## Institutional Governance Committee Memberships <br> 2023-2025

## STANDING COMMITTEES

## ACADEMIC AND STUDENT AFFAIRS COUNCIL (ASAC)

The Academic and Student Affairs Council (ASAC) submits recommendations to the President's Cabinet.

## OFFICERS

The Chair and Vice-Chair will alternate between the Academic Affairs and Student Services units. The Chair will be the Vice-Chair from the prior year and will serve as Chair for two-years. The Chair must be employed by Southern for two (2) full years prior to serving as Chair. The Vice-Chair will be elected in the odd year and will serve as a committee officer for a total of four-years. The Vice-Chair serves in the elected role for two-years and then moves to the position of Chair for the next two-years. Committee members elect the incoming Vice-Chair

## MEMBERSHIP

The Council is comprised of six (6) members and two (2) ex-officio, non-voting members:

1. Teri Wells, Chair
2. Mike Jiles, Vice Chair
3. Regina Bias
4. Lisa Haddox-Heston
5. Dianna Toler
6. Stella Estepp

Registrar
Dean of Professional and Transfer Programs
Director of Accreditation and Assessment
Dean of Allied Health and Nursing
Director of Student Success (ADA Compliance Officer)
Director of Student Financial Assistance

## EX-OFFICIO, NON-VOTING MEMBERS

1. Bill Alderman

Chief Academic Officer
2. Darrell Taylor Chief Student Services Officer

## RECORDER

Sandra Podunavac

## QUORUM

Five (5) voting members; Quorum $=3$ (more than $1 / 2$ voting membership). [The Committee Chair is a non-voting member except in the case of a tie vote; Vacant positions are not counted for quorum.]

## POLICIES AND PROCEDURES COMMITTEE

The Policies and Procedures Committee submits recommendations to the President's Cabinet.

## OFFICERS

The Chair will be the Chief Human Resources Officer. The Vice-Chair will be elected by the committee members and will serve as a committee officer for two (2) years. At the conclusion of their two-year term, committee members elect the incoming Vice-Chair.

## MEMBERSHIP

The Policies and Procedures Committee is comprised of six (6) members and two (2) ex-officio, nonvoting members:

| 1. | Debbie Dingess, Chair | Chief Human Resources Officer |
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| 2. | Jennifer Dove, Vice Chair | Executive Assistant to the President and BOG |
| 3. | Tara Drake | Classified Staff, Elected (Classified Staff Assembly) |
| 4. | Kevin Dingess | Faculty, Elected (Faculty Assembly) |
| 5. | Morgan Maynard | Faculty, Elected (Faculty Assembly) |
| 6. | Tammy Toppings | Non-Classified Staff, Appointed (President) |

## EX-OFFICIO, NON-VOTING MEMBERS

1. Bill Alderman

Accreditation Liaison Officer
2. Regina Bias

Director of Accreditation and Assessment

## RECORDER

Dustin Crisp

## ADVISORS

Advisors are comprised of specific positions who are called to serve as non-voting subject matter experts:

Series 1000 - General

| Eric Brumfield | Director of Facilities |
| :--- | :--- |
| Bill France | Director of Communications |
| Jennifer Dove | Executive Assistant to the President and BOG |
| Joe Linville | Chief Facilities Management Officer |

Series 2000 - Human Resources
Susan Ross Manager Human Resources
Series 3000-Academic Affairs
Lisa Haddox-Heston Dean of Allied Health and Nursing
Mike Jiles Dean of Professional and Transfer Programs
Series 4000 - Student Services

| Dianna Toler | Director of Student Success (ADA Compliance Officer) |
| :--- | :--- |
| Tim Ooten | Director of Admissions |
| Stella Estepp | Director of Financial Assistance |
| Teri Wells | Registrar |

Series 5000 - Finance
Evan Riggins Controller
Eric Brumfield Director of Facilities
Vacant Director of Budgets and Purchasing
Chris Gray Bursar
Series 6000 - Workforce and Community Development
Dave Lemmon Dean of Workforce Development
Jay Lester Director of Workforce Development
Series 7000-Technology
Sarah Brown Director of Institutional Research

## Series 8000 - Board of Governors

Jennifer Dove Executive Assistant to the President and Board of Governors

## QUORUM

Five (5) voting members; Quorum = 3 (more than $1 / 2$ of the voting membership). [The Committee Chair is a non-voting member except in the case of a tie vote; Vacant positions not counted for quorum.]

## STRATEGIC PLANNING COMMITTEE

The Strategic Planning Committee submits recommendations to the President's Cabinet.

