

1. Salary Information

An updated report on salaries is at the committee's Web site: www.sunyla.org/ppc/2008salaries. The report offers a summary and charts, while the site has the original files in Excel if people wish to run their own analyses. Just like information in Appendix B of the 2006 Salary Survey, the update covers headcount & minimum, maximum and average salaries (by title) of "Librarians" and "Faculty" for: Comprehensive Colleges, Doctoral Colleges, NYC Area Colleges, Technology Colleges, and University Centers.

2. Director Evaluations

A comprehensive plan for the evaluation of academic administrators, including library directors, is available at my homepage: people.sunyit.edu/~fosterr/evaluation. The plan includes: goals, objectives, method, a timeline, references, and some appendices (key areas of administration; sample surveys; and a sample survey to evaluate the evaluation process).

3. Web Site

The Committee's Web site [www.sunyla.org/ppc] was updated May 7th. The counter on the 2006 Salary Survey page was at 810 on May 29, 2008, up from 746 on March 5, 2008. There is not yet a counter on the page with the 2008 salary information.

4. Exit Surveys

Three surveys have been received so far this year. A reminder was sent out to sunyla-l on May 3rd. The next reminder should go out in early December. A summary of 1995-2007 surveys is available at the Committee's Web site.

Delegates: please encourage separating librarians to complete the exit survey. It is available on the Committee's Web site both as an online form and as a pdf that can be printed out and mailed in. The form may be submitted anonymously in either format. You don't need to be a SUNYLA member to complete an exit survey.

5. Resignation

I am resigning. I've enjoyed serving as Personnel Policies Committee chair for six years. Please have the new chair contact me, and I will provide him or her with a quick guide to doing the salary survey and this year's exit surveys. We'll also need to transition some Web things. I've readied material for submission to the archives, and I'll work with Joe on this task.

Respectfully submitted:
Ron Foster, Chair