

## Roster of College-Level Committee Membership Academic Year 2023-2024

### College of Science Academic Staff Council

**Selection:** By virtue of the person's position and invitation from the Dean.

*Service is based on position*

*Term of Service: not applicable*

Brown, Ken	Senior Administrative Assistant, LSCI
Ramos, Samuel	Graduate Academic Advisor, COS
Garcia, Alessandra	Senior Administrative Assistant, PENS
Garza, Lisa	Business Administrator
Greer, Jordan	Grants Coordinator
Hernandez, Luis	Grants Coordinator
Magnuson, Sharon	Biomolecular Core Laboratory Coordinator
Fonseca, Frank	Information Technology Manager
Morales, Melanie	Administrative Associate, MATH
Hernandez, Eloy	College of Science Dean
Sentz, Sasha	Administrative Associate, Dean's Office
VACANT	Senior Academic Advisor, Advising
Spreen, Phil	Operations Supervisor
Szczerbinska, Barbara	Associate Dean, Academics
Kurapati, Kyra	Administrative Coordinator
VACANT	Business Associate

**Purpose or Function:** This council is charged with assisting the dean in monitoring college infrastructure, and administrative and support operations.

**Membership:** The dean; the associate deans; and one or more representatives of COS staff from each of the following areas: COS Dean's Office; Departments of Life Sciences, Mathematics and Statistics, and Physical and Environmental Sciences; budget/business; academic advising; information technology; college operations; assessment; and development.

**Selection:** By virtue of the person's position and invitation from the Dean.

**Term of Service:** Not applicable.

**Duties Begin:** New members assume this duty upon being hired in an eligible position and accepting the Dean's invitation.

**Chair:** Dean of the college.

## Roster of College-Level Committee Membership Academic Year 2023-2024

### College of Science Awards and Scholarship Committee – 3 members

Selection: One member is appointed by the chair of each department.

*Appointed by Chair/Director*

*Term of Service: 2 years*

Stella Doyungan	Term: 2022 - 2024	LSCI
Ekici, Celil	Term: 2023 - 2025	MATH
Xinping Hu	Term: 2022- 2024	PENS

**Purpose or Function:** Works in concurrence with the Faculty Senate’s procedure for nominating faculty for various university awards. The committee also selects awardees for graduate and undergraduate scholarships and other related competitive awards in the college.

**Membership:** The committee consists of three members. All full-time faculty and staff are eligible to serve on the committee.

**Selection:** One member is appointed by the chair of each department.

**Term of Service:** Two years, staggered terms.

**Duties Begin:** New members assume their duties on September 1 of the year in which they are appointed.

**Chair:** Elected by the committee.

### College of Science Chairs' and Directors' Council

Selection: By virtue of the administrative position.

*Service is based on administrative position*

*Term of Service: not applicable*

<b>VACANT</b>	<b>Associate Dean, Research</b>
Coffin, Richard	Chair of the PENS Department
McCullough, Cherie	Chair of the LSCI Department
Murgulet, Dorina	Director of CWSS
Hernandez, Eloy	Dean, College of Science (Chair)
Sadovski, Alexey	Chair of the MATH Department
Szczerbinska Barbara	Associate Dean, Academics
Battaglia, Loretta	Director of CCS
Garza, Lisa	Business Administrator
Kurapati, Kyra	Administrative Coordinator

**Purpose or Function:** This council is charged with assisting the dean in strategic and operational planning and in making administrative decisions.

**Membership:** The dean; the associate deans; the chairs of the Departments of Life Sciences, Mathematics and Statistics, and Physical and Environmental Sciences; the coordinators of Ph.D. programs; and the directors of the Center for Coastal Studies and Center for Water Supply Studies.

**Selection:** By virtue of the administrative position.

**Term of Service:** Not applicable.

**Duties Begin:** New members assume this duty upon assuming the administrative position.

**Chair:** Dean of the college.

## Roster of College-Level Committee Membership Academic Year 2023-2024

### College of Science Curriculum Committee – 9 members

**Selection:** Two members are elected by each department. All elected members must have at least three years of experience at TAMU-CC. At least one member from each department must have graduate faculty status. The associate dean for academic affairs is an ex officio non-voting member.