## OFFICERS

The Chair will be the Vice-Chair from the prior year and will serve as Chair for two-years. The Chair must be employed by Southern for two (2) full years prior to serving as Chair. The Vice-Chair will be elected in the odd year and will serve as a committee officer for a total of four-years. The Vice-Chair serves in the elected role for two-years and then moves to the position of Chair for the next two-years. Committee members elect the incoming Vice-Chair.

## MEMBERSHIP

The Committee is comprised of nine (9) members and five (5) ex-officio, non-voting members:

1. Jay Lester, Chair Director of Workforce Development
2. Susan Ross, Vice Chair Manager Human Resources
3. Evan Riggins

Controller
4. Tim Ooten Director of Admissions
5. Chuck Keeney
6. Jennifer Vernatter

Faculty, Elected (Division)
7. Sammi Dodrill

Faculty, Elected (Division)
8. Cassandra Goble

Classified Staff, Elected (Classified Staff Assembly)
9. Bill France Director of Communications

## EX-OFFICIO, NON-VOTING MEMBERS

1. Bill Alderman
2. Stacy Dingess
3. Joe Linville
4. Velva Pennington
5. Tom Cook

Chief Academic Officer
Chief External Affairs Officer
Chief Facilities Management Officer
Chief Finance Officer
Chief Information Officer

## RECORDER

Shelly Parker

## QUORUM

Eight (8) voting members; Quorum = 5 (more than $1 / 2$ of the voting membership). [The Committee Chair is a non-voting member except in the case of a tie vote; Vacant positions not counted for quorum.]

## SUBCOMMITTEES

## ACADEMIC ASSESSMENT

The Academic Assessment Subcommittee will submit all assessment findings to the Chief Academic Officer (CAO). Recommendations from this subcommittee are made to the Academic and Student Affairs Council (ASAC).

## OFFICERS

The Chair will be the Director of Accreditation and Assessment. The Vice-Chair will be elected and will serve as a subcommittee officer for a total of two (2) years. At the conclusion of their two-year term, subcommittee members elect the incoming Vice-Chair.

## MEMBERSHIP

The subcommittee is comprised of the members of the Higher Learning Commission (HLC) Assessment Academy as appointed by the President and four (4) ex-officio, non-voting members. Members will serve consecutive terms until the conclusion of the HLC Assessment Academy.

1. Regina Bias, Chair, Director of Accreditation and Assessment
2. Larry D'Angelo, Vice Chair, Assistant Professor of English
3. Hattie Newsome, Student Success Center Coordinator
4. Nathan Freeman, Assistant Professor of English
5. Vincent George, Assistant Professor of Physical Science
6. Chris Ward, Associate Professor of Mathematics, Director of Math and Sciences, Faculty Senate Chair, Faculty Representative to the Board of Governors
7. Sheliah Elkins, Professor/Director of Nursing
8. Meloney McRoberts, Associate Professor of Surgical Technology
9. Gordon Hensley II, Assistant Professor of Business

## EX-OFFICIO, NON-VOTING MEMBERS

1. Pamela Alderman, President
2. Bill Alderman, Chief Academic Officer/Accreditation Liaison Officer
3. Darrell Taylor, Chief Student Services Officer
4. Sarah Brown, Director of Institutional Research

## RECORDER

> Beth Deaton

## QUORUM

Eight (8) voting members: Quorum = 5 (more than $1 / 2$ of the voting membership). [The subcommittee Chair is a non-voting member except in the case of a tie vote; Vacant positions not counted for quorum.]

## COMPLIANCE, SAFETY, AND RISK MANAGEMENT

This subcommittee makes recommendations to the Strategic Planning Committee.

## OFFICERS

The Chair will be the Vice-Chair from the prior year and will serve as Chair for two-years. The Chair must be employed by Southern for two (2) full years prior to serving as Chair. The Vice-Chair will be elected in the odd year and will serve as a committee officer for a total of four-years. The Vice-Chair serves in the elected role for two-years and then moves to the position of Chair for the next two-years. Committee members elect the incoming Vice-Chair.

## MEMBERSHIP

The subcommittee is comprised of eleven (11) members and four (4) ex-officio, non-voting members:

1. Chris Gray, Chair
2. David Lord, Vice Chair
3. Rita Roberson
4. Brittany Justice
5. Jill Collins
6. Carole Jobe
7. Brittany Fekete
8. Matthew Hatfield
9. Shelby Porter
10. Erica Farley
11. Mika McCoy

Bursar
Director of Safety and Campus Operations Wyoming/McDowell Campus
Executive Director of Campus and Community Relations Williamson Campus
Executive Director of Campus and Community Relations Boone/Lincoln Campus
Director of Budgets and Purchasing
Manager Payroll, Senior
Classified Staff, Elected (Classified Staff Assembly)
Classified Staff, Elected (Classified Staff Assembly)
Non-classified Staff, Appointed (President)
Faculty, Elected (Division)
Faculty, Elected (Division)

## EX-OFFICIO, NON-VOTING MEMBERS

1. Debbie Dingess

Chief Human Resources Officer
2. Darrell Taylor
3. Lisa Haddox-Heston
4. Brian Carter

Chief Student Services Officer
Dean of Allied Health and Nursing
Student Success Advisor, Appointed (CSSO)

## RECORDER

Kelly Green

## QUORUM

Ten (10) voting members; Quorum $=6$ (more than $1 / 2$ of the voting membership). [The subcommittee Chair is a non-voting member except in the case of a tie vote; Vacant positions not counted for quorum.]

## CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION

The Curriculum and Instruction Subcommittee will submit recommendations to the Chief Academic Officer (CAO) for approval to be forwarded to the Academic and Student Affairs Council (ASAC).

## OFFICERS

The Chair will be the Vice-Chair from the prior year and will serve as Chair for two-years. The Chair must be employed by Southern for two (2) full years prior to serving as Chair. The Vice-Chair will be elected in the odd year and will serve as a committee officer for a total of four-years. The Vice-Chair serves in the elected role for two-years and then moves to the position of Chair for the next two-years. Committee members elect the incoming Vice-Chair.

## MEMBERSHIP

The subcommittee is comprised of seven (7) members and five (5) ex-officio, non-voting members:

1. Gordon Hensley, Chair Faculty, Elected (Division)
2. Stephanie Woolum, Vice Chair Faculty, Elected (Division)
3. Tehseen Irfan

Faculty, Elected (Division)
4. Sherry Ramey

Faculty, Elected (Division)
5. Christy Spry

Faculty, Elected (Division)
6. Sandra Vance

Faculty, Elected (Division)
7. Cassandra Vance Student Success Advisor, Appointed (CSSO)

## EX-OFFICIO, NON-VOTING MEMBERS

1. Bill Alderman
2. Lisa Haddox-Heston
3. Mike Jiles
4. Regina Bias
5. Teri Wells

Chief Academic Officer
Dean of Allied Health and Nursing
Dean of Professional and Transfer Programs
Director of Accreditation and Assessment
Registrar

## RECORDER

Katlyn Justice

## QUORUM

Six (6) voting members; Quorum $=4$ (more than $1 / 2$ of the voting membership). [The subcommittee Chair is a non-voting member except in the case of a tie vote; Vacant positions not counted for quorum.]

## ADMINISTRATION

## PRESIDENT'S CABINET

The President's Cabinet will review recommendations submitted through the Governance System. Those recommendations requiring approval by the Board of Governors are submitted and placed on the Board of Governors' agenda for appropriate action.

## OFFICERS

The President serves as the non-voting Chair of the Cabinet. There is no Vice-Chair.

## MEMBERSHIP

The President's Cabinet is comprised of eight (8) members:

1. Pamela Alderman, Chair President
2. Bill Alderman Chief Academic Officer
3. Stacy Dingess Chief External Affairs Officer
4. Joe Linville Chief Facilities Management Officer
5. Velva Pennington Chief Finance Officer
6. Debbie Dingess Chief Human Resources Officer
7. Tom Cook Chief Information Officer
8. Darrell Taylor Chief Student Services Officer

## RECORDER

Jennifer Dove

## QUORUM

Seven (7) voting members; Quorum = 4 (more than $1 / 2$ of the voting membership). [The Committee Chair is a non-voting member except in the case of a tie vote; Vacant positions not counted for quorum.]

## COUNCILS/SENATES

## CLASSIFIED STAFF COUNCIL

The Classified Staff Council submits recommendations to standing committees, subcommittees, administrative unit heads, or directly to the President.

## OFFICERS

The Chair is elected at large by the classified staff assembly. The Vice-Chair and Recorder are elected by the Classified Staff Council membership.

## MEMBERSHIP

The Council is comprised of sixteen (16) voting members (including the Council Chair) representing the following geographic and primary occupational activity distribution, and one (1) ex-officio, nonvoting member:

1. Kim Maynard
2. Shelly Stewart
3. Vacant
4. Dianna Toler
5. Judy Slazo
6. Angie Dotson
7. Matthew Hatfield
8. Lee Stroud
9. Patty Brooks
10. Brittany Fekete
11. Mark Bowens
12. Scott Prichard
13. Anna Evans Lacey
14. Cassandra Goble
15. Ruby Runyon
16. Michael Hunter

## EX-OFFICIO, NON-VOTING MEMBER

1. Chris Gray, Vice Chair Board of Governors Representative

## RECORDER

Shelly Stewart

## QUORUM

Sixteen (16) voting members; Quorum = 9 (more than $1 / 2$ of the voting membership). [The Council Chair is a voting member; Vacant positions not counted for quorum.]

