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UPDATE FROM DEAN DENBY-BRINSON

for faculty, staff and students



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Good Morning!

Holiday Luncheon

I look forward to seeing you at noon in the Tate-Turner-Kuralt lobby for fellowship and fun at our holiday luncheon.

Please be aware that shipping issues have delayed the delivery of our SSW gift jackets to mid-month. You'll get an announcement about where to pick up your gift once they have arrived.

Photos

If you've scheduled a headshot with photographer York Wilson in Room 135 this afternoon, please be timely! He has a very busy afternoon scheduled.

Thank you for your participation.

Strategic Plan(t)ing

Please respond to my **Tuesday, Nov. 29** Strategic Plan(t)ing e-mail, if you haven't already done so. It contains a link — unique to you, and completely anonymous — to a Climate and Culture Survey. The survey will help us collectively chart the course for our School's future. It is important to me that we hear from everyone who wants to shape our School community. **Every voice matters!**

SSWR Conference in January

Researchers: If you're presenting at the SSWR Conference in January, please take a few minutes to let us know about it by [filling out this form](#) no later than **Friday, Dec. 9**. *Note that you must access this link from your unc.edu account. If prompted, sign in using your ONYN/password and dual authentication — as you would if were signing into heelmail.unc.edu.*

Spotlight of the Week

This week, I'd like to [celebrate John McMahon](#), who is retiring today after 30 years of state service. John joined UNC's Family and Children's Resource Program in 1993 and has made such a difference in our community. His work exemplifies all aspects of our aspirations to excellence in education, research and community outreach. John's warmth, collegiality and professionalism as a colleague have earned him the respect of his peers. I wish him well on his next adventure.

Warmly,

Dean Ramona Denby-Brinson

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