

**MEMORANDUM**

**June 1, 2014**

**TO: Members of the Executive Committee**

**FROM: Lori Mould, President**

**SUBJECT: Appointment of Dariusz Soszynski as Director of Sustainability**

**Action Requested**

The proposed resolution appoints Dariusz Soszynski as Director of Sustainability.

**Resolution**

I recommend that the Executive Committee adopt the following resolution:

Resolved that Dariusz Soszynski be, and hereby is appointed Director of Sustainability; effective immediately. This appointment shall continue from the date of appointment until May 31, 2015.

**Background**

Appointed by the Executive Committee, the Director of Sustainability will report to the Senior Director of University-Wide Success.

The President's Director of Sustainability will be an advisor to the Executive Board, the Executive Committee, and the Student Assembly on matters related to Sustainability.

The Director of Sustainability will be responsible to:

- Serve as a representative of SUNY student sustainability concerns and initiatives to the SUNY Student Assembly, the SUNY system, and the State of New York.
- Empower SUNY students by facilitating access to information, networking and any additional support available to green their campuses.

- Establish a structure for SUNY Student Assembly representatives and relevant parties to grow their capacity to achieve sustainability goals set out on campuses and at the SUNY level.
- Coordinate all Student Assembly efforts and initiatives that promote awareness of sustainability initiatives and assist any student governments that request assistance with their own campus efforts.
- Develop the annual sustainability goals for the Student Assembly, subject to guidance and review by the President and Executive Committee.
- Assist the Senior Director of University-Wide Success
- Assist the President as directed.

Mr. Soszynski previous served as the Graduate School Representative and as the Director of Campus Relations of the SUNY Student Assembly. He has interned for the Town of Brookhaven, NY's department of Long Term Planning, where he helped prepare and submitted an application for a NYS Brownfield Opportunity Area grant to provide funds and technical support to municipality to complete and implement revitalization strategies for its communities – Awarded \$303,958.

Mr. Soszynski received his BA in History, MA in Public Policy, and MA in Higher Education Administration from Stony Brook University. He is currently working on his MS in Healthcare Policy and Management.

His resume is attached.