Academic Freedom and Tenure Committee
The Academic Freedom and Tenure Committee Deals with matters related to academic freedom, tenure, promotion, dismissals, grievances, due process and other faculty rights.

- Michael Lyons *(Chair)*
  College of Humanities and Social Sciences
- Bruce Duerden
  Caine College of the Arts
- Nikki Kendrick
  College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences | Faculty Senate
- Kurt Becker
  College of Engineering
- David Farrelly
  College of Science
- Stephanie Borrie
  Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services | Faculty Senate
- Zsolt Ugray
  Jon M. Huntsman School of Business | Faculty Senate
- Chuck Hawkins
  S.J. and Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources
- JayDee Gunnell
  Extension
- Sandra Weingart
  Libraries
- Susan Talley
  Regional Campuses
- Larry Martin
  USU Eastern

Academic Standards Subcommittee
This is a committee of the Educational Policies Committee of the Faculty Senate which recommends policy on all matters pertaining to academic evaluation of students, including admissions, retention, and graduation, and the recording of academic evaluation of students.

- Scott Bates *(Chair)*
  Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
- Ning Fang
  College of Engineering
- Cathy Bullock
  College of Humanities and Social Sciences
- Dan Coster
  College of Science
- Christa Haring
  Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
- Ed Reeve
  Provost’s Office
- Fran Hopkin
  Registrar’s Office
- Barbara Williams
  Secretary
- Mykel Beorchia
  University Advising
- Kacy Lundstrom
  University Libraries
- Allie Haas
  USUSA Executive Vice President

Access Control Committee (formerly Key Policy Committee)
The committee reviews campus security and approves the issuance of keys in certain restricted campus buildings and areas, and hears appeals to lost key fines and denials for master keys.

- Mike George *(Chair)*
  Risk Manager, Facilities Department Designee
- Dwight Davis
  Associate Vice President – Business and Finance
- Charles Darnell
  Associate Vice President – Facilities
- Lisa DeSoi
  Building Key Representative
- Eric Hawley
  Chief Information Officer
- David Petersen
  Director, Facilities Operations and Maintenance
- Ben Berrett
  Executive Director, Facilities Planning, Design and Construction
- TBD
  Faculty Representative appointed by Provost’s Office
- Michael Kuehn
  Police Chief and Director of Public Safety
The Americans with Disabilities Act Task Force advises the President on matters relating to the Americans with Disabilities Act passed by Congress. The Task Force coordinates and reviews University responsibilities under the law and proposes policies and procedures for making University programs and facilities accessible to those with disabilities.

Marla Boyer (Co-Chair)  ADA Coordinator, Human Resources
David Pruden (Co-Chair)  Student Disability Resource Center
Joe Beck  Facilities
Eric Olsen  Student Affairs
TBD  Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity
Kevin Reeve  Regional Campuses
Christopher Phillips  Academic Instructional Services
TBD  Information Technology
TBD  Professional Staff
TBD  USUSA

The advising forum is used to communicate information to advisors and those who interface with advising. Information related changes in policies, technology, or programs which benefit students will be shared. Academic advisors and those who interface with advising attend Advising Forum and receive the weekly advising newsletter.

Mykel Beorchia  Facilitator

This committee provides communication between advising and units who interface frequently with advising. Members are from advising, Associate Deans, Registrar's Office, Student Orientation and Transition Services, Athletics, Career Services, Financial Aid, Regional Campuses, Student Marketing and Communication, and Analytics. This group champions initiatives from the Council of Lead Advisors and Advising Working Group.

Mykel Beorchia (Chair)

The Council of Lead Advisors includes the lead advisors for each college and Exploratory Advising (Logan) and region (Regional Campuses). The Councils of Lead Advisors establish best practices for advising at USU, determine professional development and training topics for advising at USU, and make recommendations to university leadership to strengthen policies and practices impacting students and advising.

Lisa Allen (Chair)  College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences

The Affirmative Action Advisory Council meets each semester and has as its major purpose: (a) reviewing University policies and procedures for compliance with Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity (AA/EO) guidelines, and recommending changes as needed; (b) performing periodic review of AA/EO programs including the Affirmative Action Plan; (c) serving as member of the Affirmative Action Appeals Committee whose purpose is to review formal complaints of discrimination which have been appealed.

The AAAC services a critical function by assisting the AA/EO Director in identifying relevant campus issues/concerns and by providing insight and guidance that will enable USU to continue its enhancement of diversity and equal opportunity.

Dale Anderson (Chair)  Interim AA/EO Director
David Pruden  Director, Disability Resource Center
Michelle Bogdan Holt  Director, Access and Diversity Center
Jana Doggett  Deputy Athletic Director, External Operations
Chelsea Yoshikawa  USUSA Diversity Vice President
Doug Bullock  Executive Director, Office of Human Resources
Sonia Manuel-Dupont  Associate Professor, English, Environmental Engineering, COMD
Christine Ballard  SEA President
Amanda Davis    SEA President-Past
Steve Funk    SEA President-Elect
Mica McKinney    University Council
Brian Joy    Staff Assistant
Melissa Scheaffer    Lecturer, College of Engineering
Rob Llewellyn    Immigration Advisor – Office of Global Engagement
Robert Nieman    AA/EO Specialist
Scott Bodily    Interim Title IX Coordinator
Kristina Scharp    Assistant Professor, Languages, Philosophy and Communication Studies
Stacey McArthur    Extension - Associate Professor
Kathy Chudoba    Jon M. Huntsman School of Business – Management Information Systems
Robert Mills    Jon M. Huntsman School of Business – Management Information Systems
Michael Twohig    Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services Faculty Psychology
Courtney Flint    College of Humanities and Social Sciences Faculty – Sociology, Social Work and Anthropology
Tammy Firth    Assistant to the Vice President and Dean
Colleen Hobson    Director of Advancement Services
Rachel Richards    Advancement Senior Research Analyst

**Alumni Association Executive Board**
The Alumni Association Executive Board meets at least bi-annually to govern the affairs of the Alumni Association.

David Butterfield    Elected Advisor/President
Laurel Cannon Alder    Elected Advisor/President Elect
Lane Thomas    Elected Advisor/Past-President
John Hartwell    Athletics Director
Michael Peters    USUSA President
James Morales    Vice President Student Affairs
Sarah Salzberg | Jared Haddock    Emeriti Association Presidents
Neil Abercrombie    Interim Vice President, Advancement
Sydney Peterson    Interim Director, Alumni Relations
Brendon Brady    Student Alumni Association President
Jeff Hunsaker    Elected Advisor
Erik Mikkelsen | Erika Norton    Elected Advisors
Desiree Stevenson    Elected Advisor
Jason Pond    Elected Advisor
John Worley    Elected Advisor
Celestial Brandley    Elected Advisor
Carrie Huber Godfrey    Elected Advisor
Steve Palmer    Elected Advisor
Scott Olson    Ex-Officio, University Events
Sheldon Browning    Ex-Officio, Alumni Operations
Josh Paulsen    Ex-Officio, Marketing and Partnerships
Sian Smith | Ryan Baldwin    Ex-Officio, Alumni Development
TBD    Ex-Officio, Secretary

**Architectural Review Committee**
The Architectural Review Committee (ARC) will work toward a consensus that major university conform in spirit with the current USU Master Plan and that proposed designs compliment the historic and cultural identity of the University.

Ben Berrett *(Chair)*    Director of Planning, Design and Construction, Facilities
Matt White    Vice President for Advancement
Frank Galey    Executive Vice President and Provost
Charles Darnell    Associate Vice President, Facilities
Dwight Davis    Associate Vice President, Business and Finance
Michael Peters    USUSA President
Athletic Budget and Administrative Subcommittee
Responsibilities: Athletic Department organization and staff; facilities; budgets, tickets prices, etc.; sports sponsorship, schedules.

David Cowley (Chair) Vice President, Business and Finance
Denise Stewardson Faculty, School of Applied Sciences, Technology and Education
Travis Peterson Faculty, Kinesiology and Health Science
John Hartwell Director of Athletics
Maggie McInerney Associate AD/Director, Business Affairs
Whitney Pugh Executive Director Budget and Planning (ex-officio)
Stockton Smith Student Athlete

Athletic Council
The Athletic Council advises the President with respect to the athletic program. The duties of the council are to: (a) help maintain an athletic program compatible with the best academic interests of the University; (b) assure compliance with the rules of the appropriate conferences, the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA), and the University athletic code; (c) review and recommend to the President and the Board of Trustees all intercollegiate athletic budgets; and (d) recommend policies and procedures for all aspects of the intercollegiate program.

