

2026-2027 Faculty Senate Committees

Advisory Committee for Scholarship and Research (Joint)

Composition: Joint Committee between the Provost and the Faculty Senate (Article IV, Title B. 2. of Faculty Bylaws). Includes six faculty representing schools/colleges, six appointed by the Provost, and ex officio non-voting members (Associate Deans for Research).

Chair: Daniel Thomas Davis (Appointed by the Provost)

Member	School/Department	Term Ends	Status
Maggie DiVita	Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences	8/28	New
David Klotzkin	Watson/ECE	8/28	New
Vipul Lugade	Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences	8/27	Continuing
Thomas Powell	Harpur/Biological Sciences	8/28	New
Meredith Schwendemann	CCPA/TLEL	8/27	Continuing
Cihan Uzmanoglu	School of Management	8/27	Continuing
<i>Appointees/ Additional members:</i>			
Kathleen Provinzano	Assoc Dean for Research – CCPA	-	-
Melissa Sutherland	Assoc Dean for Research - Decker		
Carl Lipo	Assoc Dean for Research – Harpur	-	-
Rory Eckardt	Assoc Dean for Research – SOM	-	-
Eric Hoffman	Assoc Dean for Research – Pharmacy	-	-
Kartik Gopalan	Assoc Dean for Research - Watson	-	-
Christopher Bishop (sabbatical fall '26) John Kuhn (cover fall '26)	Provost's appointee	-	-
Daniel Thomas Davis	Provost's appointee	-	-
Mark Poliks	Provost's appointee	-	-
Xingye Qiao	Provost's appointee	-	-
Gail Rattinger	Provost's appointee	-	-
Sangwon Yoon	Provost's appointee	-	-
Mike Jacobson	Dir. of Strategic Research Initiatives	-	-

Budget Review Committee

Composition: Representative of all schools and the Library. Eleven faculty (5 Harpur, 1 each from Watson, Education, CCPA, SOM, Decker, Pharmacy, and the Library) and two students.

Chair: Barry Jones

Member	School/Department	Term Ends	Status
Carey Cadieux	Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences	8/28	New
Komla Dzigbede	CCPA/Public Administration	8/28	Continuing
Matthew Gallagher	Libraries	8/28	Continuing
Barry Jones	Harpur/Economics	8/28	Continuing
Meg Leja	Harpur/History	8/27	Continuing
Patrick Madden	Watson/Computer Science	8/28	Continuing
Debi P. Mishra	School of Management	8/28	Continuing
Steven Murphy	Harpur/Chemistry	8/27	Continuing
Dick Naslund	Harpur/Earth Sciences	8/28	Continuing
Gail Rattinger	Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences	8/27	Continuing
Olga Shvetsova	Harpur/Political Science	8/28	Continuing
Appointees/Additional Members:			
Donald Hall	President's appointee	-	-
John Cordi	Provost's appointee	-	-
Julien Panetier	Chair of Faculty Senate	-	-
Debi Mishra	Chair of FSEC	-	-
Jon Krasno	Additional Member	-	-
Owen Chen	Graduate student	-	-
TBD	Undergraduate student	-	-

Bylaws Review Committee

Composition: Five faculty (3 elected, 2 ex officio immediate past Vice-Chairpersons of the Faculty Senate). 3 from Harpur, 2 from professional schools/Libraries.

Chair: Olga Shvetsova

Member	School/Department	Term Ends	Status
Jeremy Dibbell	Libraries	8/28	Continuing
Sean Dunwoody	Harpur/Humanities/History	8/28	Continuing
Stephen Levy	Harpur/Physics	8/28	Continuing
Olga Shvestsova	Harpur/Political Science	8/28	Continuing
Sarah Spinler	Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences	8/27	Continuing
<i>Appointees/Additional Members:</i>			
Carrie Soloman	President's appointee	-	-
Alistair Lees	Provost's appointee	-	-
Rodney Gabel	Past Vice Chair of Faculty Senate	-	-
Debi Mishra	Past Vice Chair of Faculty Senate	-	-

Committee for the University Environment (Joint)

Composition: Eight faculty (5 Senate, 3 Provost), three students (2 SA, 1 GSO), VP for Operations, 1 PSS appointee, 1 Residential Life rep, 1 Physical Plant rep, 1 Environmental Professional, and the Steward of the Nature Preserve.

