

BY THE NUMBERS

CONTINGENT EMPLOYMENT AT SUNY

STATE-OPERATED CAMPUSES AND HEALTH SCIENCES CENTERS

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84%

39%

62%

91%



Roughly 1 in every 5 professionals and 3 in every 5 academics are contingent.



Professionals:



1 in every 4 part-time, temporary professionals earns less than \$9,000 a year.



1 in every 4 part-time, temporary professionals has worked in the same SUNY title for more than four years.

Academics:



The percentage of part-time contingent faculty has increased over the last decade. Today, more than one-third of the faculty at the majority of SUNY's state-operated campuses are part time.



2 in every 5 part-time adjuncts and lecturers have worked in the same SUNY title for more than five years.



Half of all full-time and part-time faculty have no path to permanency.



1 in every 3 part-time adjuncts and lecturers earns less than \$225 per week; 1 in every 4 earns less than \$185 per week.



SUNY is overly dependent on its part-time academics and professionals—those with the lowest pay and the least job security.



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