Ed Heath (Chair) Faculty Athletics Representative
Noelle Cockett President
Frank Galey Executive Vice President and Provost
Ed Reeve Interim Vice Provost
Dave Cowley Vice President for Business and Finance
Whitney Pugh Executive Director, Budget and Planning
James Morales Vice President for Student Affairs
John Hartwell Vice President and Director of Athletics
Jana Doggett Deputy Athletics Director
Maggie McInerney Associate Athletics Director, Business Affairs
Brian Evans Sr. Associate Athletics Director, Student-Athlete Academic Services
Gretchen Peacock Interim Department Head, Kinesiology and Health Science
Matt White Vice President for Advancement
Jaren Hunsaker USUSA President
Bannon Greer USUSA Athletics Vice President
Allanah Alvarado Student Athlete
Mealli Enos Student Athlete
Brandon Pada Student Athlete
Stockton Smith Student Athlete
Travis Peterson Faculty Senate Representative
Layne Weaver Faculty Senate Representative
Benjamin George Faculty Senate Representative
Briedi Gillespie Faculty Senate Representative
Denise Stewardson Faculty Senate Representative
Heidi Wengreen Faculty Senate Representative

Athletic Council Gender and Minority Issues Subcommittee
The charge for this committee is as follows: (a) review athletic participation opportunities for women student-athletes and minority student-athletes, (b) review opportunities for women and minorities in administration, (c) assist with addressing fair and equitable treatment of women and minority student-athletes, (d) oversee plans to address the evolving standards of the NCAA in the areas of gender and minority issues, (e) work with athletics to yearly update the written institutional plan for addressing gender and minority issues in athletics, (f) work in collaboration with the university offices involved with gender and minority issues to foster awareness and encourage participation in programs available to both the student-athletes and employees.
Athletic Relations Subcommittee
Responsibilities: Public, student, faculty relations; athletic promotion; special activities; game management.

Matt White (Chair)  Vice President for Advancement
Jana Doggett  Executive Associate, Athletics Director
Ryan McLane  Assistant Athletics Director, Marketing and Promotions
Doug Hoffman  Associate Athletics Director, Athletics/Media Relations Director
Lane Weaver  Music Department Representative
Kevin Olson  Faculty Senate Representative
Jakob Ambuehl  USUSA Athletics Vice President
Linda Zimmerman  Director USUSA, Student Involvement and Leadership Center
TBD  Student Athlete

Biohazard Committee
In accordance with federal regulations, this committee monitors all potential biohazards such as viruses, bacteria, and fungi that may exist at the University, particularly with respect to research involving such hazards.

Eric Jorgensen  Environmental Health and Safety
Cameron Pehrson  Environmental Health and Safety
Aaron Olsen  Animal, Dairy and Veterinary Sciences
Kirt Poulsen  Environmental Health and Safety
Ed Redd  Bear River Health Department
Marie Walsh  Nutrition and Food Sciences
Young-Min Lee  Animal, Dairy and Veterinary Sciences
Diana Poulsen-Cox  USDA Bee Lab
Justin Julander  Animal, Dairy and Veterinary Sciences
Brian Gowen  Non-voting member

Board of Trustees
By statute and Board of Regents Bylaws, the Board of Trustees has the following responsibilities: (a) facilitates communication between the institution and the community; (b) assists in planning, implementing, and executing fund raising and development projects aimed at supplementing institutional appropriations; (c) perpetuates and strengthens alumni and community identification with the institution’s traditions and goals; (d) selects candidates for Honorary Degrees; (e) approves appointments made by the President and approves salaries fixed by the President; (f) approves institutional rules and regulations, both regular and emergency, to be issued and executed by the President; (g) approves all candidates for earned degrees and diplomas, as recommended by the President and faculties; (h) assists the President in the discipline, suspension, or possible removal of member of the University in accordance with law and campus rules and regulations; and (i) as the institutional policy-making body (with the President), the Board of Trustees has the responsibility for (1) the management and use of the property, including custody, safeguarding, and investment of funds, and (2) the education, safety, and welfare of all persons admitted and enrolled, or employed at the institution or otherwise entering institutional premises.

Jody K. Burnett (Chair)
Mark K. Holland (Vice Chair)
Kenton “Kent” Alder
David G. Butterfield
John Y. Ferry
Karen H. Huntsman
Crystal C. Maggelet
Budget and Faculty Welfare Committee
The Budget and Faculty Welfare Committee is concerned with budget matters, faculty salaries, insurance programs, retirement benefits, sabbatical leaves, consulting policies, and other faculty benefits.

Alison Cook (Chair)  Jon M. Huntsman School of Business
Ralph Meyer        College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences | Faculty Senate
Marissa Vigneault  Caine College of the Arts
Bryce Fifield      Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services | Faculty Senate
Timothy Taylor     College of Engineering
Molly Cannon       College of Humanities and Social Sciences
Patrick Belmont   S.J. & Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources
Bob Brown          College of Science
Jennifer Duncan (Chair-Elect) Libraries
Shawn Olsen        Extension
David Law          Regional Campuses
Scott Henrie       USU-Eastern | Faculty Senate

Calendar Committee
The Calendar Committee determines the beginning and ending days of the school year and the holidays within each of the three semesters. In addition, the committee projects the academic calendar for three to five years in advance. Membership on the committee includes four faculty appointed by the president of the Faculty Senate for three-year terms.

Andi McCabe (Chair)  Assistant Provost
Brittan Barker      Communicative Disorders and Deaf Education | Faculty Senate
Konrad Lee         Management | Faculty Senate
Molly Cannon       Sociology, Social Work and Anthropology | Faculty Senate
Mykel Beorchia     Director, University Advising
LuAnne Bladen       Business Officer, Registrar’s Office
Christine Ballard  Staff Employee’s Association
Kristin Hall       Graduate Studies Senator
John Mortensen     Academic and Instructional Services
Erik Olson         Engineering Senator
Sydney Peterson    Chief of Staff
Susan Tibbitts     Art and Design | Faculty Senate
Amber Summers-Graham Staff Assistant

Community Advisory Council (CAC)
The Council is composed of individuals with disabilities, family members, and staff liaisons who advises the CPD director about the Center's impact on systems change, advocacy, and capacity building. The CAC approves the CPD’s annual goals and regularly reviews progress towards their accomplishment.

Self-Advocates:
Eric Stoker (Chair Elect)
Kayci Lynam
Cindy Ann Jones
Marissa Bell

Family Representatives:
Sara Doutre (Chair)
Mary Kava
Crystal Pyne
Teresa Turner
Michelle Hoggan

Agency Representatives:
Libby Oseguera Utah Developmental Disabilities
Center for Women and Gender (Advisory Board)
The board’s role is to give advice and feedback on all activities undertaken by the Center for Women and Gender including but not limited to, distribution of scholarships, faculty travel monies, special speakers and workshops, etc.

Scott Bates  
Alexa Sand  
Katherine Chudoba  
Patricia Moyer-Packenham  
Camille Odell  
Sanghamitra Roy  
JP Spicer-Escalante  
Helga Van Miegroet  
Kimberly Sullivan  
Jim Evans  
Jennifer Duncan

Vice President for Research, URCO  
Caine College of the Arts  
Jon M. Huntsman School of Business  
Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services  
Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services  
College of Engineering  
College of Humanities and Social Sciences  
S.J. & Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources  
College of Science  
Library

Chemical Hygiene Committee
The Chemical Hygiene committee oversees training and practices to seek safe use of chemicals on campus, proper disposal of chemical wastes, and compliance with regulations relative to these matters. The committee has operated in an advisory capacity to the office of Environmental Health and Safety. The (Chair)man of the Chemical Hygiene committee is a member of the University Safety Committee. Committee members are selected for their responsibilities (Environmental Health and Safety, Risk Management) or expertise (broad familiarity with chemicals and their proper handling), or their potential effectiveness in helping to bring these items of concern to the attention of the University (members of academic faculty).

Joan McLean (Chair)  
Bob Ward  
Eric Jorgensen  
Rachel Curry  
Phaedra Budy  
Tianbiao Liu  
Richard Beard  
Stephen Lee  
Mike George

Utah Water Research Lab  
Nutrition, Dietetics and Food Sciences  
EHS  
EHS  
Watershed Sciences  
Chemistry/Biochemistry  
Applied Sciences, Technology and Education  
USDA  
Facilities

Commencement Committee
The Commencement Committee is responsible for planning and coordinating the activities and programs of the week of commencement. The committee reports to the President. It has subcommittees consisting of the commencement representatives in each college and the Graduate School.