*Elected by Unit*

*Term of Service: 2 years*

Candice Lumibao	<i>Term: 2022 - 2024</i>	LSCI
Battaglia, Loretta	<i>Term: 2023 - 2025</i>	LSCI
Tintera, Ping Jung	<i>Term: 2023 - 2025</i>	MATH
Celil Ekici	<i>Term: 2022 - 2024</i>	MATH
Azad, Chandra	<i>Term: 2023 - 2025</i>	PENS
Narendra Narayana	<i>Term: 2022 - 2024</i>	PENS
Ramos, Samuel	<i>Term: n/a</i>	Graduate Academic Advisor
Hock, Stephanie	<i>Term: n/a</i>	Senior Academic Advisor
Szczerbinska, Barbara	<i>Term: n/a</i>	Associate Dean, Academics

**Purpose or Function:** The committee will establish regular meeting times and will review and recommend to the dean new degrees and minors, changes to existing degrees and minors, and new courses to be introduced to the catalog. The agenda will be posted ahead of time to the college and meetings are open to all college faculty and administrators.

**Membership:** The committee consists of nine members. Eight voting members are representatives from the departments, and the associate dean for academic affairs is an ex officio (non-voting) member. All tenured, tenure-track, professional track, clinical track and instructors are eligible to serve on the committee. The committee also consults with research-track and adjunct faculty on specific curriculum matters as appropriate.

**Selection:** Two members are elected by each department. All elected members must have at least three years of experience at TAMU-CC. At least one member from each department must have graduate faculty status. The associate dean for academic affairs is an ex officio non-voting member.

**Terms of Service:** For voting members—two years, staggered terms; for associate dean—not applicable.

**Duties Begin:** New members assume their duties on September 1 of the year in which they are elected. The associate dean assumes this duty upon becoming associate dean.

**Chair:** Associate dean for academic affairs.

## Roster of College-Level Committee Membership Academic Year 2023-2024

### College of Science Wes Tunnel Distinguished Lecturers Selection Committee – 3 members

**Selection:** Appointed by the dean.

*Appointed by Dean*

*Term of Service: 2 years*

Patrick Fitzpatrick	Term: 2022 – 2024	PENS
Dianne Denny	Term: 2022 – 2024	MATH
Jennifer Pollack	Term: 2022 – 2024	LSCI
Associate Dean, Research		

**Purpose or Function:** The committee will establish regular meeting times and will review and recommend to the dean on potential speakers to invite to campus for the College Distinguished Lecturer Series.

**Membership:** The committee consists of four members. All tenured, tenure-track, professional track, research track, clinical track faculty and instructors are eligible to serve on the committee.

**Selection:** Appointed by the dean.

**Term of Service:** Two years, staggered terms.

**Duties Begin:** New members assume their duties on September 1 of the year in which they are appointed.

**Chair:** Appointed by the dean.

### College of Science Graduate Student Recruitment Committee – 4 members (NEW)

**Selection:** Appointed by chair of the department.

*Appointed by Chair of the Department*

*Term of Service: 2 years*

Dorina Murgulet	Term: 2023 – 2025	PENS
Bheema Rao	Term: 2023 – 2025	MATH
Sharon Derrick	Term: 2023 – 2025	LSCI
Chris Bird	Term: 2023 – 2025	Dean’s Appointee, Chair

**Purpose or Function:** The committee will establish regular meeting times and will review and recommend to the dean Graduate Student Recruitment initiatives and encourage campus wide collaboration amongst all graduate and professional programs in recruiting highly talented graduate students.

**Membership:** The committee consists of four members. All tenured, tenure-track, professional track, research track, clinical track faculty and instructors are eligible to serve on the committee.

**Selection:** The appropriate chair appoints one member to represent each department. The Dean shall select one appointee.

