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**From:** Karen Olmstead  
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Dear Salisbury University Faculty and Academic Affairs Staff and Partners:

Happy new year! It's hard to believe the excitement about Y2K was twenty years ago, but here we are. I hope each of you had a restorative and fulfilling holiday break.

Below are a few news items, development and funding opportunities, and an updated calendar. If you want to share information about events/activities of interest to faculty across campus, please send them to [provost@salisbury.edu](mailto:provost@salisbury.edu) at least three days before the first Monday of each month.

### News to share:

Congratulations to Stu Hamilton and colleagues in the Department of Geography & Geosciences for remaining at the **top of all online masters programs in Geographic Information Systems (GIS)** beating out U. Arizona, U. Washington and U. Maryland College Park to name a few ([Best College Reviews 2019](#)).

Dr. Lilian Odera will join our campus as **Director of Student Counseling Services** on February 12<sup>th</sup> and will bring broad clinical and other experience to the position. She earned her Ph.D. and masters degrees in Clinical Psychology from the U. of Michigan. To learn more about the Counseling Center, click [here](#).

Candace Henry has been appointed **Director of Student Disability Services** through a competitive search process. Ms. Henry is a terrific partner to Academic Affairs and will hit the ground running after serving as acting director of the Disability Resource Center. To learn more about the DRC, click [here](#).

Please join me in **wishing Aaron Basko and his family the best**



- 5/15 Graduate Commencement Exercises
- 5/16 Undergraduate Commencement Exercises
- 5/22 Notification of promotion to faculty in writing by President
- 8/31 Notification of sabbatical leave for Spring 2021 to faculty by President

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