



# UAS Ketchikan Cup O' News August 2018

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## MARITIME TRAINING CENTER RENOVATION

Almost there! Substantial completion was reached on July 31. Dawson Construction is in the midst of last minute punch list items and is scheduled to be out of the building the second week of August. Then the fun of moving back into the newly renovated spaces begins. The maritime bridge simulator will be the biggest item to move. We will be having an open house later this fall to show off the completed renovation! Watch for details.

## PHOTO SHOOT

Charley Starr will be on campus Wednesday, August 15, to do headshots for all staff and faculty who missed the last photo shoot in May or who need to do a retake. He will be available 10:00-11:30 in P303.

## WELCOMES & FAREWELLS

Welcome to Steve Florian, our new Assistant Professor of Writing and Communication. Steve and his family arrive this month. His office is located in the Paul Building, room 506. His campus phone is 228-4550.

A fond farewell was given to Conan Steele last month (actually July 31 to be exact). Conan is leaving us to teach in Angoon. While we will miss his presence on campus, he will continue to work for us as an adjunct teaching Math 054 online.

## OF NOTE

Facilities have been busy this last month taking advantage of some nice weather. The parking lot was sealed and restriped last month. The covered walkway between the Paul and Ziegler Building were sanded and stained. Carpets were cleaned in all the classrooms. A few offices were painted to move faculty in the Paul Building. They will be moving a few folks at the maritime center this month as well as setting up the maritime center for fall classes now that the renovation is complete, as well as cleaning gutters at the maritime center.



The UAS Staff Council annual retreat was held on July 23 & 24 in Juneau with the newly elected members coming together. Kate Govaars is the new Ketchikan Staff Council representative. Over the two days together, they met with the Chancellor and the Director of Admissions, engaged in training on Google Drive technology and implicit biases and worked through updates and understandings of shared governance. Members of Staff Council were assigned various committees to serve on throughout the year to support the staff voice through various aspects of the university.

Current Staff Council Membership:

President: David Felts (Sitka)

Past President: Kolene James (Juneau)

Vice President: Kiwana Affatato (Juneau)

Secretary: Michelle Warrenchuck (Juneau)

Juneau Member-At-Large: Trisha Lee

Sitka Member-At-Large: Amelia Budd

Ketchikan Member-At-Large: Kate Govaars

More information about Staff Council can be found at:

<http://www.uas.alaska.edu/staffcouncil/index.html>

## ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

- Aug 11** Forest & Muskeg Walk with Barbara Morgan  
*Free and open to the public, but must pre-register by calling 228-4511*
- Aug 15** Photo Shoot for Faculty & Staff, 10:00-11:30am, P303
- Aug 15** Adjunct Orientation, 5:00-7:00pm, P305
- Aug 16** Ketchikan Faculty & Staff Day, 9:00-1:00pm, P519
- Aug 16** Faculty Meeting, 1:00-3:00pm
- Aug 18** Forest & Muskeg Walk with Barbara Morgan  
*Free and open to the public, but must pre-register by calling 228-4511*
- Aug 21-22** Fall Convocation - Juneau
- Aug 27** Fall term begins!



## TECH TIP OF THE MONTH

The computers in the classrooms and for student use have been upgraded to Windows 10. It may take a little extra time to get used to the way Windows 10 works and how to setup your profile.

One example is that "Log off" is now called "Sign out". Go to the start button and click on the person icon and then select "Sign out". You can also left click on the start button to get another menu set with the sign out option.

Kimberly Matsuura is offering one-on-one training for anyone who needs assistance with the upgrade. She can be reached at 228-4507 or [kcschulte@alaska.edu](mailto:kcschulte@alaska.edu).