**Term of Service:** Two years, staggered terms.

**Duties Begin:** New members assume their duties on September 1 of the year in which they are appointed.

**Chair:** Appointed by the dean.

## Roster of College-Level Committee Membership Academic Year 2023-2024

### College of Science Library Committee – 3 members

**Selection:** One member is elected by each department

*Elected by Unit*

*Term of Service: 3 years*

Metcalfe, Judy	<i>Term: 2022 - 2025</i>	LSCI
Bogucki, Darek	<i>Term: 2021 - 2024</i>	PENS
Gajamannage, Kelum	<i>Term: 2022 - 2025</i>	MATH
Zhang, Lin	<i>Term: 2022-2025</i>	PENS

**Purpose or Function:** Monitors the acquisition of library resources relevant to the needs of the college's faculty and students. The committee also coordinates the division of library funds among the academic and research units within the college.

**Membership:** The committee consists of four members. One member of this committee will be recommended to the Faculty Senate as the college representative to serve on the University Library Committee. All tenured, tenure-track, professional track, research track, clinical track and instructors are eligible to serve on the committee. The committee also consults with adjunct faculty as appropriate.

**Selection:** One member is elected by each department.

**Term of Service:** Three years, staggered terms.

**Duties Begin:** New members assume their duties on September 1 of the year in which they are elected.

**Chair:** Elected by the committee.

### College of Science Library Liaisons

**Selection:** Appointed by the chair of the department

*Appointed by Chair of Unit based on discipline.*

*Term of Service: 3 years*

Shinoda, Toshiaki	<i>Term: 2023 - 2026</i>	ATSC (BS)
Pavel, Ioana	<i>Term: 2023 - 2026</i>	CHEM (BS/MS)
Coffin, Richard	<i>Term: 2023 - 2026</i>	CMSS (MS/PhD)
Bogucki, Darek	<i>Term: 2023 - 2026</i>	ESCI (BS/MS)
Murgulet, Valeriu	<i>Term: 2021 - 2024</i>	GEOL (BS)
Proffit, Ed	<i>Term: 2023 - 2026</i>	LSCI (all)
Jin, Lei	<i>Term: 2023 - 2026</i>	MATH (MS)
Denny, Dianne	<i>Term: 2023 - 2026</i>	MATH (BS)
Spirko, Jeff	<i>Term: 2022 - 2025</i>	PHYS (BS)

**Purpose or Function:** Although not a committee *per se*, these liaisons work with the Bell Library Acquisitions Department and with faculty of individual programs to coordinate acquisitions requests for books and media from annual budget allocations, also on university library de-acquisition efforts.

**Membership:** The committee consists of one representative for each academic program. One person may serve as a liaison for multiple academic programs.

**Selection:** Appointed by the chair of the department.

**Term of Service:** One year.

**Duties Begin:** New members assume their duties on September 1 of the year in which they are appointed.

## Roster of College-Level Committee Membership Academic Year 2023-2024

### College of Science Post-Tenure Review Committee – 3 full professors

*Elected by Unit*

*Term of Service: 1 year*

McCollough, Cherie	Term: 2023 - 2024	LSCI
Guardiola, Jose	Term: 2023 - 2025	MATH
Liu, Chuntao	Term: 2023- 2024	PENS

**Purpose or Function:** Evaluates all tenured faculty going through the post-tenure evaluation process and makes recommendations to the dean.

**Membership:** The committee consists of three tenured full professors. Department chairs and associate deans shall not serve on the committee.

**Selection:** Each department elects one tenured full professor to the committee by vote of the tenured and tenure-track faculty.

**Terms of Service:** Elected members—one year

**Duties Begin:** New members assume their duties on September 1 of the year in which they are elected or appointed.

**Chair:** Elected by the committee.

### College of Science Promotion and Tenure Committee – 5 full professors

**Selection:** Each department elects one tenured full professor to the committee by vote of the tenured and tenure-track faculty; the dean appoints one additional committee member.