Sydney Peterson (Chair)  
Taylor Adams  
Maren Aller  
Ryan Christensen  
Teresa Denton  
Adam Gleed  
Fran Hopkin  
Jeannie Maughan  
Andi McCabe  
Joan Rudd  
Risa Smith
Committee on Committees
The Committee on Committees recommends to the Faculty Senate Executive Committee and to the Faculty Senate appointments to the various committees on which the Senate has representation. The Faculty Senate Executive Committee appoints members. Members serve for a two-year term.

Victor Lee (Chair)
Jan Thornton (Chair-Elect)
Stephanie Borrie

Council for the Center for Atmospheric and Space College of Sciences
The Council reviews and approves policies, procedures, programs, and budgets for the Center.

Maura Hagan (Chair) Dean, College of Science
Jagath Kaluarachchi Interim Dean, College of Engineering
Niel Holt Director, Space Dynamics Lab
Robert Schunk Director, Center for Atmospheric and Space Sciences
Jan Sojka Assistant Director, Department Head, Physics

Council of Associate Deans
Advises the Provost on issues that relate to Student Services and serves as a body to assist Student Services in its interactions with the academic units on campus.

Chris Terry (Chair) Caine College of the Arts
Brian Warnick College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences
Merideth Thompson Jon M. Huntsman School of Business
Francine Johnson Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
Thomas Fronk College of Engineering
Matt Sanders College of Humanities and Social Sciences
Claudia Radel S.J. & Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources
Richard Mueller College of Science
Kris Miller Honors Program

Council of Deans
The Deans Council is responsible for coordinating all academic programs of the University; acting on student appeal cases; and, in cooperation with the Faculty Senate, developing other policies and procedures for carrying forward the academic programs and activities of the University.

Frank Galey Executive Vice President and Provost
Kenneth White College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences
Craig Jessop Caine College of the Arts
Douglas Anderson Jon M. Huntsman School of Business
Beth Foley Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
Jagath Kaluarachchi College of Engineering
Joseph Ward College of Humanities and Social Sciences
Chris Luecke S.J. & Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources
Maura Hagan College of Science
Larry Smith School of Graduate Studies
Bradford Cole Libraries

Others who attend Council of Deans

Edward Reeve Interim Vice Provost
Richard Etchberger Vice Provost
Janis Boettinger Vice Provost
Janet Anderson Vice Provost

Council on Teacher Education
This council advises the University community on teacher preparation. It develops and/or approves teacher education curricula, establishes admission and certification policies (in conjunction with the State Office of Education), and works to
improve the University's teacher education program. The council is concerned with: (a) the development of teacher curricula; (b) the approval of all teacher education curricula; (c) the selection, admission, and counseling procedures for students in teacher education programs; (d) the graduation requirements and the recommendation of students for professional certification; and (e) the improvement of graduate programs in professional education.

Beth Foley (Chair)  Dean, Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
Francine Johnson  Associate Dean, Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
Sylvia Read  Associate Dean, Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
Ed Reeve  Interim Vice Provost
Tyson Sorensen  College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences, Ag. Education
Julie Wheeler  College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences, Family, Consumer Science
Denise Gackstetter  Caine College of the Arts, Fine Arts
Matt Omasta  Caine College of the Arts, Theater Arts
Cory Evans  Caine College of the Arts, Music
Kathy Trundle  Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services, Teacher Education and Leadership
Sheri Haderlie  Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services, Instructional Technology
Michelle Wilson  Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services, Communicative Disorders and Deaf Education
Tim Slocum  Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services, Special Education and Rehabilitation
Peter Mathesius  Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services, Kinesiology and Health Sciences
Marilyn Cuch  Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services, Secondary Education
Camille Odell  Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services, Psychology
Sonia Manuel Dupont  College of Humanities and Social College of Sciences, English
Seth Archer  College of Humanities and Social College of Sciences, History
Maria Spicer-Escalante  College of Humanities and Social College of Sciences, Languages & Philosophy
Kady Schneiter  College of Science, Mathematics
Richard Mueller  College of Science, Biology
Travis Rawlings  State Department of Public Instruction, Teacher Personnel
Curtis Benjamin  Northern Utah University
Scott Hunsaker  University Education Policy Committee
Bryce Day  Public School District Representatives – Box Elder
Kim Panter  Public School District Representatives – Cache
Frank Schofield  Society of Superintendents
Deidra Thomas  USUSA ASUSU
Amy Piotrowski  Regional Campus
Shannon Johnson  Executive Assistant

Course Fee Evaluation Committee
This committee reports to the Provost regarding the operation of the University Course Fee Policy. The committee monitors college and department requests for course fees and advises the Provost on policy adherence, changes, or appeals.

Janet Anderson (Chair)
Scot Allgood
Jessica Hansen
LuAnne Bladen
Lee Rickords
Wendy Keller
Allie Haas (USUSA Representative)
Curriculum Subcommittee
This is a subcommittee of the Educational Policies Committee of the Faculty Senate. The Curriculum Subcommittee will formulate recommendations on curricular matters, such as course changes, and forward the same to the Educational Policies Committee. Membership includes the following persons:

Nicholas Morrison (Chair)  Caine College of the Arts
Brian Warnick  College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences
Merideth Thompson  Jon M. Huntsman School of Business
Scott Hunsaker  Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
Thomas Fronk  College of Engineering
Matt Sanders  College of Humanities and Social Sciences
Claudia Radel  S.J. & Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources
Richard Mueller  College of Science
Clint Pumphrey  Libraries
Geneva Harline  Graduate Council
Shana Geffeney  Regional Campuses
Scott Henrie  USU Eastern
Edward Reeve  Provost’s Office
Kristin Hall  USUSA Graduate Studies Senator
Allie Haas  USU Executive Vice President
Fran Hopkin  Registrar’s Office
Barbara Williams  Registrar’s Office
Chenese Boyle  Academic Instructional Services
Michele Hillard  Secretary

Department Heads Executive Council
The Department Heads Executive Council consists of representatives from each of the University’s Colleges and Schools. The Council discusses issues that directly and indirectly face academics today. The Council advises the President and the Provost in matters pertaining to the operation of academic departments of the University. The duties of the council are to: (a) review matters of policy and procedure affecting department heads’ roles and responsibilities; (b) recommend procedures and policies related to the effective operation of the University’s academic departments; and (c) plan and accomplish an annual department heads conference as well as periodic department heads workshops and meetings during each year.

Peter Wilcock (Chair)  S.J. & Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources
Dirk Vanderwall  College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences
Cindy Dewey  Caine College of the Arts
Chris Skousen  Jon M. Huntsman School of Business
Timothy Slocum  Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
Paul Barr  College of Engineering
Jeannie Thomas  College of Humanities and Social Sciences
Jan Sojka  College of Science
Todd Welch  University Libraries

Dual Use Research of Concern Committee
The purpose of this committee is to establish regular review of United States Government funded or conducted research with certain high-consequence pathogens and toxins for its potential dual use research of concern (DURC) in order to: (a) mitigate risks where appropriate; and (b) collect information needed to inform the development of an updated policy, as needed, for the oversight of DURC. The fundamental aim of this oversight is to preserve the benefits of life College of Sciences research while minimizing the risk of misuse of the knowledge, information, products, or technologies provided by such research.

Kirt Poulsen (Chair)
Dr. Bart Tarbet
Dr. Don Smee
Eric Jorgenson
Dr. Dale Barnard
Dr. John Morrey
Russ Price
Ecology Center Faculty Advisory Committee

Nancy Huntly  
Simon Wang  
Peter Howe  
Bonnie Waring  
Edd Hammill  
Tammy Rittenour  
Andrew Kulmatiski  

Director  
Associate Professor, Plants, Soils, and Climate  
Assistant Professor, Environment and Society  
Assistant Professor, Biology  
Assistant Professor, Watershed Sciences  
Associate Professor, Geology  
Assistant Professor, Wildland Resources

Edith Bowen Laboratory School (EBLS) Governing Board

The Advisory Board, as created by legislation, consists of the following: the President of Utah State University or designee, the State Superintendent of Public Instruction or designee, the Dean of the College of Education at Utah State University or designee, a local superintendent of schools, a staff member of the State Office of Education, a member of a local school district, a staff member of the College of Education and Human Services, and two lay citizens (a parent and a school board representative).

In addition to these members, the State Board of Education has added to the Advisory Board the State President or designee of the Utah Congress of Parents and Teachers (PTA) in order to provide the experience and statewide perspective of this major organization to the work of the Edith Bowen Laboratory School. The State Board of Education shall appoint members for terms specified by the body. A Superintendent of a participant district will serve as the (Chair) of the Advisory Board in a rotating 3-year term. The Director of the Edith Bowen Laboratory School will serve as the Executive Secretary to the Advisory Board. Specific strategic action plans are also established for the Edith Bowen Laboratory School Advisory Board.

