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- Open Senate Seats in Athletics and Division of Research
- Professional Staff Profile - Meet Tami Mann!



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President Stenger is the guest speaker at the PSS meeting this week from 3:15 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, January 25 in AD148.

PSS meetings are open to all professionals.

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The Professional Development Grant can reimburse Professional Employees for future or past professional development, growth, and/or advancement activities, between the dates of January 1, 2017 - May 31, 2017. To find out more information about the grant requirements, please [visit the PSS Awards and Grants page](#). Eligible applicants include employees from the areas of Research Foundation, M/C, and UUP.

[The application is available online](#). Submission due date is February 27, 2017 for Spring 2017. Recipients will be notified no later than March 20, 2017.

ever give (I am aging in reverse; BU student energy has a wonderful effect on me). I also appreciate the talent and dedication that abounds within my colleagues at Binghamton University. It is an honor to be a part of the BU community.

What is your biggest work achievement? To me, hands down, it is to see students through (from meeting at a recruitment event to becoming a successful teacher or administrator in the community) knowing that my interactions and contributions eased the way and made the journey more doable and enjoyable. Students face critical challenges and I excel in providing a positive environment where students experience spirited, thoughtful interaction resulting in positive steps forward. Never forget who our customer is. BU students are awesome!

Tell us something unique or not well known about your department, center or unit: One of our graduates, Amy Hysick, was just named 2017 New York State Teacher of the Year!

What advice do you have for other Professional Staff? Embrace the idea of being a catalyst of transformation for others. It is a powerful concept.

What do you like to do for fun? I love nature, especially when it is combined with a ride in the convertible. I LOVE to watch NFL football (any good game will do - I usually root for the underdog).

Want to help raise the profile of professional employees on campus? The PSS is working to create a profile database of awesome folks like YOU who are working hard to lead Binghamton University to Premier. Please [fill out this online form](#) so that we can feature you in upcoming newsletters and other media outlets across campus. Please encourage your co-workers to fill it out too! It only takes a few minutes.



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