# 10 Ways to Help #UISTUDENTS4SALAITA <a href="UPDATED 9/8/2014">UPDATED 9/8/2014</a>

# 1. Sign a Petition:

Sign the UIUC Graduate Student Petition in support of Professor Salaita. Click here to sign the petition

Are you Jewish and support Professor Salaita? <u>Click here to sign the petition</u>. Worldwide Student Petition <u>Click here to sign the petition</u>. Worldwide petition on Change.org <u>Click here to sign the petition</u>

2. **Go to these events on campus:** We need more people coming out to events so people know that there are many out there that do not agree with the administration's decisions:

## September 9, 2014

9:30am-10:30am: College of Education Meeting with Chancellor Wise at Education Building.

Organizers ask that you wear the <u>l insignia</u> over your mouth in solidarity with Salaita.

11:30am-1:00pm: UIUC Campus Walk-Out to #ReinstateSalaita: Click here for more information on this event

1:00pm: Dr. Steven Salaita will be in Champaign tomorrow and holding a press conference at the University YMCA

### <u>September 11, 2014</u>

Board of Trustees Meeting where they will be voting on the appointment of Professor Salaita

Click here for more information on this event

12:00pm-2:00pm: BoT UNITY RALLY: RESPECT FOR ACADEMIC FREEDOM, LABOR AND STUDENTS. Meet at 12:00 at the Alma Mater <u>Click here for more information on this event</u>

3. **Help organize for the walkout:** The organizer's of the Campus Walkout still need more volunteers to help organize for the Walkout. A general volunteer meeting is taking place at 4:30-5:30 at the Mckinley Foundation to help distribute flyers. <u>Click here for more information</u>

- 4. **Help make signs and flyers, photograph and video record campus events.** contact #UISTUDENTS4SALAITA on Facebook, *Contact #UIStudents4Salaita: Rico Kleinstein Chenyek*, <u>uistudents4salaita@gmail.com</u>; <u>@UIstdts4salaita</u> (Twitter)
- 5. **Do you STEM?** Students from the College of Engineering are writing a letter in support of Dr. Salaita. If you would like to help write the letter or learn more about how this affects students in STEM Contact David Hamilton at admin@sobrave.net
- 6. Talk to your students or friends about Professor Salaita, diversity, civility and academic freedom and why that is important. Encourage them to attend campus events to support Professor Salaita. Reach out to them on social media and in person.
- 7. **Be a good ally**. Support your friends and loved ones and speak out with them.
- 8. **Stay strong in the fight.** For those who are already volunteering and organizing, remember to love, nourish and take care of yourself.
- 9. **Donate** money to help Professor Salaita with legal fees. <u>Donate here</u>
- 10. **Write to the Board of Trustees** to tell them that there is still time to reverse their decision. It is important to address them as individuals not as a group. (Divide and Conquer) So contact Ricardo, Patty, Karen, Patricia, Chris, James and all the rest. You can also **write to the Governor of Illinois**, Pat Quinn, who appointed nine of the trustees. He is currently running for re-election. Tell him your concerns. Say you are disappointed with board that he appointed. Give him a tweet: @GovernorQuinn

They are not a unified front, check this article out:

### Trustees:

Christopher G. Kennedy, Chair, chris@northbankandwells.com

Robert A. Easter, President: reaster@uillinois.edu

Hannah Cave, Trustee: hcave2@illinois.edu

Ricardo Estrada, Trustee: estradar@metrofamily.org

Patrick J. Fitzgerald, Trustee: patrick.fitzgerald@skadden.com

Lucas N. Frye, Trustee: Infrye2@illinois.edu Karen Hasara, Trustee: hasgot28@aol.com

Patricia Brown Holmes, Trustee: pholmes@schiffhardin.com

Timothy N. Koritz, Trustee: timothy.koritz@gmail.com ortkoritz@gmail.com

Danielle M. Leibowitz, Trustee: dleibo2@uic.edu

Edward L. McMillan, Trustee: mcmillaned@sbcglobal.net ormcmillaned@msn.com

James D. Montgomery, Trustee: james@jdmlaw.com Pamela B. Strobel, Trustee: pbstrobel@comcast.net

Thomas R. Bearrows, University Counsel: bearrows@uillinois.edu

Susan M. Kies, Secretary of the Board of Trustees and the University: kies@uillinois.edu

Lester H. McKeever, Jr., Treasurer, Board of Trustees: Imckeever@wpmck.com