

New Mexico Tech - Faculty Senate Standing Committees 2024 - 2025 Academic Year

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Officers (2-year term) 2024-2026 Nominations

Chair: Linda C. DeVeaux

Vice-chair: Curtis O'Malley.

Parliamentarian: Brian Borchers

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Academic Freedom and Tenure (2-year term, with a 2/3 rotation):

2023-2025 Anders Jorgensen, Subhasish Mazumdar, Hamdy Soliman

2024-2026 Deep Choudhuri, Jun Zheng

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Academic Standards and Admissions (2-year term with a 2/3 rotation):

2023-2025 Jeff Altig, Bill Chávez

2024-2026 Yulia Mikhailova, Benjamin Duval, Clint Richardson

Ex-officio members including but not limited to the Associate Vice President of Academic Affairs, the Registrar, the Dean for Student Success, the Director of Financial Aid, and the Director of Admission.

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ADA (2-year term, with a 2/3 rotation):

2023-2025 Nicolas Holubowitch, Mark Samuels, Ujith Madduma Bandarage

2024-2026 Arjak Bhattacharjee, Sanchari Chowdhury

Ex-Officio members include the Director of Student Access Services, the Director of Affirmative Action, two members of Facilities Management, an undergraduate student representative and a graduate student representative.

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Benefits (2-year term, with a 2/3 rotation):

2023-2025 Megha Khandelwal, Kooktae Lee, Laura Waters

2024-2026 Taylor Dotson, Troylyn Zimmerly

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Budget & Research (3-year term, with a 2/2/2 rotation):

2022-2025 Ivan Avramidi, Haoying Wang

2023-2026 Rakhim Aitbayev, Ashok Ghosh

2024-2027 Doug Wells, Sue Bilek

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Computing on Campus (2-year term, with a 2/3 rotation):

2023-2025 Deep Choudhuri, Moustapha Harb

2024-2026 Anders Jorgensen, Mehrdad Razavi, Dongwan Shin

Ex-officio members including but not limited to the Director of Information Technology and Communications (ITC), Director of the Academic Center for Technology, the Library Director, the Dean of Students, an undergraduate student representative and a graduate student representative.

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Curriculum Committee (2-year terms, with a 3/3 rotation)

2023-2025 Linda DeVeaux, Alex Rinehart, Stewart Thompson

2024-2026 Isabel Svoboda, Arjack Bhattacharjee, Jiakai Zhang

Ex-officio members including but not limited to the Registrar and the Dean for Student Success.

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Education & Research Efficiency (4-year term with 1/1/1/1 rotation):

2021-2025 Gilberto Gonzalez-Parra

2022-2026 Ryan Norris

2023-2027 Jiakai Zhang

2024-2028 Masoud Naghdi

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Faculty Development (2-year term, with a 2/3 rotation):

2023-2025 Kip Carrico, Praveen Patidar, Bill Stone

2024-2026 Sanaa Algaraibeh, Hamid Rahnema

Ex-Officio members include the Associate Vice President of Academic Affairs.

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Honorary Degrees & Awards (2-year term, with a 1/2 rotation):

2023-2025 Bhaskar Majumdar

2024-2026 Adonis Leal, Omid Moradian

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Mental Health Committee (2-year-term, with 2/2 rotation)

2023-2025 Yulia Mikhailova, Minnie Mao

2024-2026 Scott Teare, Jianjia Yu

Ex-Officio members An undergraduate student representative, a graduate student representative, the VP for Student Life or their designee, the Director of the Counseling Center or their designee and the Dean for Student Success.

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Nominating (2-year term, with a 2/2 rotation):

2023-2025 Gayan Rubasinghege, Mark Samuels

2024-2026 Claudia Wilson, Raúl Morales-Juberías

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Ombudspersons (2-year term, one representative from faculty, one from staff):

2024-2026 Richard Sonnenfeld, Gloria Gutierrez-Anaya

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Regents-Faculty Conference (2-year term with 2/2 rotation, half Engineering and half Arts & Sciences Faculty):

2023-2025 Richard Sonnenfeld, Hamdy Soliman

2024-2026 Donghyeon Ryu, Taffeta Elliott

Permanent Members: Faculty senate executive committee.

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Retention (2-year term, with a 2/3 rotation):

2023-2025 Brian Borchers, Hayley McCullough

2024-2026 Iain Crump, John Kolen, Michelle Creech-Eakman

Ex-Officio Members: Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs, the Director of the Office for Student Learning, the Director of Admission, the Registrar (who is also the Higher Ed Coordinator), the Dean for Student Success, the Director of the Office of Counseling Services, the Director of Student Access Services, Director of Financial Aid, the Director of Residential Life and a Undergraduate Student Representative.

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Faculty Sabbatical Leave (2-year term, with a 2/3 rotation):

2023-2025 Peter Hofner, Bixiang Wang

2024-2026 Mingji Zhang, Adrei Zagrai, Dan Cadol

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Space Utilization and Campus Planning (2-year term, with a 2/3 rotation):

2023-2025 Nicole Hurtig, Nikolai Kalugin, Michaelann Tartis

2024-2026 Dave Meier, Tie Wei

Ex-officio members including but not limited to the Director of Capital Projects, Registrar, a undergraduate student representative and a graduate student representative

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Student and Faculty Conduct (2-year term, with a 2/3 rotation)

2023-2025 Clint Richardson, Todd Wolford.

2024-2026 William Ampomah, Seda Senay, Sesathpura Pisayena.

Ex-Officio Members: 2 undergraduate student representatives appointed annually by the SGA, and 2 graduate student members appointed annually by the GSA.

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Undergraduate Academic Advising Committee (2-year term, with a 2/3 rotation)

2023-2025 Curtis O'Malley, Kaarin Goncz

2024-2026 Taffeta Elliott, Matthew Johnson, Sampurna Arya

Ex Officio members: Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs, Registrar, Director of Admissions, Director of the Office of Student Learning, Dean for Student Success, Director of Student Affairs and Director of Veterans Affairs, an undergraduate student representative, and an undergraduate transfer student representative.

For committee descriptions read the [faculty senate standing rules](#) document in the academic affairs website.