Chair: Kim Jaussi

Admin Vice Chair: JoAnn Navarro

Member	School/Department	Term Ends	Status
Emily Creo	Libraries	8/28	Continuing
Ann Fronczek	Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences	8/28	Continuing
Carl Lipo	Harpur/Anthropology	8/28	Continuing
Colin Lyons	Harpur/Art & Design	8/27	Continuing
Jacob Palmer	Harpur/Biological Sciences	8/28	New
Appointees/Additional Members:			
JoAnn Navarro	VP of Operations	-	-
George Homsy	Provost's appointee	-	-
James Pitarresi	Provost's appointee	-	-
Kim Jaussi	Provost's appointee	-	-
Brett Barnes	Site Designer	-	-
Jennifer Bobzien	Assoc. Dir. of TAPS	-	-
Jennifer Bourassa	Asst. Dir. of Construction	-	-
Nick Corcoran	Environmental Professional	-	-
Patrick Doyle	PSS representative	-	-
Dylan Horvath	Steward of the Nature Preserve	-	-
Diana Jaramillo Keane	Facilities Management	-	-
Jonathan Reynolds	Grounds and Mechanical Services Manager	-	-
Ryan Roosa	Residential Life	-	-
Julian Shepherd	Emeritus	-	-
Erica Loomis	Graduate Student	-	-
TBD	Undergraduate Student	-	-
TBD	Undergraduate Student	-	-

Committee on Committees

Composition: Six to eight faculty across schools and Libraries. The committee elects its chair.

Chair: Neyda Gilman (2026-2027)

Member	School/Department	Term Ends	Status
Ann Fronczek	Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences	8/27	Continuing
Guy German	Watson/Biomedical Engineering	8/27	Continuing
Neyda Gilman	Libraries	8/27	Continuing
Yanyan Li	Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences	8/28	New
Sabina Perrino	Harpur/Anthropology	8/28	Continuing
Tashnuva Shaheen	CCPA/TLEL	8/28	New

Convocations Committee

Composition: Three faculty, three administrative (one designated executive secretary), three undergraduate students, one graduate student.

Co-chairs: Mary Tuttle / Jennifer Keegin

Member	School/Department	Term Ends	Status
Woe-Nan Bair	Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences	8/27	Continuing
Mi Jin Doe	Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences	8/27	Continuing
Mary Tuttle	Libraries	8/28	New
<i>Appointees/Additional Members:</i>			
Brian Rose	President's appointee	-	-
Don Loewen	Provost's appointee	-	-
Jennifer Keegin	Administrative appointee (Exec. Secretary)	-	-
Lawrence Hapeman	Graduate Student	-	-
TBD	Undergraduate Student	-	-
TBD	Undergraduate Student	-	-
TBD	Undergraduate Student	-	-

Diversity Committee

Composition: Four faculty from Harpur, three from Professional schools/Library. Serve two-year terms (max 2 consecutive).

Chair: Tracy Brooks

Member	School/Department	Term Ends	Status
Tracy Brooks	Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences	8/27	Continuing
Heather Deal	CCPA/Social Work	8/28	New
Marcello Graziano	Harpur/Environment and Sustainability	8/28	New
Ann Merriweather	Harpur/Psychology	8/27	Continuing
Deborah Schechter	Harpur/Anthropology	8/27	Continuing
Tia Spagnuolo	Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences	8/27	Continuing
Samuel Elikem Kwame Nyamuame	Harpur/Theatre	8/28	New
Appointees/Additional Members:			
Andrea Decker	Professional Staff Senate	-	-
Khulan Gantulga	Graduate Student	-	-
TBD	Undergraduate Student	-	-

EOP Advisory Committee

Composition: Five faculty, one graduate, four undergraduate (3 EOP), plus ex officio members (Admissions, Associate Dean of Harpur, EOP Director).