*Elected by Unit / Appointed by Dean*

*Term of Service: 2 years (elected) / 1 year (appointed)*

Mozzachiodi, Riccardo	Term: 2023 - 2025	LSCI
Jin, Lei	Term: 2023 - 2025	MATH
Pavel, Ioana	Term: 2022 - 2024	PENS
Gawlik, Dale	Term: 2023 - 2024	Dean's appointee
Murgulet, Dorina	Term: 2023 - 2024	Dean's appointee

**Purpose or Function:** Evaluates faculty applications for promotion and tenure and makes recommendations to the dean.

**Membership:** The committee consists of five tenured full professors. Department chairs and associate deans shall not serve on the committee.

**Selection:** Each department elects one tenured full professor to the committee by vote of the tenured and tenure-track faculty; the dean appoints two additional committee members.

**Terms of Service:** For elected members—two years, staggered terms; for dean's appointee—one year.

**Duties Begin:** New members assume their duties on September 1 of the year in which they are elected or appointed.

**Chair:** Elected by the committee.

## Roster of College-Level Committee Membership Academic Year 2023-2024

### College of Science Research Enhancement Committee – 3 members

**Selection:** One member is elected by each department

*Elected by Unit*

*Term of Service: 2 years*

Derrick, Sharon	Term: 2022 - 2024	LSCI
Vasilyeva, Maria	Term: 2023 - 2025	MATH
Pavel, Ioana	Term: 2023 - 2025	PENS
Associate Dean, Research		

**Purpose or Function:** This college-level committee is responsible for receiving and evaluating grant proposals and recommending college-level grant awards from research enhancement program funds. The committee’s policies and award procedures must be consistent with the eligibility and award selection criteria in the statute. A copy of the College of Science rule must be filed with the associate vice president for planning and institutional effectiveness.

**Membership:** The committee consists of four members. Two members of this committee also serve as COS representatives on the University Research Enhancement Committee, which also has two-year, staggered terms for the college representatives. All tenured, tenure-track and research track faculty are eligible to serve on the committee. Committee members are not eligible to apply for research enhancement grants. The committee also consults with professional track and clinical track faculty as appropriate.

**Selection:** One member is elected by each department.

**Term of Service:** Two years, staggered terms.

**Duties Begin:** New members assume their duties on September 1 of the year in which they are elected.

**Chair:** Elected by the committee.

## Roster of College-Level Committee Membership Academic Year 2023-2024

### College of Science Steering Committee – 7 members

**Selection:** Elected by the departments and appointed by the dean.

*Elected by Unit / Appointed by Dean*

*Term of Service: 3 years*

Nusayr, Tesneem	<i>Term: 2023 - 2026</i>	LSCI
Tintera, George	<i>Term: 2021 - 2024</i>	MATH
Murgulet, Dorina	<i>Term: 2022 - 2025</i>	PENS
Bird, Chris	<i>Term: 2022 - 2025</i>	Dean's appointee
Dogbey, James	<i>Term: 2022 - 2025</i>	Dean's appointee
Szczerbinska, Barbara (Chair)	<i>Term: n/a</i>	Associate Dean, Academics

**Purpose or Function:** The committee advises the dean on issues at the dean's request. The committee also serves as an advisory group to the dean and brings to the dean's attention matters concerning college operation as brought up by the faculty of the college.

**Membership:** The committee will consist of seven members. All full-time faculty members (e.g., tenure-line, professional track, research track, clinical track and instructors) are eligible to serve. Each department shall elect one member and two members shall be appointed by the dean.