Kathy Trundle (Chair)  
Department Head, Teacher Education and Leadership
Beth Foley  
Dean, Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
Lisa Hopkins  
LC Board of Education Representative
Frank Schofield  
Superintendent, Logan City District
Jessica Francom  
EBLS Parent Representative
Stephany Jenkins  
EBLS Parent Representative
Dan Johnson  
EBLS Director/Principal
Laura Reina  
EBLS Assistant Principal
Eric Gierloff  
EBLS Business Manager
Gaylene Merrill  
EBLS Administrative (Board) Secretary
Kim Gibson  
PTA President

Educational Policies Committee (EPC)

The Educational Policies Committee reviews proposals for change in University curricula, grading practices and general education, and conducts studies necessary to the development and implementation of its recommendations. It examines all courses periodically to keep them up-to-date. Membership is by election.

Edward Reeve (Chair)  
College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences & Provost’s Office
Nicholas Morrison  
Caine College of the Arts | Curriculum Subcommittee (Chair)
Sterling Bone  
College of Business
Christa Haring  
College of Education and Human Services
Timothy Taylor  
College of Engineering
Cathy Bullock  
College of Humanities and Social Sciences
Claudia Radel  
College of Natural Resources
Dan Coster  
College of Science
Shana Geffeney  
Regional Campuses
Michelle Fleck  
USU Eastern
Kacy Lundstrom  
Libraries
Nicholas Flann  
Graduate Council
Allie Haas  
USUSA Executive Vice President
Jaren Hunsaker  
USUSA President
Kristin Hall  
USUSA Graduate Studies Senator
Lee Rickords  
General Education Subcommittee (Chair)
Emeriti Council (Alumni)
The Emeriti Council meets monthly to govern the affairs of the Emeriti Association and to raise money for the Emeriti Sophomore Scholarships.

Dave and Deanna Winn (Chair) Scholarship
Sarah Rule-Salzberg President
Eugene “Gene” Higham President Elect
Not needed for 2017-2018 Past President
Derle and Margene Thorpe Venue
Bill Brindley Membership
Peter and Mary Veronica Kolesar Scholarships
Trevor and Daisy Hughes Scholarships
Ruthie Thain Member at Large/Scholarships
Diane Fifield Member at Large
Sydney Peterson Interim Director, Alumni Relations
Lana Archibald Secretary
Dr. James Thomas Treasurer
Joan Scheffe Ex officio

Executive Committee
The Utah State University Executive Committee is comprised of a broad range of university officials brought together to assist the president by providing strategic guidance and recommendations and to act as a sounding board on pressing university issues.

Noelle Cockett President
Frank Galey Executive Vice President and Provost
Neil Abercrombie Vice President, Government Relations
Douglas Anderson Dean, Jon M. Huntsman School of Business
Jodi Bailey Chief Audit Executive
Bradford Cole Dean, Libraries
David Cowley Vice President for Business and Finance
Beth Foley Dean, Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
Maura Hagan Dean, College of Science
John Hartwell Vice President and Director of Athletics
Eric Hawley Chief Information Officer
Scott Hinton President, USURF
Craig Jessop Dean, Caine College of the Arts
Jagath Kaluarachchi Dean, College of Engineering
Rebecca Lawyer President, Faculty Senate
Chris Luecke Dean, S.J. and Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources
Mica McKinney University Counsel
Larry Smith Interim Vice President and Dean, Research and School of Graduate Studies
James Morales Vice President for Student Affairs
Gary Straquadine Interim Chancellor, USU Eastern-Price
Sydney Peterson Chief of Staff, Secretary to the Board of Trustees, Interim Director of Alumni Relations
Michael Torrens Director, Analysis, Assessment and Accreditation
Tim Vitale Director, Public Relations and Marketing
Robert Wagner Vice President for Academic and Instructional Services
Joseph Ward Dean, College of Humanities and Social Sciences
Kenneth White Vice President for Extension; Dean, College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences, Director AES
Executive Enrollment Management Committee
This committee, working in collaboration with the Provost’s Office, the Business and Finance Office and Student Affairs, reviews overall enrollment goals and strategies.

James Morales (Chair)  Vice President for Student Affairs
Noelle Cockett  President
Frank Galey  Executive Vice President and Provost (representing regional campuses also)
David Cowley  Vice President for Business and Finance
Greg Dart  Vice Chancellor, Enrollment Management, USU Eastern
Larry Smith  Interim Vice President for Research and Dean of School of Graduate Studies
John Mortensen  Assistant Vice President for Enrollment Services and Retention
Katie Nielsen  Director, Admissions
Gary Straquadine  Interim Chancellor, USU Eastern-Price
Sydney Peterson  Chief of Staff, President’s Office
Whitney Pugh  Executive Director, Budget and Planning

Facilities Naming Committee
The committee considers recommendations for naming buildings and lesser facilities in recognition of major donations or for outstanding service to the University. It forwards its recommendations to the Board of Trustees if the facility being named is a building or to the President if a lesser facility is being named.

Matt White (Chair)  Vice President for Advancement
Sydney Peterson  Chief of Staff, President’s Office
Dwight Davis  Associate Vice President for Business and Finance
Joan Scheffke  Executive Director, Planned Giving
Jonathan Paulding  Development Officer
Jeremy Winn  Development-Associate Athletic Director
Lane Thomas  Wells Fargo
Janet Anderson  Vice Provost

Faculty Diversity, Development, and Equity Committee
The duties of this committee are to: (a) collect data and identify and promote best practices for faculty development, mentoring, and work environment to facilitate the success of diverse faculty at all career levels, (b) provide feedback and advocate processes for faculty recruitment, promotion, and retention that promote diversity, fair pay standards, and work/life balance for the faculty, (c) report on the status of faculty development, mentoring, diversity, and equity, (d) and make recommendations for implementation.

Pamela Martin (Chair)  Libraries
Stacy Bevan  College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences
Nancy Hills  Caine College of the Arts
Merideth Thompson  Jon M. Huntsman School of Business
Melanie Domenech- Rodriquez  Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
Vladimir Kulyukin  College of Engineering
Marcus Brasiero  College of Humanities and Social Sciences
Beth Burritt  S.J. & Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources
Nancy Huntly  College of Science
Carolyn Ball  Regional Campuses
Lisa Waite-Trago  USU Eastern
Zuri Garcia  Extension

Faculty Evaluation Committee
The Faculty Evaluation Committee shall (1) assess methods for evaluating faculty performance; (2) recommend improvements in methods of evaluation; (3) recommend methods of faculty development; and (4) decide university awards for Professor and Advisor of the Year. The committee shall consist of one faculty representative from each college, one faculty representative from Cooperative Extension, one faculty representative from Regional Campuses and Distance Education, one faculty representative from the Libraries, two student officers from ASUSU, and one student officer from the GSS. The faculty representatives are elected to the committee in accordance with Policy 402.11.2. The committee will elect a (Chair) from its members.
Faculty Forum Executive Committee
The Executive Committee of the Faculty Forum composes the agenda for the annual meeting and any special meetings of the Faculty Forum.

- Rebecca Lawver (President)
- Kimberly Lott (Past President)
- Patrick Belmont (President-Elect)
- Benjamin George
- Matt Omasta
- Zsolt Ugray
- Bryce Fifield
- Timothy Taylor
- Jessica Lucero
- Patrick Belmont
- David Brown
- Enr Davis
- Rick Heflebower
- Marilyn Cuch
- Jan Thornton

Faculty Senate
Utah State University, in its Code of Policies and Procedures, establishes for itself a system of shared authority or participatory governance. In this system, the Faculty Senate – comprised of elected and ex officio faculty, appointed administrators, and appointed and ex officio student officers – occupies a central position.

“The Faculty Senate shall have the power to act for the represent the University faculty in all matters of educational policy, including requirements for admission, degrees, and certificates, and curricular matters involving relations between colleges, divisions, or departments. Actions of the Senate shall be subject to the appellate power of the University faculty and to the approval by the President and the Institutional Council.”

