

**UVM Staff Council Monthly Meeting Minutes**  
**November 5, 2024**  
**12:05-1:30 PM**  
**Chittenden Bank Room - Davis**

Please note that the content below is a summary;  
for the full context, the video recording of the meeting must  
be referenced, available on the [Staff Council website](#).

**Members Present:** Monika Donlevy, Jennifer Main, Chelsea Chu, Richard Cohen, Corinne Cooper, Liz Crawford, Amanda Duling, Skye Ellicock, Nichole Hathaway, Maureen Jennings, Meredith Grasso, Cindy Lee, John Lovelette, Katherine McGinn Hall, Karyn McGovern, Jennifer Payne, Lucie Pecor, Marc Price, Jon Reisenweaver, Billy Rison, Perri Schodorf, Susan Sobczak, Liv Townsend, Sawyer Zundel

**Staff:** Alan Shashok, Staff Council Administrator

**Guest:** Linda Schadler; Acting Provost & Senior Vice President  
Kelly O'Malley; Events Manager

**Call to Order:** Monika called the meeting to order at 12:31 PM

**Approval of Minutes:** October 2024 minutes were approved.

**Public Comments:** None

**Linda Schadler Meet & Greet**

Linda introduced herself to Staff Council and stressed campus recognition and morale. Seeking thoughts and ideas on the topic.

**Kelly O'Malley Commencement Discussion**

Kelly presented the many proposed changes to the 2025 commencement with focus on accessibility, safety and weather concerns.

**Officer's Report**

Monika reviewed the report as submitted. In addition, Monika discussed the Benefits Fair as well as stressing the Open Enrollment Period. Monika also updated on the CIO search, Strat Comm leadership update and UVM Presidential Search update.

**Meeting Adjourned:** The meeting was adjourned at 1:34 PM