Chair: Jillian Sandy

Member	School/Department	Term Ends	Status
Kelley L Cook	CCPA/Social Work	8/28	Continuing
Cody Dew	Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences	8/28	New
Jillian Sandy	Libraries	8/27	Continuing
Lisa Tessman	Harpur/Philosophy	8/28	Continuing
Melvin Whitehead	CCPA/Social Work	8/27	Continuing
<i>Appointees/Additional Members:</i>			
Nicole Sirju-Johnson	President's appointee	-	-
Justin Brymn	Provost's appointee	-	-
Mariah Bubel	Dir. of Recruitment (Undergrad)	-	-
Dave Clark	Assoc. Dean for Undergrad Studies	-	-
Karima Legette	EOP Director	-	-
Sara Wozniak	Additional member	-	-
Emily Vasquez	EOP Student	-	-
Abraham Olatunde	EOP Student		
Ellen Arzu	EOP Student		
Kevin Lin	Graduate Student	-	-
TBD	Undergraduate Student	-	-

Evaluation Coordinating Committee

Composition: Nine full-time voting faculty (1 Decker, 1 SOM, 1 CCPA, 1 Watson, 1 Pharmacy, 1 Library, 3 Harpur).

Chair: Brendan Hennessey

Member	School/Department	Term ends	Status
Jeremy Dibbell	Libraries	8/28	New
John Fetse	Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences	8/27	Continuing
Brendan Hennessey	Harpur/Romance Languages and Literatures	8/27	Continuing
Murali Jagannathan	School of Management	8/27	Continuing
Candace Mulcahy	CCPA/TLEL	8/28	Continuing
Steven Murphy	Harpur/Natural Sciences and Mathematics	8/28	Continuing
Daniel Reynolds	Watson/Biomedical Engineering	8/28	New
Gurpreet Singh	Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences	8/27	Continuing
Wan Yu	Harpur/Geography	8/27	Continuing

Information and Educational Technology Committee (Joint)

Composition: Fourteen members: Two co-chairs (Provost/CIO), seven faculty (including one co-chair from FSEC), three Provost appointees, two students.

Co-chairs: James Pitarresi / Kenneth Chiu

Member	School/Department	Term Ends	Status
Kenneth Chiu	Watson/Computer Science	8/28	Continuing
Marcello Graziano	Harpur/Environmental Studies	8/28	New
Yvonne Johnston	Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences	8/28	Continuing
Jinglu Jiang	School of Management	8/28	New
Hiroki Sayama	Watson/SSIE	8/27	Continuing
Laura Lipke	Libraries	8/27	New
Christopher Swift	Harpur/Art & Design	8/27	Continuing
Appointees/Additional members:			
Donald Hall	Provost	-	-
Joe Roth	Associate Vice President for Information Technology Services and Chief Information Officer	-	-
Donald Loewen	Provost's appointee	-	-
James Pitarresi	Provost's appointee	-	-
Sumantra Sarkar	Provost's appointee	-	-
Andrew Tucci	Additional non-voting member	-	-
Akshaykumar Gangadhar Hanmandla	Graduate Student	-	-
TBD	Undergraduate Student	-	-

Intercollegiate Athletics Committee

Composition: Four faculty, NCAA Faculty Rep (non-voting), two undergraduate (SA), one graduate (TA), one VP for Student Affairs designee (non-voting).

