



For over 100 years, the AAUP has been the leading national organization of higher education professionals. Its mission includes:

- ◆ *Advancing academic freedom and shared governance*
- ◆ *Defining professional values and standards*
- ◆ *Promoting the economic security of those who teach and research in higher education*
- ◆ *Organizing to make our goals a reality*

As one of the largest institutions of higher education in New York state, Suffolk County Community College should participate in the AAUP's national efforts to support academic values. By forming an AAUP chapter, SCCC will join with other area colleges that already have AAUP chapters, including:

- ◆ Nassau Community College
- ◆ Hofstra University
- ◆ New York Institute of Technology
- ◆ Adelphi University

as well as several others throughout the state and over 100 throughout the country.

SCCC faculty interested in starting an AAUP chapter would like to plan an interest/organizational meeting early in the spring 2018 semester; date, time and location TBA.

If you are interested in getting involved or would like more information, contact fellenm@sunysuffolk.edu