- Rebecca Lawver (President)
- Patrick Belmont (President-Elect)
- Kimberly Lott (Past President)
- Benjamin George
- Bridi Gillespie
- Nikki Kendrick
- Caroline Lavoie
- Rebecca Lawver
- Ralph Meyer
- Zonda Wang
- Heidi Wengreen
- Corey Christiansen
- Matt Omasta
Nancy Hills
Ronda Callister
Vance Grange
Dan Holland
Konrad Lee
Zsolt Ugray
Stephanie Borrie
Brittan Barker
Becky Blais
Callie Bosworth
Bryce Fifield
Victor Lee
Susan Turner
Travis Dorsch
Kimberly Lott
Koushik Chakraborty
Hengda Cheng
Ning Fang
Timothy Taylor
Spencer Wendel
JayDee Gunnell
Andree Walker Bravo
Michael Caron
Rick Heflebower
Abdulkafi Alбирini
Marcus Brasileiro
Jonathan Brunstedt
Molly Cannon
Steve Daniels
Kerin Holt
Vonda Jump
Jessica Lucero
Erin Davis
Britt Fagerheim
Patrick Belmont
Beth Burritt
Christopher Monz
Karen Woolstenhulme
Marilyn Cuch
Dennis Garner
Christopher Johnson
Boyd Edwards
David Farrelly
Thomas Lachmar
Kimberly Sullivan
Kady Schneider
David Brown
Cindy Behunin
Michaelann Nelson
Rachel Walton
Jan Thornton
Noelle Cockett
Frank Galey
Craig Jessop
Joe Ward
Jagath Kaluarachchi
Brad Cole
Maura Hagan
Ken White
Robert Wagner
Faculty Senate Executive Committee
The Executive Committee of the Faculty Senate establishes the agenda for Senate meetings, proposes committees, examines committee work, and serves as the central steering committee for the Senate.

Rebecca Lawver President
Kimberly Lott Past President
Patrick Belmont President Elect
Benjamin George College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences
Matt Omasta Caine College of the Arts
Zsolt Ugray Jon M. Huntsman School of Business
Bryce Fifield Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
Timothy Taylor College of Engineering
Jessica Lucero College of Humanities and Social Sciences
Patrick Belmont S.J. & Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources
David Brown College of Science
Erin Davis Libraries
Rick Heflebower Extension
Marilyn Cuch Regional Campuses
Jan Thornton USU Eastern
Robert Wagner Presidential Appointee
Frank Galey Executive Vice President and Provost, Ex-Officio
Noelle Cockett President, Ex-Officio

Faculty Senate Handbook Committee
The Senate Handbook Committee composes and/or revised annually the Senate Handbook (Policy 402.2.3) with final approval by the Senate Executive Committee (Policy 402.12.1). This committee consists of three members appointed from the Senate, one of whom is the immediate past Senate President. The Committee on Committees may appoint additional members. All members of this committee serve two-year terms in accordance with Policy 402.11.2 and 12.2(4).

No appointment to be made

**General Education Subcommittee**
This committee has direct responsibility for USU’s general education program. It is the initial group to consider changes in the requirements for general education and screens all courses that are used to meet USU general education requirements. It is a subcommittee of the Educational Policies Committee and submits its recommendations to that body.

Lee Rickords (*Chair*)
TBD
Vance Grange
Shelley Lindauer
Thomas Fronk
Harrison Kleiner
Claudia Radel
Richard Mueller
Matt Sanders
Kacy Lundstrom
Robert Mueller
Melanie Nelson
Edward Reeve
Jaren Hunsaker
Lawrence Culver
Robert Mueller
Christopher Scheer
Charlie Huenemann
Ryan Dupont
David Brown
Ryan Bosworth

*Ex-Officio Members:*

Mykel Beorchia
Kristine Miller
John Mortensen
Stephanie Hamblin
Amber Summers-Graham

Graduate Council
The Graduate Council establishes regulations and standards for graduate study with the approval of the Faculty Senate and advises the Dean of the School of Graduate Studies on exceptions or adjustments to policy.

Larry Smith (*Chair*)
Abby Benninghoff
Nancy Hills
Chad Albrecht
Andy Walker
Rose Hu
Colleen O’Neill
Jim Lutz
Sean Johnson
Todd Welch
Kristin Hall
Victor Lee
Alexa Sand
Lisa Berreau

Interim, Vice President Research and Dean of the School of Graduate Studies
College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences
Caine College of the Arts
Jon M. Huntsman School of Business
Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
College of Engineering
College of Humanities and Social Sciences
S.J. & Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources
College of Science
Libraries
USU-Eastern
Provost’s Office, EPC
USUSA President
American Institutions
Communications Literacy/Intensive
Creative Arts
Humanities
Life and Physical Sciences
Quantitative Literacy/Intensive, EPC
Social Sciences
University Advising
Honors
Student Affairs
Exploratory Advising
Secretary
Honorary Degrees and Awards Screening Committee
The Honorary Degrees and Awards Screening Committee’s major responsibilities are to implement procedures to solicit and encourage an adequate number of qualified nominations; to review all nominations for Honorary Degrees, Commencement Speaker Awards, and Distinguished Service Awards; and to forward the required number of nominations to the Board of Trustees for their approval.

Jody Burnett (Chair)  Board of Trustees
David Butterfield   Board of Trustees
Mark Holland       Board of Trustees, ex officio
Crystal Maggelet   Board of Trustees
Briedi Gillespie   Faculty
John Sieter        Faculty
Julie Gast         Faculty
Jaren Hunsaker     USUSA President
Sydney Peterson   Chief of Staff, ex-officio
Frank Galey       Executive Vice President and Provost, ex-officio
Mark Weese        Alumni Council

Honors Faculty Advisory Board
The board is composed of a faculty representative from each college, the Research office, the Undergraduate Teaching Fellows program, and Faculty Senate. The Advisory Board reviews activities and policies of Honors Program.

Kristine Miller (Chair)  University Honors Director
Lee Rickords           College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences
Marissa Vigneault     Caine College of the Arts
Paul Fjeldsted         Jon M. Huntsman School of Business
Sonia Manuel-Dupont    Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
Thomas Fronk           College of Engineering
Phebe Jensen           College of Humanities and Social Sciences
Eugene Schupp          S.J. & Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources
David Brown            College of Science
Alexa Sand             Office of Research and Graduate Studies
Jeanne Davidson        University Libraries

Information Security Council
The Information Security Council is a standards, policy and procedures advisory council and is composed of a diversified group of academic and administrative technology users.

Monica Trippler (Chair)  Information Security Director
David Robinson         Academia Representative
Roland Squires         Student Services/Admissions/Registrar
Dwight Davis           Business and Finance Representative
TBD                    Regional Campuses
Richard Inouye         Office of Research and Graduate Studies
Mike George            Risk Management
Steve Funk             Information Technology
Blake Rich             Information Technology

Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee
This committee is responsible for the University’s compliance with federal regulations concerning the care and housing of experimental animals. All proposals for research and teaching involving animals must be cleared by this committee. This committee reports semi-annually to the Vice President for Research and annually to the U.S. Department of Agriculture, the American Association for Accreditation of Laboratory Animal Care (AAALAC), and the Office for Protection from Research Risks of the National Institutes of Health.

Ben Green (Chair)
Aaron Olsen            IACUC Administrator
**Institutional Biosafety Committee for Recombinant DNA Activities**

Research proposals that involve recombinant DNA are referred to this committee to determine that research protocols therein meet federal regulations. If the proposal is funded, this committee monitors the research to see that the investigators adhere to federal regulations.

John Morrey (Chair)  
Recombinant DNA Technology (contact person)  
Lee Rickords  
Animal, Dairy, and Veterinary Sciences  
Salam Awada  
Microbial/Plant, Ecology Expert, Community Representative  
Kirt Poulsen  
Biological Safety and Physical Containment  
Jay Rigby  
Plant Expert, Community Representative  
Jodi Roberts  
Research Integrity and Compliance  
Paul Wolf  
Biology/Intermountain Herbarium  
Sean Johnson  
Chemistry  
Kevin Jensen  
USDA Forrest Range Lab  
Charles Miller  
Biological Engineering  
Russ Price  
Ex-Officio

**Institutional Review Board (IRB)**

The Institutional Review Board is an administrative body established to protect the rights and welfare of human research subjects recruited to participate in research activities conducted under the auspices of the institution with which it is affiliated. The IRB has the authority to approve, require modification in, or disapprove all research activities that fall within its jurisdiction as specified by both the federal regulations and local institutional policy. The IRB makes determinations whether to approve or disapprove the protocol based upon whether or not human subjects are adequately protected.

Melanie Domenech Rodriguez (Chair)  
Psychology  
Nicole Vouvalis  
Employee-Affiliated  
Erin Brewer  
Employee-Affiliated  
Christopher Sisneros-Kidd  
Employee-Affiliated  
Samantha Corralejo  
Employee-Affiliated  
Ashley Ewaniuk  
Volunteer-Unaffiliated  
Mike Monson  
Volunteer-Unaffiliated  
Johanna Phelps-Hillen  
Volunteer-Unaffiliated  
Alan Mirly  
Volunteer-Affiliated  
Gretchen Peacock  
Employee-Affiliated  
Amy Odum  
Employee-Affiliated  
Renee Galliher  
Employee-Affiliated  
Tom Higbee  
Employee-Affiliated  
Tim Slocum  
Employee-Affiliated  
Andrew Walker  
Employee-Affiliated  
TBD  
Employee-Affiliated  
Steven Camicia  
Employee-Affiliated  
David Paper  
Employee-Affiliated  
Sterling Bone  
Employee-Affiliated  
Joyce Kinkead  
Employee-Affiliated  
Jessica Lucero  
Employee-Affiliated  
Ron Munger  
Employee-Affiliated  
Heidi Wengreen  
Employee-Affiliated  
Kurt Becker  
Employee-Affiliated  
Jodi Robers  
Employee-Affiliated – Ex Officio Member

**Investment Advisory Committee**

The Investment Advisory Committee meets on a quarterly basis to review the performance, allocation, and strategy of the University’s investments and make recommendations of investment actions and policy changes.

