

SIAST Professional Services Bargaining Unit

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Call for Proposals

The SIAST Professional Services Collective Bargaining Agreement (CBA) expires on June 30, 2009. Your Negotiating Committee is responsible for gathering proposals or suggestions for changes to the CBA in preparation for the next round of bargaining. Proposals will be debated at a Proposals Conference scheduled for November of this year. The proposals endorsed at that conference will form the basis of the new proposals package presented to management.

Proposals Gathering

Every member has the right to submit proposals for changes to the CBA. Please take this opportunity to identify problems in the agreement and provide suggestions for improvement. We are also calling for proposals for changes to our Bargaining Guidelines.

A "Proposals Form" is attached. Members are asked to submit their suggestions for changes to the CBA or the Bargaining Guidelines on the form provided. **If you are submitting more than one proposal, please make copies of the form and submit one proposal per form.** Proposals must be clear, concise and include:

- statement of desired change
- reason(s) for the change
- reference to articles in the current agreement, if applicable
- reference to articles in other agreement, if known.

Please note that the deadline for submitting proposals is September 30, 2008. Forward your proposals to the Saskatoon SGEU office at 1114-22nd Street W, Saskatoon, SK S7M 0S5 or to your Campus Chairperson.

The proposals submitted will be compiled and distributed to each Campus Committee for membership perusal. A membership meeting will be held on each campus to discuss the proposals package.

If you have any questions about the proposals gathering process or how to complete the form, please contact a steward or a member of your Campus Committee. We look forward to receiving your proposals.

In solidarity,
SIAST Professional Services Negotiating Committee
Tracey Kurtenbach Chair



Proposal Form 2008

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Proposals for changing the SIAST Professional Services Collective Bargaining Agreement or the Bargaining Guidelines must be submitted on this form.

1. What is the change you desire or propose?

2. What is the reason for the change? *(Please attach any background material you may have.)*

3. Has a grievance been filed on this issue?

YES _____ **NO** _____
Grievance Number (if available) _____

4. Article number in the Collective Bargaining Agreement, if applicable.

5. Please list other contracts that contain similar provisions/articles and attach relevant language, if available.

Proposed by (mandatory information)

Name:

Address:

Campus:

Telephone numbers:

Home:

Work:

Fax:

Email address:

Submit your "Proposals Form" to your Campus Chairperson or mail it by September 30, 2008 to SGEU, 1114 22nd Street West, Saskatoon, SK S7M 0S5 or fax to 306.664.7134