

Elections 2025-2026 Candidates for University Senate

Name	Department	College
Faculty (choose 8)		
Christa Akers	Communication Sciences & Disorders	College of Health Professions and Human Services
Consuelo Bonillas	Health and Human Performance	College of Health Professions and Human Services
Norma Bowe	Health and Human Performance	College of Health Professions and Human Services
Mansi Brat	Counselor Education	College of Health Professions & Human Services
Yu Sun Chung	Psychology	College of Liberal Arts
Sharmista Das-Iyer	General Education	General Education & Interdisciplinary Studies
Adam Eckart	Health and Human Performance	College of Health Professions and Human Services
Edward Farnum	Mathematics	College of Science Mathematics and Technology
Gabriel Fuentes	Public Architecture	Michael Graves College
William Heyniger	Environmental and Sustainability Sciences	College of Science Mathematics and Technology
Kyoung Kim	Health and Human Performance	College of Health Professions and Human Services
Ipek Kocoglu	Management	College of Business and Public Management
John Lee	Physical Therapy	College of Health Professions and Human Services
Brenna Levine	Biology	College of Science Mathematics and Technology
Patrick McManimon	Criminal Justice and Public Administration	College of Business & Public Management
Samista Mishra	Biology	College of Science Mathematics and Technology
Mahshid Namazi	Communication Sciences & Disorders	College of Health Professions & Human Services
Julia Nevarez	Political, Social and Cultural Sciences	College of Liberal Arts
Eunice Nkansah	General Education	General Education & Interdisciplinary Studies
Cailin O'Connor	Environmental & Sustainability Sciences	College of Science Mathematics and Technology
Kalasia Ojeh	Political, social, and cultural sciences	College of Liberal Arts
Chrysanthe Patestos	Nursing	College of Health Professions and Human Services
Pragya Sharma Ghimire	Health and Human Performance	College of Health Professions and Human Services
Nicole Shroeder	History	College of Liberal Arts
Jenna Tucker	Physical Therapy	College of Health Professions & Human Services
Gail Verdi	Bilingual Education/TESOL/World Languages	College of Education

Professional Staff (choose 1)		
Liza Argue	University Relations	
Stephanie McCluney	General Education & Interdisciplinary Studies	
Vaidya Palak	Psychology	
Zakeeyah Speight	Division of Student Success and Retention (DSSR)	
Non-unit Manager (choose 1)		
Nicole Rodriguez	Community Standards and Student Conduct	
Jeremiah Sullivan	Academic Partnerships and Career Curriculum	

University Senate Standing Elected Committees

Academic Standards & Policy Committee

Yu Sun Chung	Psychology	College of Liberal Arts
Julia Nevarez	Political, Social and Cultural Sciences	College of Liberal Arts
Christa Akers	Communication Sciences & Disorders	College of Health Professions and Human Services
Chrysanthe Patestos	Nursing	College of Health Professions and Human Services
Pragya Sharma Ghimire	Health and Human Performance	College of Health Professions and Human Services

Assessment Committee

Gabriel Fuentes	Public Architecture	Michael Graves College
Raymond DiVirgilio	Athletic Training	College of Health Professions and Human Services
Kalasia Ojeh	Political, social, and cultural sciences	College of Liberal Arts

Distance Learning Committee

Kathleen Curran	Health and Human Performance	College of Health Professions and Human Services
Kyoung Kim	Health and Human Performance	College of Health Professions and Human Services
John Lee	Physical Therapy	College of Health Professions and Human Services
Ensela Mema	Mathematics	College of Science Mathematics and Technology
Shalander Samuels	English	College of Liberal Arts
Cailin O'Connor	Environmental & Sustainability Sciences	College of Science Mathematics and Technology

General Education Committee

Kalasia Ojeh	Political, social, and cultural sciences	College of Liberal Arts
Shuo Yang	Accounting & Finance	College of Business & Public Management

Nancy Thompson Library Learning Commons Committee

Chrysanthe Patestos	Nursing	College of Health Professions and Human Services
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Student Admissions and Retention Committee

Kyungwon Lee	Marketing, Global Business and Economics	College of Business & Public Management
Erica Baer	Psychology	College of Liberal Arts
Nicole Schroeder	History	College of Liberal Arts

University Appeals Board

Min Chung Han	Marketing, Global Business and Economics	College of Business & Public Management
Shuo Yang	Accounting & Finance	College of Business & Public Management

University Curriculum Committee

Mahshid Namazi	Communication Sciences & Disorders	College of Health Professions & Human Services
Julia Nevarez	Political, Social and Cultural Sciences	College of Liberal Arts
Tara Gerst	Elementary and PE/Health Education	College of Education

Writing Emphasis/Writing Across the Curriculum Committee

Jennifer Gentile	Physical Therapy	College of Health Professions & Human Services
Sasmita Mishra	Biology	College of Science Mathematics and Technology

KFT Letter of Agreement Committees

Professional Staff Career Development Committee

Liza Argue	University Relations
Vaidya Palak	Psychology
Zakeeyah Speight	Division of Student Success and Retention (DSSR)

Professional Staff Peer Review Committee

Vaidya Palak	Psychology
Zakeeyah Speight	Division of Student Success and Retention (DSSR)

University Promotions Committee (Faculty)

Consuelo Bonillas	Health and Human Performance	College of Health Professions and Human Services
Heather Stokes-Huby	Chemistry & Physics	College of Science, Mathematics and Technology

University Range Adjustment Committee

Consuelo Bonillas	Health and Human Performance	College of Health Professions and Human Services
Claire Mulry	Occupational Therapy	College of Health Professions and Human Services

College Retention and Tenure Committees

College of Business and Public Management

Kihwan Kim	Management	College of Business & Public Management
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College of Education

Efthimia Christie	Educational Leadership/Secondary Education	College of Education
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College of Liberal Arts

Julia Nevarez	Political, Social and Cultural Sciences	College of Liberal Arts
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Michael Graves College

Gabriel Fuentes	Public Architecture	Michael Graves College
Craig Konyk	Public Architecture	Michael Graves College

College of Health Professions and Human Services

Mahshid Namazi	Communication Sciences & Disorders	College of Health Professions & Human Services
Claire Mulry	Occupational Therapy	College of Health Professions and Human Services