David Cowley (Chair)  
Dwight Davis  
Brian Broadbent  
Chris Neddo
Library Advisory Council
The University Library Advisory Council advises the Dean of University Libraries and Instructional Support in (1) meeting the learning, instruction, and research needs of students, faculty and staff; (2) formulating library policies in relation to circulation, services, and the collection development of resources for instruction and research; and (3) interpreting the needs and policies of the libraries to the University. The Council membership will consist of nine faculty members, one from each College and Extension with one undergraduate and graduate student appointed by the Provost. Faculty members will serve three-year terms and are renewable once. The Dean of University Libraries and Instructional Support serves as an ex-officio, no-voting member. The (Chair) will be elected from the Council membership on an annual basis.

Amanda Christensen  College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences
Christopher Scheer  Caine College of the Arts
Steve Hanks  Jon M. Huntsman School of Business
Bryce Fifield  Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
Charles Miller  College of Engineering
Christine Cooper-Rompato  College of Humanities and Social Sciences
Peter Adler  S.J. & Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources
Susanne Janecke  College of Science
Kristine Hall  USUSA Graduate Studies Senator
Abigail Longaker  USUSA College of Science Senator
Brad Cole  Ex-Officio

Nora Eccles Harrison Museum of Art Advisory Board
The Nora Eccles Harrison Museum of Art Advisory Board is encouraged to act as an advocate for the museum and advise the museum director on development strategies, operational policies and coordination of inter-university relations.

Janis Boettinger  Vice Provost and Director of Global Engagement
John Neely  Professor, Department of Art and Design
Sydney Peterson  Chief of Staff, Secretary of the Board of Trustees
Ned Weinshenker  President, Churchill Oaks Consulting
Alexandra Hesse  Executive Director, The Leonardo
Suzanne Pierce-Moore  USU Alumni, Former Chair USU Board of Trustees
Sally Sears  Owner, Caffe Ibis
Marissa Vigneault  Assistant Professor, Modern and Contemporary Art History

Parking/Transportation Advisory Committee
This advisory committee considers policies for the management of available parking space on campus. The committee meets quarterly and reports to the President.

Faculty/Staff
  Steve Jenson (Chair)
  Steve Funk
  Christine Ballard
  Jordy Guth
  Kirk Bird
  Edward Reeve
  Benjamin George
  Kady Schneiter

Students
  Allie Haas
  Samuel Jackson
  Mason Kemp
  Dexton Lake
  Shaelyn Pond

Ex-Officio
  Allyson Olsen
  Craig Wright
Teresa Johnson                      Parking and Transportation
James Nye                          Parking and Transportation
Joe Izatt                          Parking and Transportation
Mike Kuehn                        USU Police

**Professional Responsibilities and Procedures Committee (PRPC)**

This committee advises the Faculty Senate regarding revision and implementation of the USU Policy Manual, and the composition and revision of the Faculty Handbook. The membership, election and appointment of members, terms of members, officers, and meetings and quorum of the PRPC shall be parallel to those of the Academic Freedom and Tenure Committee.

Britt Fagerheim *(Chair)*          University Libraries
Niki Kendrick                     College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences
Susan Turner                      Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
David Farrelly                    College of Science
Jan Thornton                      USU Eastern-Price
Marilyn Cuch                      Regional Campuses
Andree Walker Bravo               Extension

**Radiological Safety Committee**

This committee is charged with the responsibility of making certain that ionizing radiations involving radioactivity and radiation-producing devices at USU are used in a manner that assures radiation safety to all personnel and to the surrounding community as specifically designated in the Radiation Safety Manual and the State License.

Joan Hevel *(Chair)*              Radiation Safety Officer
John Jones                        Administration Representative
Eric Jorgensen                    Non-Ionizing (Laser) Radiation Representative
Heng Ban                          Nuclear Gauge Representative
Jennifer Reeve                    Wet (Disposable Materials) Laboratory Representative
JR Dennison                      X-Ray Equipment Representative
Kirt Poulsen                      Biological Safety Officer (alternate member)
Rachel Curry                      Chemical Safety Officer
James Day                         Facilities Representative
Cameron Pehrson                   Environmental Health and Safety Office (program staff)
Gary Larson                       Hazardous Waste Manager (alternate member)
Mike Kuehn                        Public Safety Representative
Jill Ballard                      Purchasing Services Representative

**Research Council**

The Research Council advises the Vice President for Research in all matters pertaining to research and other scholarly or creative activity of the University: (a) in the formulation of policy, including research priorities and procedures for attaining them, (b) in the encouragement and stimulation of research in the context of instructional and other goals, of the University; (c) in monitoring, reviewing, and evaluating cross-college research programs in the University; and (d) in recommending to the Vice President for Research the allocation of funds available for research and related purposes to be expended through the office of the Vice President for Research.

Larry Smith *(Chair)*              Interim Vice President for Research and Dean Graduate Studies
Frank Galey                       Executive Vice President and Provost
Merideth Thompson (for Doug Anderson)        Associate Dean, Jon M. Huntsman School of Business
Jagath Kaluarachchi               Dean, College of Engineering
Maura Hagan                       Dean, College of Science
Jamison Fargo (for Beth Foley)    Associate Dean, Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
Joseph Ward                       Dean, College of Humanities and Social Sciences
Mac McKee                         Director, Utah Water Research Laboratory
Nick Morrison (for Craig Jessop)  Associate Dean, Caine College of the Arts
Nancy Huntly                      Director, Ecology Center
Chris Davies (for Ken White)     College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences
Bradford Cole                     Dean of Libraries
Residence Hall Association
This is a student organization sponsored by Housing Services and managed by residents elected to its Executive Council. They provide valuable student input in shaping Housing and campus policies.

Aaron Walter  President
Rachel Barrus  Vice President
Lexie Richins  Events Coordinator
Crysi Muhwezi  National Communications Coordinator
Daniel Oliveros  Community Relations Coordinator
Sara Crandall  Honorary President

Residency Appeals Committee
The Residency Appeals Committee, upon application, hears appeals from students who have been denied Utah residency status for tuition purposes. The committee’s decision is final for the University.

Eric Olsen (Chair)  Associate Vice President Student Affairs
Nicole Larson  Residency Officer
Cedra Jensen  Financial Aid
Melanie Bowen  Registrar’s Office
Samuel Jackson  USUSA Student Advocate Vice President

Risk Control Committee
The University Risk Control Committee has been established to accomplish the following basic functions: Identify, evaluate and recommend solutions for risk exposures; review and certify Risk Management and Self-Inspection findings; review inspection and other reports from the state’s Division of Risk Management and prioritize proposed recommendations for the University management or administration’s resolution; review University Workman’s Compensation reports and make appropriate recommendations for deducing accidents and claims; where appropriate, recommend disciplinary and/or corrective action for employees who violate safety standards; develop policies related to risk reduction and accident prevention and recommend adoption by University’s administration; review loss control findings not adequately resolved by departments and make recommendations for action; conduct an annual review or evaluation of the University’s risk reduction efforts and provide the Division of Risk Management with a copy of this evaluation; perform other pertinent duties of a Risk Control Committee as may be needed by the University.

Mike George (Chair)
Mike Kuehn
Bob Bayn
Steve Bell
Steve Bilbao
Marla Boyer
Jeff Collings
Judy Crockett
Mike George
Kevin Kesler
Jarrod Larsen
Ed Lindbloom
Leila Neilson
Eric Olsen
Rob Reeder
Craig Simper
Quin Whitaker

Safety Committee
This committee reviews and approves or disapproves all policies and procedures that relate to radiation, chemical, or occupational safety at the University.

Alvan Hengge (Chair)
In accordance with national standards established by the American Association of University Presses, the Scholarly Publications Committee serves as the editorial board of the University Press and is charged with certifying the scholarly quality of the books and journals that bear the institutional imprint. The University Press publishes books that make a contribution to scholarship on the history and culture of our region, as well as several other disciplines, and disseminates that knowledge to the widest possible audience—scholars, teachers, students, and the general public.

