

Dr. Gloria Waters, University Provost and Chief Academic Officer

One Silber Way
Boston, Massachusetts 02215
T 617-353-2230 F 617-353-6580
www.bu.edu/provost

TO: Graduate Workers with Service-paid Research or Teaching Appointment Positions

FROM: Gloria Waters, University Provost and Chief Academic Officer *G.W.*

DATE: October 29, 2024

SUBJECT: Submitting Graduate Worker Pay Attestation for Previous Weeks of Unpaid Work

As you may know, the Boston University Graduate Workers Union (BUGWU) [voted on October 16](#) to ratify the University's [three-year contract offer](#) and end their strike.

You are receiving this email because you currently hold or have held a service-paid research or teaching position represented by BUGWU.

During the strike period, graduate students in salaried service positions were asked to complete a weekly attestation survey certifying their work effort so the University could pay those who chose to work during the strike. **Now that the strike has ended, it is no longer necessary to submit these weekly attestations.**

If there are any attestations you may have missed for previous payroll periods, we ask that you please use the Qualtrics link shared below to attest to your work effort. This link will remain continuously open through Friday, November 15, with Kerberos authentication required.

Survey link: https://bostonu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_es9O0tyTOqNOrQy

Attestations received for prior payroll periods will be processed as they are received. As a reminder, the University will not retaliate against any graduate workers who participated in lawful strike activity.

Please visit the [Strike Payroll](#) page to learn more about our attestation process or to find answers to frequently asked questions. For questions related to payments, please contact Payroll at bupay@bu.edu.