

## MEMORANDUM

August 3, 2013

**TO: Members of the Executive Committee**

**FROM: Tremayne T. Price, President**

**SUBJECT: Appointment of Ryan Rosa as Director of Veterans Affairs**

### Action Requested

The proposed resolution appoints Ryan Rosa as Director of Veterans Affairs.

### Resolution

I recommend that the Executive Committee adopt the following resolution:

Resolved that Ryan Rosa be, and hereby is appointed Director of Veterans Affairs, effective immediately. This appointment shall continue from the date of appointment until May 31, 2014.

### Background

Appointed by the Executive Committee, the Director of Veterans Affairs will report to the Chief of Staff & Deputy to the President, be a part of the President's cabinet.

The Director of Veterans Affairs will be responsible to the Executive Board, the Executive Committee, and the Student Assembly on matters including but not limited to services and issues related to student veterans.

The Director of Veterans Affairs will be responsible to:

- Be authorized to track all matters and policies related to veteran students in SUNY.
- Be authorized to be responsible for serving on any committees or taskforces considering issues of veterans' affairs, including financial aid and services for veterans.

- Be authorized to be the liaison advocating SUNYSA's position on matters taken up by SUNY system administration or any formal or informal system-wide committees.
- Assist the President as directed.

Mr. Rosa currently serves the New York Air National Guard as a Flight Engineer and previously served as a Flight Engineer for the United States Air Force. He also previously served as the Director of Veterans Affairs for the Student Assembly.

Mr. Rosa is currently working towards his BS in International Transportation & Trade from the Maritime College.

His resume is attached.