

CoLA Lowdown

A NOTE

From the Dean

College Meetings

Directors meetings take place the first Thursday of every month at 3pm, Dean's Conference room, Faner 2408.

CoLA Council meeting will take place on Tuesday, September 15, at 5pm. Join Zoom Meeting

College Calendars



It's a new semester and we have news about new faculty, new students, new projects and new initiatives for CoLA. With the help of Mandy Hine and the rest of the team here in the college, we're rebooting this newsletter in order to convey all of the information it used to, and more, but in a new format. Instead of weekly, we're going to try and publish once every 3 weeks (or about 5 times in a semester). Important deadlines and documents will still come to you in the usual way (through the appropriate offices), but less often through this newsletter.

So please let us know about all things related to the college. We're eager to publish any news about each other's successes, opportunities, community involvement, and/or innovations—whether from students, faculty, and/or staff. And we need photos and/or links for more information whenever possible—lots of photos, please.

So submit your news to the CoLA Lowdown on a rolling basis. We're looking forward to reading about and sharing all the amazing things going on in the college.

CoLA Events Calendar

CoLA Faculty & Staff Calendar

Deadlines

Fall syllabi for ALL CoLA courses were due Friday, August 26, send ASAP to Kandace.

CVs for all new faculty are due **Friday, September 2**, send to <u>Kandace</u>.

Start work on catalog changes, Form 90 and 90A, are due to Dean's office on Friday, September, 23, send only to CoLA forms email.

Sabbatical reports for all represented faculty whose sabbatical ended in the prior semester due Monday, October 3, to Director (see Section 15.03.g. of the current CBA; Reports due by beginning of week 8 of semester).

Promotion and Tenure Recommendations are due to the CoLA Dean's Office in D2L no later than Friday, October 7.

Faculty Spotlight



Allison Joseph, MFA creative writing director, has been named the 2022 Illinois Author of the Year by the Illinois Association of Teachers of English (IATE). The organization annually chooses an author who lives, has lived in or has written about Illinois to honor for their excellence in writing. Joseph will receive the award at IATE's fall conference in October at Millikin University in Decatur. Joseph also recently won the 2022 Poetry by the Sea book contest for her 2021 work, "Lexicon." More info can be found at Accomplishments (siu.edu)

Upcoming Events



The **College Connection** will be in Ballroom D of the Student Center this year, so it won't be hot. There will be tables for each school; feel free to bring RSO information, or just hang out...this isn't a recruiting event, just a social event. We will set up an ice cream sundae bar with ice cream from Culver's. Dr. Tobin Grant will bring his Salukis and there will be a photo wall set up for photos with the dogs. We will have the Hungry Hippo and Bungee Run inflatables this year, so come ready to compete!



Meet & Greet for all CoLA faculty & staff will be held Friday, September 9 from 4:30pm – 6:00pm, in the Faner Atrium and Courtyard. We will have drinks and light refreshments.

Join us for Bagel Wednesdays!

Wednesday Mornings: Stop by the atrium on the second floor of Faner, outside of the CoLA Dean's Office (2427). Bagels, fruit, coffee, and juice are available.





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