

Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) Negotiations

Meetings in support of the development of the first Memorandum of Understanding between PSAANS / AAEPNE were held on Monday, October 28, 2019 and Wednesday, October 30, 2019. During the employment talks, the following items were discussed: *Workload, Professional Development Fund, Leadership Development, Return to the Classroom, Section 1: Employee Appointments, Section 2: Probationary Period, Section 15: Administrator Movement, Section 29: Recruitment and Retention Strategy Working Group*

Additional sessions are scheduled for: Wednesday, November 20, 2019, Friday, November 22, 2019 and Thursday, November 28, 2019

PSAANS Conference 2019 and Feedback Form

It was an incredible opportunity to welcome almost 500 administrators and guests to our 2nd Annual PSAANS October conference. This day provides a once a year opportunity for us to gather as members with a common purpose, building strong systems and strong schools, where staff and student success are the priorities. We hope that you enjoyed and were inspired by Tina Varughese and Hadiya Roderique as you learn and lead forward. Diversity and equity are core components of a strong and inclusive public education system for students, staff and communities. To support the work of planning our next conference at the Westin Hotel in Halifax on October 23, 2020, we would like to have your feedback through the Google Form below.

Please follow the link below to our conference survey: <https://forms.gle/KSwbm2FJZiXrHR68>

PSAANS Annual General Meeting October 25th, 2019

Documents pertaining to the Annual General Meeting will be available in the Member Hub at PSAANS.ca. These will include

- 2018-2019 Annual Report
- October 2018 AGM Minutes
- Audited Financial Statement
- Approved 2019-2020 Budget
- Updated copy of the PSAANS By-laws as amended by the membership at the October 25th, 2019 Annual General Meeting

PSAANS Executive

At the Board of Directors meeting held on Friday, October 25, 2019 following the close of the October Conference the following Board members were elected as the executive for the 2019-2020 year.

Chair:	Tim Simony	chair@psaans.ca
Vice-Chair:	Maria Carty	vice-chair@psaans.ca
Secretary:	Michelle Coleman	secretary@psaans.ca
Treasurer:	Kim Frank	treasurer@psaans.ca

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<https://nstuinsurance.ca/>.