

Elected Committees of the Faculty 2026-2027

Executive Committee

Lisa Barnett (2025-2027) Co-chair
Anna Drexler (2025-2027) Co-chair
Chad Libby (2025-2027)
Brie Swenson Arnold (2026-2028)
Firdevs Duru (2026-2028)
David Hayes (Ex officio)
Angela Ziskowski (Ex officio)

Committee to Advise the President on Retention, Promotion, and Tenure

Samantha Brown (2025-2027)
Chris Hatchell (2025-2027)
Laissa Rodriguez Moreno (2025-2027)
Gavin Cross (2026-2028)
Vinh Nguyen (2026-2028)

Finance and Facilities Committee

Michael Stobb (2025-2028)
Shawn Harmsen (2026-2029)
Ellen Lee (2026-2029)
Amy Perry (2026-2029)
Jim Choate
Jeff Rummel
David Hayes (Ex officio)
Angela Ziskowski (Ex officio)

Committee on Faculty Welfare

Bethany Keenan (2024-2027)
Kara Recker (2024-2027)
Steve Shanley (2025-2028)
Neal McNabb (2026-2029)
Faculty Secretary (Ex officio)

Faculty Review Committee

Pam Carstens (2024-2027)
Stephen Hughes (2024-2027)
John Lemos (2024-2027)
John Chaimov (2025-2028)
Cassy Cozine (2025-2028)
Katie Rodgers (2025-2028)
Mario Affatigato (2026-2029)
Brie Swenson Arnold (2026-2029)
Sara Farrell (2026-2029)

Appointed Committees of the Faculty 2026-2027

Committee on Academic Policies

John Chaimov
Randy Christensen
Sarah Kress
Heather Edverson
Carrie Melcher
Ben Schmidt
Angela Ziskowski (Co-Chair, Ex officio)
Kennan Wilson (Ex officio)

Assessment Committee

Sheila Crook-Lockwood
Levi Kirkpatrick
Xiang Li
Rochelle Snyder
David Strass
Drew Westberg (Chair, Ex officio)
Marie Baehr (Ex officio, non-voting)

Committee on Academics, Persistence And Enrollment

Ryan Baranowski
John Chandler
Katie Crockett
Jon Mitchell
Allison Carr (Ex officio)
Nikki Slack (Ex officio)
Barb Hoffman (Ex officio)
Admissions and Enrollment Rep (Ex officio)
Keenan Wilson (Ex officio)

Committee on Petitions

Jen Ferguson
Jen Rogers
Paul Storer
Jon White
Margaret LeMay (Ex officio)
Nikki Slack (Ex officio)
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Nikki Slack (Ex officio)
Keenan Wilson (Ex officio, non-voting)

Teacher Education Committee

Derek Buckaloo
Elaine Rydze
Stacy Haynes-Moore

Committee on Faculty Development

Mario Affatigato
Alissa Boguslaw
Vanessa Castillo
Emily Ganfield
Michael Leonardo
Oluwadamilola Opayemi
Drew Westberg (Chair, Ex officio)
Allison Carr (Ex officio)
Joyce Janca (Ex officio)
Lisa Stroschine (Ex officio, non-voting)

First-Year Program Committee

2-year terms
Cassy Cozine (Chair, Ex officio)
Rick Eichhorn
John Lemos
Luke Lovegood
Jill Mulford
Allison Carr (Ex officio)
Jodie Chadima (Ex officio)
Joyce Janca (Ex officio)
Brittney Miller (Ex officio)
Laura Riskedahl (Ex officio)
Angela Ziskowski (Ex officio)

Marquis Series Committee

3-year terms
Aunna Escobedo (2024-2027)
Joyce Janca (2026-2029)
Molly Staeheli (2025-2028)
Jacob Wheaton (2026-2029)
Carter Broszeit (Ex officio, non-voting)
Natalie Milke (Ex officio, non-voting)

Institutional Review Board

3-year terms
Ben Chihak (Chair, 2026-2027)
Stephen Hughes (2025-2028)
Laura Riskedahl (2025-2028)
Kelly Siems (2026-2029)
Angela Ziskowski (Institutional Official)

Committees of the College 2026-2027

Committee for Belonging

2-year terms

Sara Farrell (2026-2027)

Xander Toftness (2025-2027)

Hongbo Xie (2025-2027)

Jason Chapman (Ex officio non-voting)

Anna Drexler (Ex officio, non-voting)

Melanie Ostmo (Ex officio, non-voting)

Title IX Coordinator (Ex officio, non-voting)

Steven Shelby (Ex officio, non-voting)

Jayne Thompson (Ex officio, non-voting)

Human Resources representative (Ex officio, non-voting)

Committee on Campus Affairs

Pam Carstens

Jay Chen

Brian Christoffersen

Kim Lanegran

David Nordmann

Staff Representative from Athletics

Staff Representative from Health and Wellness

Staff Representative from Information Technology

**Faculty Representation on Committees of the Board
2026-2027**

To be determined in Fall 2026