

## ULARP REPORT TO FACULTY SENATE 12 06 2023

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ULARP's Holiday Luncheon is scheduled for today, December 6, at 11:30 am, at the University Club. I will let you hear all about it at the Faculty Senate meeting.

ULARP was well represented at the New Retiree Brunch on November 30, in the Multipurpose Room at the Student Activities Center, with Sande Byers-Johnson speaking on behalf of the organization.

Danielle Hampton from the Employee Success Center has invited ULARP members to serve as volunteers for the Mentor for Success program, with a deadline of December 31.

ULARP is proud to help develop the criteria and description for the new Distinguished Retiree Award which will focus on excellence in scholarship and/or community service since retirement. Nominees shall have been retired for at least three years. Nominations will be received between December 1 and February 28, and will include a nominating letter and several letters of support. The award will be given annually, and will include a plaque, a cash award, and university recognition. Money raised through the Raise Some L campaign will be dedicated to the award.

The next ULARP Newsletter will be published in January. The spring social event will be a gathering at a women's basketball game, either February 18 at 1 or February 25 at noon. Suggestions for the spring Wellness Seminar include 1) cardiovascular health, 2) Kentucky Elder Law, or 3) Hospice/Hospice Care. All are relevant to each of us!