Chair: David Werner

Member	School/Department	Term Ends	Status
Megan Benson	Libraries	8/27	Continuing
Randy Friedman	Harpur/Judaic Studies	8/28	Continuing
Tashnuva Shaheen	CCPA/TLEL	8/28	New
David Werner	Harpur/Psychology	8/28	Continuing
<i>Appointees/Additional Members:</i>			
Don Loewen	Provost's appointee	-	-
David Eagan	Ex officio	-	-
Darcy Fauci	Chair of Athletics Board	-	-
Dennis Kalina	Sr. Deputy Director of Athletics	-	-
Nadine Mastroleo	NCAA Faculty rep.	-	-
Tom St. John	VP Student Affairs designee	-	-
Abdulla Abu Sakar	Graduate Student (TA)	-	-
TBD	Female Undergraduate Student	-	-
TBD	Male Undergraduate Student	-	-

ITS Research Computing Advisory Committee (Joint)

Composition: Five faculty, two Provost appointees, AVP/CIO of IT, two students.

Co-chairs: Tim Cortesi / Kenneth Chiu

Member	School/Department	Term Ends	Status
Kenneth Chiu	Watson/Computer Science	8/28	Continuing
Y.Y. Wong	Harpur/Economics	8/28	New
Jesse Koennecke	Libraries	8/28	New
Bradley Skopyk	Harpur/History	8/28	Continuing
Gang Zhou	Harpur/Mathematics	8/28	New
<i>Appointees/Additional Members:</i>			
Tim Cortesi	Provost's appointee	-	-
Yetrib Hathout	Provost's appointee	-	-
Nicholas Walling	ITS (non-voting)	-	-
Joe Roth	Associate Vice President for Information Technology Services and Chief Information Officer	-	-
Mohamed Khalil El Hachimi	Graduate Student	-	-
TBD	Undergraduate Student	-	-

Library Committee

Composition: Seven faculty (min. 3 from Harpur), two undergraduates, one graduate.

Chair: Harald Zils

Member	School/Department	Term Ends	Status
Heidi H Ewen	Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences	8/27	Continuing
Sasha Frizzell	Libraries	8/27	Continuing
Nicholas Kaldis	Harpur/Asian and Asian American Studies	8/28	Continuing
Jonathan Karp	Harpur/Judaic Studies	8/27	Continuing
Suzy Lee	CCPA/Human Development	8/27	Continuing
Joshua Reno	Harpur/Anthropology	8/27	Continuing
Harald Zils	Harpur/German and Russian Studies	8/27	Continuing
<i>Appointees/Additional Members:</i>			
Jesse Koennecke	President's appointee	-	-
Andrea Falcone	Provost's appointee	-	-
Youngju Lee	Graduate Student	-	-
TBD	Undergraduate Student	-	-
TBD	Undergraduate Student	-	-

Microcredential Committee (Joint)

Composition: Eight members. Director of Office of Microcredentials (chair), faculty vice-chair, four faculty (Senate), two Provost appointees.

Co-chairs: Shanise Kent / Laura Warren Hill

Member	School/Department	Term Ends	Status
Sandra Casanova-Vizcaino	Harpur/Romance Languages and Literatures	8/27	Continuing
Scott Craver	Watson/Electrical and Computer Engineering	8/28	Continuing
Gregory Hallenbeck	Harpur/DiDa	8/27	Continuing
Amber Simpson	CCPA/TLEL	8/28	Continuing
Laura Warren Hill	CCPA/Human Development	8/28	Continuing
<i>Appointees/Additional Members:</i>			
Erin Cody	Harpur Edge (Provost)	-	-
Shanise Kent	Asst. Provost/Workforce Dev. (Provost)	-	-
Miesha Marzell	Decker College (Provost)		
Michael Testani	Watson Continuing Ed (Provost)	-	-
Chou-Yu Tsai	School of Management (Provost)	-	-

Professional Standards Committee

Composition: Five tenured voting faculty.

