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UUP Calendar for Aug/Sept. 2013

Wed. Aug. 28th, Exec. Board Mtg., Noon @ Wang Ctr rm 301, 3rd Floor

Thur. **Sept. 12th** • **Welcome Back-Membership Meeting**, Noon, SAC Ballroom A., 1st Floor , (RSVP to www.uupsbu.org) We are having BBQ this year.....

Tue. **Sept. 17th** • Professional forum and Chapter Delegates meeting, Noon, Wang Ctr. rm. 301, (RSVP to www.uupsbu.org)

Wed. **Sept. 18th** • Academic Council Meeting, 12:30pm, Javits Room, Melville Library, 2nd Fl., (RSVP to www.uupsbu.org)

Tue. **Sept. 24th** • Executive Board Meeting, Noon, Javits Room, Melville Library, 2nd Fl., (RSVP to www.uupsbu.org)

Part-Time Employees' Health Insurance Costs

UUP has clarified with the NYS Department of Civil Service that part-time employees who earn less than \$40,137 annually will be in the lower tier for the new health insurance premium share that takes effect September 1, 2013. All full-time and part-time employees who earn less than \$40,137 annually will pay 12% of the premium cost for an Individual Plan and 27% of the cost of a Family Plan. All full-time and part-time employees who earn \$40,137 or more annually will pay 16% of the premium cost for an Individual Plan and 31% of the premium cost for a Family Plan.

Campus Human Resources Departments will receive clarification on this from the Department of Civil Service. UUP's Special Option Transfer Period for the New York State Health Insurance Program begins August 1 and ends August 30, 2013. Members can obtain information about the Option Transfer Period and their NYSHIP options from campus Human Resources Services .HRS also have required forms for the Productivity Enhancement Program (which allows UUP members who accrue vacation leave to exchange some vacation days for a credit toward their health insurance premium) and the Opt-Out Program (which allows eligible employees who have other employer-sponsored group health insurance to opt out of their NYSHIP coverage in exchange for \$1,000 for Individual Plan Opt Out and \$3,000 for Family Plan Opt Out).

If anyone has questions about their particular circumstances, contact UUP's Health Benefits Department at 1-800-342-4206. Questions can also be e-mailed to UUP at contract@uupmail.org.

RSVP **No later than three days prior to an event** for lunch orders.

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