

# **Faculty Senate**

May 9, 2019

# YPRC: Meetings, Demands & Responses

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- **Demand 1:** No UWM cooperation with ICE
- **Response:** UWM does not disclose student info per FERPA and UWMPD does not collect citizenship info/assist w/deportations
  - In best interest of all for UWM to follow lawful orders
- **Demand 2:** Expand mental health resources
- **Response:** Agree more needed here; more resources dedicated in spite of budget cuts
  - Deep discussion at April Board meeting, more at July meeting
  - Norris Counseling Director Paul DuPont offered to meet
- **Demand 3:** More scholarship/fiscal support for undocumented students
- **Response:** Development staff meeting with Task Force

# Spring 2019 Updates

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- **“Undocu-Week” activities**
  - Actor Bambadjan Bamba on journey as DACA recipient
  - Actress Diane Guerrero on immigration reform
  - “Arts Beyond Borders” exhibit for undocumented artist
- **“Undocually” trainings**
  - 2 sessions on Milwaukee campus: 40+ learned how to become allies to undocumented students
  - 1 session at Waukesha campus
- **Roberto Hernandez Center efforts**
  - 18 \$500 emergency grants to Latino students
  - Secured new donor
    - 4 \$500 emergency grants
    - Annual donation in new fund for DACA students
  - May 4, 2019 PALM Graduation Gala raised \$39k
  - Fall 2019: monthly pro bono immigration counseling