Chair: Sarah Maximiek

Member	School/Department	Term Ends	Status
Tracy Brooks	Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences	8/27	Continuing
Sharon Aneta Bryant	Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences	8/28	New
Hoe Kyeung Kim	CCPA/TLEL	8/28	Continuing
Sean Massey	WGSS	8/28	New
Sarah Maximiek	Libraries	8/28	Continuing

Program Review Committee

Composition: Ten tenured faculty (4 Harpur, 6 Professional Schools/Library), two undergraduates, two graduates.

Chair: Scott Craver

Member	School/Department	Term Ends	Status
Meaghan Altman	Harpur/Psychology	8/27	Continuing
Christopher Bartlette	Harpur/Music	8/27	Continuing
Scott Craver	Watson/Electrical and Computer Engineering	8/28	Continuing
Jinglu Jiang	School of Management	8/27	Continuing
Loretta Mason-Williams	CCPA/TLEL	8/27	Continuing
Sarah Maximiek	Libraries	8/27	Continuing
Jeffrey Pietras	Harpur/Earth Sciences	8/27	Continuing
Nicole Rouhana	Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences	8/27	Continuing
Sarah Spinler	Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences	8/28	Continuing
Barbara Wolfe	Harpur/Theatre	8/27	Continuing
Appointees/Additional Members:			
Donald Hall	President's appointee	-	-
Terry Deak	Provost's appointee	-	-
Don Loewen	Additional non-voting member	-	-
John Starks	Faculty Director of University-Wide Courses	-	-
Charity Betters	Graduate Student	-	-
Zachary Krassin	Graduate Student	-	-
TBD	Undergraduate Student	-	-
TBD	Undergraduate Student	-	-

University Calendar Committee (Joint)

Composition: Seven faculty (4 Harpur, 3 Professional), seven Provost/President appointees, two students (1 undergrad, 1 grad).

Chair: Donald Hall

Member	School/Department	Term Ends	Status
David Campbell	CCPA/Public Administration	8/28	Continuing
BrieAnna Langlie	Harpur/Anthropology	8/28	Continuing
Colin Lyons	Harpur/Art & Design	8/28	Continuing
Carol Miles	Harpur/Biological Sciences	8/28	Continuing
Judith Quaranta	Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences	8/27	Continuing
Sarah Spinler	Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences	8/28	Continuing
Barbara Wolfe	Harpur/Theatre	8/27	Continuing
Appointees/Additional Members:			
David Eagen	President & Provost's appointee	-	-
Don Loewen	President & Provost's appointee	-	-
Krista Medionte-Phillips	President & Provost's appointee	-	-
Paola Mignone	President & Provost's appointee	-	-
Boyd Moore	President & Provost's appointee	-	-
Michelle Ponczek	President & Provost's appointee	-	-
Amber Stallman	President & Provost's appointee	-	-
Courtney Calkins	Graduate Student	-	-
TBD	Undergraduate Student	-	-

University Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

Composition: Nine faculty (4 Harpur, 1 each: SOM, CCPA, Watson, Decker, Libraries), one undergraduate, one graduate (TA).

Chair: Alex Chase-Levenson

Member	School/Department	Term Ends	Status
Megan Benson	Libraries (Elise Ferer coverage)	8/28	Continuing
David Bisaha	Harpur/Theatre	8/27	New
Alexander Borisov	Harpur/Mathematics and Statistics	8/28	Continuing
Alex Chase-Levenson	Harpur/History	8/27	Continuing
Danielle Dunne	School of Management	8/27	Continuing
Les Lander	Watson/Computer Science	8/26	Continuing
Miesha Marzell	Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences	8/28	Continuing
Jessie Reeder	Harpur/English	8/27	New
Denise Yull	CCPA/Human Development	8/28	New
Appointees/Additional Members:			
Robert Danberg	President's appointee	-	-
Don Loewen	Provost's appointee	-	-
Dave Clark	Harpur College Dean's Office	-	-
Lisa Hrehor	Additional member	-	-
James Podgorski	Graduate Student (TA)	-	-
TBD	Undergraduate Student	-	-