UNIVERSITY WOMEN’S CAUCUS

Celebrating Over 40 Years at Old Dominion University

UWC ADVOCATES FOR

SERVICES, programs, POLICIES and EFFORTS that remove systemic barriers and address the needs of women

FAMILY-FRIENDLY policies and programs

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY and AFFIRMATIVE ACTION in hiring, promotion and compensation

UWC GOALS

ADVOCATE for policies and practices that create and maintain a positive and equitable climate for women

OFFER educational programs and networking opportunities

ENCOURAGE and facilitate dialogue with University administration

MONITOR implementation of existing policies and services that impact women

RECOGNIZE and CELEBRATE special contributions of women

COLLECT, review, and share relevant data as needed

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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UWC SPONSORS

Educational, NETWORKING, and recognition programs
Monthly BROWN BAG lunch meetings featuring University, local, and national speakers
Personal and professional WORKSHOPS
Socials and luncheons celebrating women at ODU
Our Leadership

Founded in 1974 by Dorothy Johnson and Carolyn Rhodes, the UWC is a vibrant organization on ODU’s campus.

The Board is comprised of faculty, administrators, staff and liaisons from like-minded campus organizations. This diverse representation fosters open lines of communication and offers a forum for addressing women’s issues and concerns.

The Board works with ODU’s administration to establish institutional priorities, policies, and activities that produce a supportive environment for women on campus.

Events

SEPTEMBER 23 | 12 NOON
Welcome Back Luncheon
Chesapeake/Portsmouth/VB Room
Webb Center

OCTOBER 8 | 4-6PM
Wine & Chocolate Reception
Borjo’s | Monarch Way

OCTOBER 28 | 12 NOON
Stop Talking "Like a Girl": Tools for Presenting Like the Strong Masterful Woman You Are

NOVEMBER 18 | 12 NOON
Meeting w/ President Broderick
Both held in River Rooms, Webb Center

JANUARY 27 | 12 NOON
U R Not Alone: Mentoring @ ODU
River Rooms, Webb Center

FEBRUARY 24 | 12 NOON
#distractinglysexy: Nice Girls Talk Back
River Rooms, Webb Center

MARCH 23 | 12 NOON
Money Talks: Salary Equity
River Rooms, Webb Center

APRIL 20 | 12 NOON
UWC AWARDS CEREMONY
River Rooms, Webb Center

Caucus Achievements

- Significant contributions in helping to establish the ODU Child Care Center
- Adoption of university policy for Temporary Change in Duties for Full-time Faculty Who Expect a New Family Member Through Birth or Adoption
- New university policy adopted establishing Lactation Rooms for nursing mothers
- Ongoing development of “family friendly” policies