## FACULTY SENATE

The Faculty Senate submits policy recommendations to standing committees, subcommittees administrative unit heads, or directly to the President.

## OFFICERS

The Chair and Vice-Chair are elected by the Senate membership.

## MEMBERSHIP

The Faculty Senate is comprised of eight (8) voting members (including the Senate Chair) and two (2) ex-officio, voting members for a total of 10 voting members:

1. Sharon Davis
2. Kelly Warren
3. Lillie Teeters
4. Adam Banks, Vice Chair
5. Gina Lester
6. Stephanie Daniel
7. Rebecca Pratt
8. Vacant

## EX-OFFICIO, VOTING MEMBERS

1. Stephanie Mounts
2. Chris Ward, Chair

Faculty, Elected (Logan Campus)
Faculty, Elected (Logan Campus)
Faculty, Elected (Logan Campus)
Faculty, Elected (Williamson Campus)
Faculty, Elected (Williamson Campus)
Faculty, Elected (Williamson Campus)
Faculty, Elected (Boone/Lincoln Campus)
Faculty, Elected (Wyoming/McDowell Campus)

Advisory Council of Faculty Representative Board of Governors Representative

## RECORDER

Sammi Dodrill

## QUORUM

Ten (10) voting members; Quorum = 6 (more than $1 / 2$ of the voting membership). [The Senate Chair is a voting member; Vacant positions not counted for quorum.]

## ADVISORY COMMITTEES

## FINANCIAL EXIGENCY COMMITTEE

The Financial Exigency Committee makes recommendations to the President.

## OFFICERS

The Chair is a member of the Board of Governors and is elected by the Board membership. The Vice-Chair is appointed by the President. Each member of the Committee shall serve for one fiscal year.

## MEMBERSHIP

The committee is comprised of thirteen (13) members.

1. Robert Baldwin, Chair Board of Governors Member, Elected (BOG)
2. Velva Pennington, Vice Chair Chief Finance Officer
3. Debbie Dingess
4. Tom Cook
5. Shelly Stewart
6. Anna Evans Lacey
7. Patty Brooks Classified Staff-at-Large, Elected (Classified Staff
8. Kim Maynard
9. Ashleigh Barnette

Classified Staff Council Chair
Faculty-at-Large, Elected (Faculty Assembly)
10. Nicole Vineyard

Faculty-at-Large, Elected (Faculty Assembly)
11. Chris Ward

Faculty Senate Chair
12. Stephanie Mounts

Advisory Council of Faculty Representative
13. Alexis Parker

Student Government Representative, Elected (Student Government Association)

## RECORDER

Jennifer Dove

## QUORUM

Twelve (12) voting members; Quorum = 7 (more than $1 / 2$ of the voting membership). [The Committee Chair is a non-voting member except in the case of a tie vote; Vacant positions not counted for quorum.]

## STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION (SGA) ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The SGA Advisory Committee makes recommendations to the President or Chief Student Services Officer.

## OFFICERS

The Chair shall be the Board of Governors Student Representative. There is no Vice-Chair.

## MEMBERSHIP

The Student Government Association Advisory Committee is comprised of six (6) voting members, including the chair, and one (1) ex-officio, non-voting member:

1. Alexis Parker, Chair Board of Governors Student Representative
2. Alexis Parker SGA President
3. Amy Fields SGA Vice-President
4. Kylee Podunavac

SGA Secretary
5. MaHailey Kirk

SGA Treasurer
6. Vacant

West Virginia Advisory Council of Students Representative

## EX-OFFICIO, NON-VOTING MEMBER

1. Darrell Taylor Chief Student Services Officer

## RECORDER

Kylee Podunavac
QUORUM
Six (6) voting members; Quorum = 4 (more than $1 ⁄ 2$ of the voting membership). [The Committee Chair is a voting member; Vacant positions not counted for quorum.]

## PROMOTION-IN-RANK AND TENURE

Recommendations from the Promotion-in-Rank and Tenure Committee are submitted to the Chief Academic Officer.

## OFFICERS

The Chair will be elected by the committee membership.

## MEMBERSHIP

Committee members must be members of the Faculty Assembly, have no supervisory roles over fulltime faculty, and must not be applying for tenure or promotion during the year in which they serve. Faculty must hold the rank of professor. The Chief Academic Officer or his/her designee will call the first meeting of the committee.

1. Stacey Hatfield Division Faculty, Elected (Faculty Assembly)
2. Debra Mullins

Division Faculty, Elected (Faculty Assembly)
3. Matt Payne

Division Faculty, Elected (Faculty Assembly)
4. Rick Thompson

Division Faculty, Elected (Faculty Assembly)

## EX-OFFICIO:

1. Bill Alderman Chief Academic Officer
