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# Staff Achievements & Highlights!

Kim Knudsen announcedthat a new Risk Manager has been hired and has started.

Joe Alloway stated that the UAF admissions office hosted Inside Out, to record numb ers - 224 students attended.

- o This is about 150% of last year's attendance!
- Students who attend this event, historically, have about a 70% conversion rate (actually enrolling).

the "Quick Links" list which will take you directly to the page where you can report any incident from accessibility, to discrimination, to safety and more.

#### Provost Search Committee

The search committee has an aggressive timeline to have a new Provost hired by April; t he goal is to have the advertisement out by winter break. A search firm will not be used, but a nationwide search will be conducted.

#### HR Address Change: Now through UAOnline!

You can now change your HR address through UAOnline An <a href="instructional video">instructional video</a> has been created for your convenience to show you how this new process works. Change forms will still be processed by HR.

The Title IX Office is working hard to respond properly to incidents, and on developing forms for reporting and communicating. There have been 64 reports for 2017; not all were Title IX complaints, some are age discrimination, harassment and a variety of other issues.

The Title IX Office is working with the company that created the Title IX Training to provide a different method of training for the Rural Campuses that are having connectivity—and bandwidth issues.

There is a <u>Confidential Advocate</u> located in the Wood Center. They are not required to file a formal complaint or report issues disclosed to them unless a minor is involved, or if others are in danger.

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The Title IX office has formed a <u>Gender Inclusive Workgroup</u> which is working on forms, facilities, and polic ies to create gender equality. For a map to gender inclusive restrooms, ADA restrooms, and lactation restrooms on campus, click <u>here</u>.

The Diversity Action Plan , trying to highlight 0.891 -Tkqualities,inc

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Chancellor White has already responded to the letter and will be creating a task force for recommendation implementation; he has personally requested a list of Staff Council Members willing to serve on the task force.

o SCDiscussion:it was suggested to remove the words "in Research" from the resolution. The amended r esolution was passed

#### Resolutions in Progress:

Resolution 2017-286-1 - Opposition to Proposed Leave Cashin Changes.