

MEMORANDUM

August 2025

To: Academic Deans, Department Chairs
FROM: Bill Kosteas, Ph.D., Dean; College of Graduate Studies
Subject: Graduate Council Representation and
College of Graduate Studies Standing Committees

I am pleased to announce the results of the College of Graduate Studies elections. Listed below are your representatives to the Graduate Council and the College of Graduate Studies Standing Committees.

University Graduate Council

Monte Ahuja College of Business

Laura Rickett 2024-2026
Michele Heath 2025-2027

Levin College of Public Affairs and Education

Rongjun Sun 2025-2026
Adam M. Voight..... 2024-2026
Anup Kumar 2025-2027

Washkewicz College of Engineering

Jorge E. Gatica..... 2024-2026
Srinivas Allena 2025-2027

College of Law

John Plecnik..... 2024-2026

College of Arts and Sciences

Aaron F. Severson 2024-2026
Thijs Heus..... 2025-2026
Daniel S. Munther 2024-2026
Michael Baumgartner 2024-2026

College of Health

Kelle DeBoth Foust 2024-2026
William Matcham..... 2025-2027

Graduate College Representatives to Faculty Senate

James J. Marino 2024-2026
Jacqueline Vitali 2025-2027

Graduate College Representative on the University Admissions and Standards Committee

TBD 2025-2027

Graduate College Representative on the University Curriculum Committee

John Plecnik..... 2024-2026

Graduate College Representative on the University Research Committee

Kelle DeBoth Foust 2025-2026

Associate Dean, College of Graduate Studies..... Jacqueline Jenkins
University Library Representative..... Scott Vine, Director
University Registrar Representative..... Kevin Neal, Registrar
Graduate Student Representative..... Venkata Teja Kumar Bandaru

Graduate College Committees

The members of the Graduate Faculty listed below have been appointed by the University Graduate Council to serve on the following Graduate College committees for the terms noted:

Petitions Committee

Maksim Isakin	MACB	2024-2026
William Matcham	CH	2024-2026
Kathleen Reardon	CAS	2024-2026
Jorge E. Gatica	WCE	2025-2027
Matias Martinez-Abeijon	CAS	2025-2027

Grade Dispute Committee

Cynthia A. Hovland	CH	2024-2026
Antonio Medina-Rivera	CAS	2024-2026
James Chriss	LCPAE	2025-2027
Suzanne Giuffre	CH	2025-2027
Robert Krebs	CAS	2025-2027
Kuzey Yilmaz	MACB	2025-2027

Graduate Faculty Review Committee

Ung Tae Kim	WCE	2024-2026
Eunice Lee	CH	2024-2026
Lih-Ching C. Wang	LCPAE	2025-2026
Gary Dyer	CAS	2025-2027
Michele Heath	MACB	2025-2027
Jacqueline Vitali	CAS	2025-2027

Graduate Student Awards Committee

Michael Baumgartner	CAS	2024-2026
Anne O'Connor	CAS	2024-2026
Liqun Ning	WCE	2024-2026
Robert Phuong Ngo	MACB	2024-2026
Lili Dong	WCE	2025-2027
Selma Koc	LCPAE	2025-2027
Rebecca Odom-Bartel	LCPAE	2025-2027
Meshack Owino	CAS	2025-2027
Kuzey Yilmaz	MACB	2025-2027

Program Review Committee

Selma Koc	LCPAE	2025-2026
Fred (Albert Smith)	CAS	2025-2026
Robert Krebs	CAS	2025-2026
Tobili Y. Sam-Yellowe	CAS	2025-2026
Wenbing Zhao	WCE	2025-2026
TBD	CAS	2025-2026