**Scholarly Publications Committee**

Bradford Cole (Chair)  University Libraries
Brock Dethier  English Composition
Lisa Gabbert  English, Folkloristics
Keith Grant-Davie  Rhetoric, On-line Education
Scott Hunsaker  Gifted Education
Joyce Kinkead  English, Education Leadership
Jeannie Thomas  English, Folkloristics
Steven Shively  English, English Education
Michael Spooner, Ex-officio  USU Press
Amy Alexandra Wilson  Literacy Education

**Sculpture & Public Art Committee**

It is the purpose of the Charter to outline the role and responsibilities of the USU Sculpture & Public Art Committee (SPAC), a subcommittee of the Architectural Review Committee (SRC), the purpose of which is to oversee all sculpture and public art on campus, including both permanent and temporary installations of art, with consideration given to the educational and aesthetic merits of sculpture and public art on a University campus. Due to the substantial number of public artworks on the USU Logan campus being a part of the Nora Eccles Harrison Museum of Art collection, the chair for this Committee will always be the director of the Art Museum unless otherwise delegated by the President.

Katie Lee-Koven  Chair, Executive Director and Chief Curator, NEHMA
Dave Peterson  Director of Operations and Maintenance, Facilities
Jim Huppi  Landscape Architect, Planning, Design and Construction, Facilities
Ryoichi Suzuki  Associate Professor, Sculpture
**Space Management Committee**
The Space Management Committee reviews requests and established priorities for allocating or remodeling building space.

Andi McCabe *(Chair)*  
Assistant Provost

Michelle Baker  
Associate Dean, College of Science

Ben Berrett  
Director of Planning, Design and Construction

Jana Doggett  
Deputy Athletics Director

Thom Fronk  
Associate Dean, College of Engineering

Evelyn Funda  
Associate Dean, College of Humanities and Social Sciences

Jordy Guth  
Assistant Director, Facilities

Jessica Hansen  
Academic and Instructional Services

Jaren Hunsaker  
President, USUSA

Chris Lant  
Professor and Head, Quinney College of Natural Resources

Shelley Lindauer  
Associate Dean, EEJ College of Education and Human Services

Nicholas Morrison  
Executive Associate Dean, Caine College of the Arts

Chris Nelson  
Financial Analyst, Business and Finance

Eric Olsen  
Associate Vice President, Student Affairs

Sydney Peterson  
Chief of Staff, President's Office

Teresa Seeholzer  
Executive Assistant, Office of Research and Graduate Studies

Amanda Thomson  
Space Coordinator, Facilities

Larry Walther  
Senior Associate Dean, Jon M. Huntsman School of Business

Brian Warnick  
Associate Dean, College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences

Amber Summers-Graham *(Secretary)*  
Staff Assistant, Office of the Provost

**Stadium/Smith Spectrum Policy Committee**
This committee deals with policies for the facility.

Eric Olsen *(Chair)*  
Associate Vice President, Student Affairs

Dwight Davis  
Associate Vice President, Auxiliary Services

Jana Doggett  
Senior Associate Athletic Director

Mike George  
Director, University Risk Manager

Sydney Peterson  
Chief of Staff, President's Office

Rob Reeder  
Director, Facilities Maintenance

Justin Williams  
Facilities Event Manager

Jakob Ambuehl  
USUSA Student Athletic Vice President

Joseph Aratari  
USUSA Student Events Vice President

**Stater's Council**
This council gives USUSA officers the opportunity to present legislation and give reports on USUSA activities to central administration. Central Administration shares information with student leaders that is pertinent or of interest to students.

**USUSA Officers:**

Jaren Hunsaker  
USUSA President

Brooke Jorgensen  
USUSA Administrative Assistant

Bannon Greer  
USUSA Athletics Vice President

Jenna Stoker  
USUSA Service Vice President

Joshua Johnson  
USUSA Campus Diversity and Organization Vice President

Samuel Jackson  
USUSA Student Advocate Vice President

Kristin Hall  
USUSA Graduate Studies Senator

Meghan Tatam  
USUSA Student Events Vice President

Allie Haas  
USUSA Executive Vice President

**Central Administration:**

Noelle Cockett  
USU President

John Hartwell  
Athletic Director

Frank Galey  
Executive Vice President and Provost

David Cowley  
Vice President for Business and Finance
Student Academic and Athletic Eligibility and Intercollegiate Sports Subcommittee
Responsibilities: NCAA, BWC, USU policy and program review; student athlete eligibility, progress, graduation; medical care of athletes and other support programs.

Frank Galey (Chair) Executive Vice President and Provost
Brian Evans Senior Associate Athletics Director Student-Athlete Services (ex-officio)
Ed Heath Faculty Athletic Representative/Athletics Council (Chair)
Mike Williams Associate Athletics Director/Head Athletic Trainer
TBD Student Athlete
Paul Barr Faculty Senate
Dan Holland Faculty Senate
Benjamin George Faculty Senate
Briedi Gillespie Faculty Senate
Jessica Lucero Faculty Senate
Heidi Wengreen Faculty Senate

Student Alumni Association Executive Board
The purpose of the USU Student Alumni Association is to develop friendships between students, faculty and alumni; to form loyal bonds to Utah State University; and to help students excel in their chosen careers. This mission is met by the sponsorship of activities, which will promote the interests, and welfare of Utah State University, its alumni, students and staff.

Oakman Kennedy President
Maegan Kasteler Traditions Vice President
Miles Brooks Student Giving Vice President
Ian Anderson Networking Vice President
Katelyn Allen Public Relations Vice President
Talyssa Brimley Administrative Assistant

Student Health Advisory Committee
This committee deals with Student Health and Wellness Center operations and healthcare issues such as providing feedback on students’ health needs, the scope of operation of the Health and Wellness Center, providing input for the insurance bidding process, and voting on the prospective student health insurance carrier.

Brittney Garbrick (Chair)
Dr. Jim Davis
Kurt Harris
Skie Jenson
Katelyn Richins
Crista Sorenson
Kathrine Stautland
Bridger Williams

Studies Overseas In Spanish Committee
This committee coordinates USU’s annual study-abroad program in a Spanish-speaking country. It selects the director of the program, determines its site, approves its budget, and receives reports of its progress. Members of the committee rotate as committee chair.

Crescensio Lopez (Chair)
Maria de Jesus Corderoli
Joshua Thoms
**Sustainability Council**
The Utah State University Sustainability Council was formed upon the signing of the President's Climate Commitment and is comprised of USU faculty, staff, and students committed to the development and promotion of sustainable practices on campus. The council is organized into several committees to implement outreach, education, and conservation efforts.

Mark Koven    Assistant Professor or Art and Design, Foundations Coordinator
Ben Berrett   Director of Planning, Design and Construction
Stacy Bevan   Clinical Professor Dietetics
Roslynn Brian Professor of Environment and Society
Lisa Berreau  Associate Vice President Research and Professor of NDFS (COA)
Carsten Meier  Assistant Professor, Photography
Nancy Christensen College of Business Assist. – Project and College of Engineering
Corey Cozzens  Dining Services Sous Chef
Lawrence Culver Professor of History, College of Humanities and Social Sciences
Sean Damitz   Director of Student Sustainability Office
R. Ryan Dupont Civil and Environmental Engineering/Utah Water Lab Representative
Alden Erickson  Aggie Shuttle Coordinator
Jim Evans     Professor of Structural Geology
Daniel Ferris Director of Utilities
Nick Flann    Professor of Computer College of Science
Nat Frazer    Professor of Environment and Society
Mike George   Assistant Director of Support Services
Jack Greene   Community Activist
Jordy Guth    Architect and Planner
Scott Hampton LOAM Foreman
Lawrence Hipps Professor of Climatology
Mark Holt     Electrical Engineer
Nancy Huntly  Director of Ecology Center and Professor of Biology
Jim Huppi     Landscape Architect
Steve Jenson  Executive Director of Housing and Residence Life
Shannon Jolley Residence Life, Student Living Center Area Coordinator
Liz Kirkham   Student, SSO graphics intern
Alexi Lamm    Sustainability Coordinator
Carlos Licon  Professor of Landscape Architecture and Environmental Planning
Emily Malik   City of Logan Conservation Coordinator
Randy Martin  Professor of College of Engineering
Drew McKenna  Student
Lorin Mortensen Mechanical Engineer
Richard Mueller Associate Professor and Associate Dean, College of Science
James Nye     Director Parking and Transportation
Reid Olsen    Central Energy Plant, Utilities and HVAC Manager
Jamie Pearce  Water Quality Engineer
Gary Phillips Mountain View Tower Housing
Jennifer Reeve Professor of Organic and Sustainable Agriculture
Nate Schwartz Recycling Coordinator
Ed Stafford   Professor, Jon M. Huntsman School of Business
Tamara Steinitz Professor of NSFS
Kate Stephens CCESL Assistant Director
Rachel Sutt   Student, President of Student USGBC
Stephanie Tomlin Aggie Blue Bike Coordinator
Richard Toth  Professor of Environment and Society
Penny Trinca  USU Program Coor, local farmer, founding member Logan Gardener’s Market
Amber O’Quinn Student Intern
Jackie Lowry  Community Member
Camilla Bottelberghe Student Intern
Trademarks Licensing Board
This is an advisory board comprised of high-level stakeholders who share an interest in the University's licensing program. The licensing program exists to protect and promote the use of university trademarks involving merchandise and to generate student scholarship funding through royalty income. Members provide guidance on key issues such as licensing objectives, proposed policy or procedural changes, contracts, royalty rates and decisions involving major administrative matters.

