**Peer Support Welcome Questionnaire 2024-25**

**Completed form due by Wednesday, September 25, 2024 by email to** *projcom@uvic.ca*

*Welcome to the New Faculty and Librarian Supportive Communities Program! In this program, you will be placed into groups (“support pods”) of 5-6 interdisciplinary new faculty and librarians with a group leader/senior support. The aim of this program is:*

* *to provide you with opportunities to connect with peers and established colleagues from diverse backgrounds as part of a supportive community,*
* *to assist with your integration at UVic, and*
* *to work on developing personal goals and connections that you can continue into your career.*

*The program is planned to start in October 2024 and will run until May 2025, with some organized events and suggested opportunities for groups to meet informally in between structured events.*

*If you are interested in participating, please complete the questionnaire below to help inform the direction of future meetings and events. The Supportive Communities Program is here for you. We provide this opportunity to ensure that future sessions support your development and learning objectives and enhance your connection to the campus community. We welcome your feedback throughout the program. Please email feedback to* [*projcom@uvic.ca*](mailto:projcom@uvic.ca)*.*

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| **Name** |  | | |
| **Position Title** |  | | |
| **Faculty** |  | **Department** |  |
| **Email** |  | **Work Phone #** |  |

**Meeting availability\* (Mon-Fri, AM/PM):**

*\*Note that although we book according to greatest availability and do our best to accommodate requests, we may not always be able to match your requested meeting times.*

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|  | **Monday** | **Tuesday** | **Wednesday** | **Thursday** | **Friday** |
| **AM** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **PM** |  |  |  |  |  |

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1. **Please list up to 3 outcomes you wish to walk away with from your participation in the program.**

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1. **The University of Victoria strives to have an inclusive and accessible environment for all members of the UVic community and to eliminate barriers to participation in campus life. Do you have any requests or suggestions to promote inclusivity in the Supportive Communities Program?**

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1. **The Supportive Communities Program will pair 5-6 interdisciplinary new faculty and/or librarians with a senior support faculty member or librarian.** 
   1. **What skills, qualities, and attributes are you looking for in a senior support?**
   2. **What qualities do you value in your peers/colleagues?**

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1. **What 2-3 types of issues would you want to discuss with or learn from your senior support and peer supports?**

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1. **How often and under what circumstances would you like to meet or communicate with your senior support and peer supports?**

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1. **What kinds of activities would you like to engage in with your senior support and peer supports? *(Note: some of these may be done virtually rather than in person).***

Attend formal learning/mentorship events

Meet informally over coffee, drinks, lunch, or dinner

Informal meet-ups with the larger Supportive Communities group (e.g., whoever can make it)

Attend educational events (lectures, talks, discussions, etc.)

Participate in structured peer activities

Other? (Write suggestions in the space below)

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1. **Do you have any other questions or feedback?**

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