



Summary of the UMRA Executive Meeting
November 9, 2023

- Review of AGM and the Fall President's Reception/Celebration of the UMRA's 20th anniversary held on Saturday Sept 30, 2023.
- Dr. Evoke Szathmary was the keynote speaker. Her talk was excellent and the entire event was enjoyed by all. The university did an excellent job with the arrangements for the event and not only provided a special anniversary cake but also included some dainties.
- Regarding the AGM, there was a good turnout but UMRA did receive a request from a member that there be a video link.
- The new UMRA service and merit awards were presented for the first time at the at the President's reception.
- UMRA Executive approved the purchase of a bench to be located at the Fort Garry campus. The bench will contain a plaque which will indicate that the bench has been donated by UMRA.
- UMRA Executive will have access to the membership list via the UMRA email system which is password protected to ensure the membership's privacy.
- Liason with other groups was to be sought.