

## THE OMBUDS OFFICE

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## **OMBUDS MONTH 2019**

## **COME MEET YOUR OMBUDSMAN**

What is Ombuds Day? The American Bar Association (ABA) Dispute Resolution Section Launched Inaugural Ombuds Day, October 11, 2018. This is part of a month-long recognition of conflict resolution professions. Ombuds Day this year is on October 10, 2019.

Who does the Ombuds Office serve? Students, Faculty & Staff of Stony Brook University

What can the Ombuds Office do for me? Stony Brook University Ombuds Office provides an informal channel through which constituents (students, faculty and staff) can confidentially discuss concerns, complaints or seek information and referrals without fear of retaliation. The office provides educational workshops and online *Quick Tips* on topics such as communication, conflict resolution, and many more. Additionally, you can view the online library of recommended books.

Where can I meet the ombudsman? Appointments can be made in person or by telephone. Offices are located on both East and West Campuses. Or, you can meet the ombudsman at the tabling locations listed below throughout the month of October.

- East Campus Hospital, Level 5, 11 am to 1 pm, in front of the CSEA Office
  - o 10/9, Wednesday
- West Campus SAC Lobby, 11 am to 1 pm
  - o 10/8, Tuesday
  - o 10/11, Friday
- LISVH
  - o 10/15, 11 am to 2 pm Café
  - o 10/24, 2:30 pm to 5 pm Lobby
  - o 10/29, 6:30 am to 9 am Lobby
- School of Dental Medicine Cafeteria, 12 pm to 2 pm
  - o 10/7, Monday
- Stony Brook Medicine Advanced Specialty Care Conference Room
  - o 10/10, Thursday 10:30 am to 1:30 pm
- Southampton Campus Library Entrance 10 am to 3 pm
  - o 10/23, Wednesday

