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Dear MSP bargaining unit faculty members and librarians,

Each year, the Chancellor provides \$200,000 to help MSP bargaining unit members replace their old computers —half as part of a contractual obligation negotiated with MSP and half volunteered by the Chancellor. This program is intended to replace outdated equipment, not to supply computers to newly hired faculty. Eligible bargaining unit members may apply for up to \$1,000 to assist in buying a new computer or tablet. These funds are not available for the purchase of printers or similar peripherals. For purchases in excess of the \$1,000 award, you will need to identify what type of funds will be used to cover the overage.

The application period will begin on Wednesday, January 17, 2018 and will close on Monday, February 12, 2018.

To apply, please log into the Academic Personnel Workflow System

(<https://cps.provost.umass.edu/umaerpt/auth/login>) using your NETID and password.

Questions about the computer replacement fund should go to [academic.personnel@umass.edu](mailto:academic.personnel@umass.edu)