Heidi Adams    Trademark Licensing Director
Andi McCabe    Assistant Provost
Dwight Davis    Associate Vice President for Business and Finance
Eric Olsen     Associate Vice President for Student Affairs
Jay Wright     Marketing Director
Ryan Brady     Associate General Counsel
Ryan McLane    Marketing – Assistant AD
Sydney Peterson Chief of Staff
Tim Vitale     Executive Director, PR/Marketing

University Assessment Coordinating Council
This council coordinates and represents the University’s efforts in educational and program assessment at the university, college, department and unit levels. The council also coordinates the University’s preparations for the periodic evaluations of the university’s regional accreditation.

Michael Torrens (Chair) Director - Analysis, Assessment, and Accreditation
Brian Warnick    College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences, Vice President Extension
Nicholas Morrison Caine College of the Arts
Vijay Kannan     Jon M. Huntsman School of Business
Francine Johnson Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
Ronald Sims     College of Engineering
Matthew Sanders College of Humanities and Social Sciences
Claudia Radel    S.J. & Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources
Richard Mueller College of Science
Britt Fagerheim Library
Donna Crow      Career Services
Heather Stock    Coordinator of Programs III
Dennis Garner    Extension/Faculty Senate
TBD            Research and Graduate Studies
Eric Olsen     Associate Vice President Student Affairs
Frank Galey     Executive Vice President and Provost
Xiaojun Qi      Faculty Senate
Whitney Pugh    Administrative Services

University Student Fee Board
The purpose of the Administrative Fee Committee is to: (a) review, recommend, and approve the allocation of all general fees collected from students (including contingency balances) to ensure that they are being used for the purposes for which they were intended and (b) review and recommend any changes in the level of the fee and abide by all provisions of the USU Fee Policy.

Allie Haas    USUSA Executive Vice President
Jaren Hunsaker    USUSA President
Kristin Hall    Graduate Studies Senator
Samuel Jackson    Student Advocate Vice President
Braxton Moon    Public Relations Director
Erik Olson    Engineering Senator
Megham Tatom    Student Events Vice President
Bannon Greer    Athletics Vice President
Sierra Wise    Art Senator
Mason Kemp    Natural Resources Senator
Deidra Thomas    Education Senator
McKenna Allred    Humanities and Social Sciences Senator
Abigail Longaker    Science Senator
Joshua Johnson    Diversity Vice President
Cameron Pitt    Business Senator
Dexton Lake    Agriculture and Applied Sciences Senator
James Morales    Vice President for Student Affairs
Eric Olsen    Associate Vice President for Student Affairs
Linda Zimmerman    Director for Student Involvement and Leadership
Whitney Pugh    Executive Director Budget and Planning

Chosen through application process in the beginning of the fall semester, which is conducted by the Executive Vice President, Student Advocate, Graduate Senator and one College Senator appointed by the Academic Senate. Both USUSA Academic Senate and USUSA Executive Council must approve the selection before the first Fee Board meeting.

Utah State University Physical Resources Planning Committee (UPRPC)
The University Physical Resources Planning Committee advises the President in planning physical development on campus including review of building sites, parking lots, and major landscape projects. No major physical change is made on the campus without this committee’s review. The committee also recommends priorities for the construction of capital facilities and major renovation projects.

Frank Galey, (Chair)    Executive Vice President and Provost
David Cowley    Vice President for Business and Finance
Charles Darnell    Associate Vice President, Facilities
Ben Berrett    Director of Planning, Design, and Construction, Facilities
Sydney Peterson    Chief of Staff, President’s Office
Andi McCabe    Assistant Provost, Provost’s Office
Kenneth White    Dean, College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences
Nick Morrison    Associate Dean, Caine College of the Arts
Dave Patel    Associate Dean, Jon M. Huntsman School of Business
Shelley Lindauer    Assoc. Dean, Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
Jagath Kaluarachchi    Dean, College of Engineering
Evelyn Funda    Associate Dean, College Humanities and Social College of Sciences
Chris Luecke    Dean, S.J. & Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources
Richard Mueller    Associate Dean, College of Science
Mike Kuehn    Chief of Police, Public Safety
James Nye    Director, Parking and Transportation Services
Neil Abercrombie    Director, Federal and State Relations
Jana Doggett    Executive Assoc. Athletics Director, Athletics
Dave Woolstenhulme    Vice President for Regional Campuses
Jaren Hunsaker    President, USUSA
Tim Vitale    Executive Director, Public Relations and Marketing
Patrick Belmont    Faculty Senate Leadership
Utah State University Staff Employees Association
The SEA supports the mission, goals and objectives of USU, provides representation for the employees to the administration and University Committees, recognizes the dignity of individuals and promotes excellence and service. The primary purposes of the Association are to:

- Foster a harmonious and cooperative relationship between administration, faculty, exempt and non-exempt staff members and students.
- Uphold and support the mission and goals of USU.
- Work with other USU groups in recommending and implementing policy concerning USU and the needs of all employees.
- Facilitate communication, understanding and cooperation among employees and with other USU groups (students, faculty, and administration).
- Provide an authoritative voice within USU for expressing problems and concerns of Association members.
- Provide an amicable method of settling differences or grievances that may arise between the Association, its members, other USU groups or their members.
- Promote professional and personal development and job improvement of SEA members.
- Promote the objectives, general welfare, fellowship and mutual interests among the Association members and USU.

Past President: Christine Ballard
President: Steve Funk
President Elect: Julie Duersch
Secretary: Annette Petersen
Treasurer: Rachel Hamm

Benefit and Staff Welfare:
Senior: Sian Smith
Junior: Maegan Hunter

Legislative:
Senior: Amanda Castillo
Junior: TBD

Employee Relations:
Senior: Charles Delaney
Junior: Brenda Rust

Employee Recognition:
Senior: Allen Dawes
Junior: Suzanne Thorpe

Employee Development:
Senior: Vanessa Howes
Junior: Kaylee Roholt

Employee Scholarship:
Senior: Dusty Petersen
Junior: Dennis Kohler

Media and Public Relations:
Senior: Cimaron Neugebauer
Junior: Carrisa Dominy

Regional Campus Representative:
Senior: Trish Kingsford
Junior: Gayle Mahler

Utah State University Student Association (USUSA)
The role of the USUSA Executive Council is to enhance the quality of student life through academics, activities, student concerns, public relations, service, athletics, and clubs, and organizations, cultural events, along with, direct college, extension, graduate, and student representation.

Executive Council:
Jaren Hunsaker (Chair)                      President
Allie Haas                               Executive Vice President
Bannon Greer    Athletics and Campus Recreation Vice President
Samuel Jackson   Student Advocate Vice President
Daria Griffith   Student Alumni Vice President
Joshua Johnson   Organizations and Diversity Vice President
Meghan Tatam   Student Events Vice President
Braxton Moon   Public Relations and Marketing Director
Jenna Stoker   Service Vice President
Brooke Jorgensen   Administrative Assistant

Academic Senate:
  Allie Haas (Chair)    Executive Vice President
  Dexton Lake    College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences Senator
  Sierra Wise    Caine College of the Arts Senator
  Cameron Pitt    Jon M. Huntsman School of Business Senator
  Deidra Thomas    Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services Senator
  Erik Olson    College of Engineering Senator
  McKenna Allred    College of Humanities and Social College of Sciences Senator
  Masom Kemp    S.J. & Jessie Quinney College of Natural Resources Senator
  Abigail Longaker    College of Science Senator
  Kristin Hall    Graduate Studies Senator
  Brooke Jorgensen   Administrative Assistant

STAB:
  Megham Tatom    Student Events Vice President
  Lexie Jex    Traditions Director
  Rachel Larsen    Activities Director
  Max Heine    Series Director

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