective changes to
Hunter's GER in the light of Pathways in
considerable detail. She also touched on the
serious implications that Pathways will
have, if adopted, for faculty governance. She
and Professor Frank Kirkland (Philosophy)
responded to faculty questions.

The second speaker was Professor Sandi
Cooper, chair of the CUNY's University
Faculty Senate. Professor Cooper discussed
the concern coming out of the CUNY
Central office that some faculty in the senior
colleges "disrespect" community college
transfer students. She responded that some
community college students are not ready
for the rigors of a four year college as soon
as the CUNY administration imagines. She
also fielded faculty questions about
Pathways.

April Social

The occasion of the April 18 social was the latest art exhibition in the Faculty Lounge. The featured artists are Norman Chernick-Zeitlin (son of Hunter's own Professor Howard Chernick of Economics) and Francesco Vizzini.

FDA Elections

The latest FDA Executive Committee elections were held in December for terms running to 2013. The results were:

President: Bernadette McCauley (History)
Vice President: Tony Doyle (Library)
Evening Session Representative: Jason Young (Psychology)

Executive Committee Vacancies

The FDA is looking for nominees for Secretary. The Secretary's chief responsibilities are taking minutes for at the FDA general meetings and at its monthly Executive Committee meetings, as well as helping to plan FDA-sponsored events.

The FDA is also looking for a Part-Time Representative (Adjunct Representative). The Part-Time Representative's main responsibilities are attending the FDA general meetings, attending the FDA Executive Committee's monthly meetings, and helping to plan FDA-sponsored events.

If you are interested in nominating yourself or a colleague, please contact the FDA office at fda@hunter.cuny.edu.

Hunter Artists Sought

The FDA is seeking Hunter artists (including students or family members of Hunter faculty) to exhibit their work in the Faculty Lounge. Please call (212-772-4123) or email (fda@hunter.cuny.edu) if you or a family member would like to show your work.

Contacting Us

We seek input from all faculty. The best way to get in touch is e-mail at fda@hunter.cuny.edu.