**Staff Development Committee Meeting 9/14/2020**

Introducing new members: Carlos Turcios and Marlayna Demond from PSS

Jill went over the training that is available from HR and Wellness Initiative

* Remote work webinars for employees and supervisors.
* Supervisors cohorts: Leadership for Positive Change, Cafe Conversations with Supervisors
* Connections groups fro Supervisors
* Book discussions - Please join!
* Coping during COVID’New Retrievers Connect, monthly onboarding sessions
* Diversity Sessions. On November 11 there will be a Search Committee training for inclusive searches.
* Welcome to UMBC - Virtual Welcome to UMBC for new Retrievers. Questions have been collected in advance from the new employees and will be answered by Lynne, Dr. Hrabowski, and Dr. Rous.
* Skillsoft Migration. We will migrate Skillsoft to a more modern platform called Percipio, also owned by Skillsoft.

Wellness

* Retriever Recharge. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UBjoxbpbBBk&list=PL37R3BjtIgNm0ZPDWazoocZQV3rIfXBYj>

This is a set of youtube videos with short wellness training within meditation, yoga, or anything else that will give you an instant recharge during the day.

* Monday Yoga
* Wellness Wednesday
* Gardening Collective. Please join this group and share your tips and pictures from your gardening. Contact Jessica McMurtrie [jmcmurtrie@umbc.edu](mailto:jmcmurtrie@umbc.edu)
* Curated Content: Weekly recipes, meditation tips etc. Contact Jessica

Everyone, please consider joining the following groups on myUMBC to get the latest information, training, etc. for your well being and physical and mental health.

UMBC Fitness and Wellness

UMBC Wellness Initiative

UMBC Training

UMBC Dining

UMBC Together