**Selection:** Elected by the departments and appointed by the dean.

**Term of Service:** Three years, staggered terms.

**Duties Begin:** New members assume their duties on September 1 of the year in which they are elected or appointed.

**Chair:** Associate Dean for Academic Affairs



## Roster of College-Level Committee Membership Academic Year 2023-2024

### College of Science Teaching Assistant Assignment Committee – 4 members

**Selection:** Appointed by the chairs

*Appointed by Chair of Unit*

*Term of Service: 2 years (elected) / n/a (appointed)*

Szczerbinska, Barbara	<i>Term: n.a</i>	Associate Dean, Academics
Metcalf, Judy	<i>Term: 2022 – 2024</i>	LSCI
Rhoden, Aubrey	<i>Term: 2022 - 2024</i>	MATH
Billiot, Ferehsteh	<i>Term: 2022 - 2024</i>	PENS

**Purpose or Function:** The committee oversees assignment of graduate students to fill Teaching Assistant (TA) positions. A committee member works with faculty in his or her department to determine TA needs and assign students to meet these needs. The chair of the committee prepares letters of appointment for M.S. and Ph.D. students who are awarded TA positions. These letters are sent to the Dean’s Office for review and signature, and then to students.

**Membership:** The committee consists of six members. Five members are representatives from the departments, and the chair of the committee is the sixth member. All full-time faculty who has teaching duties are eligible to serve on the committee.

**Selection:** The appropriate chair appoints one member to represent each department. The Associate Dean of Academic Affairs serves as chair.

**Term of Service:** For representatives – two (2) years, staggered terms; for chair – the term of service as Associate Dean of Academic Affairs.

**Duties Begin:** New members assume their duties on September 1 of the year in which they are elected or appointed.

**Chair:** Assumes this duty upon appointment by the Dean

### Health Professions Advisory Committee (HPAC)

*Term of Service: indefinite*

Tesneem Nusayr (Chair)	<i>Term: N/A</i>	Ph.D. BIMS, COSE
Buck, Greg	<i>Term: N/A</i>	Ph.D. Microbiology, COSE
Mozzachiodi, Riccardo	<i>Term: N/A</i>	Ph.D. NeuroSciences, COSE
<del>Sparks, Jean</del>	<del><i>Term: N/A</i></del>	<del>Ph.D. CLS, COSE</del>

CLS moving to nursing

## Roster of College-Level Committee Membership Academic Year 2023-2024

### College Grade Appeal Committee – 12 faculty members + 9 student members

**Selection:** Appointed by the chair

*Appointed by the Chair*

*Term of Service: 1 year*

Cammarata, Kirk	<i>Term: 2023-2024</i>	LSCI
Derrick, Sharon	<i>Term: 2023-2024</i>	LSCI
Orbach, Dara	<i>Term: 2023-2024</i>	LSCI
Portnoy, David	<i>Term: 2023-2024</i>	LSCI
Tintera, George	<i>Term: 2023-2024</i>	MATH
Rhoden, Aubrey	<i>Term: 2023-2024</i>	MATH
Ji, Hyangim	<i>Term: 2023-2024</i>	MATH
Krishnagiri, Archana	<i>Term: 2023-2024</i>	MATH
Coffin, Richard	<i>Term: 2023-2024</i>	PENS
Pecher, Ingo	<i>Term: 2023-2024</i>	PENS
Ahmed, Mohamed	<i>Term: 2023-2024</i>	PENS
Larkin, Patrick	<i>Term: 2023-2023</i>	PENS
Szczerbinska, Barbara (Chair)	<i>N/A</i>	Dean's Office

### **Student Members**

Swonke, Rosalynn	<i>Graduate</i>	PENS
Herrera, Emma	<i>Undergraduate</i>	PENS
Kaiser, Kyra	<i>Undergraduate</i>	PENS
VACANT	<i>Graduate</i>	MATH
VACANT	<i>Undergraduate</i>	MATH
VACANT	<i>Undergraduate</i>	MATH
Gan, Nin	<i>Graduate</i>	LSCI
Valdez, Fernanda Itzanami	<i>Undergraduate</i>	LSCI
Wilson, Austin	<i>Undergraduate</i>	LSCI

**Purpose or Function:** The committee advises the associate dean in determining the facts of grade appeal cases and attempt to reach a fair and appropriate resolution to the complaints.

**Membership:** The appointment of CGAC membership is left to the Departments. The hearing panel will consist of twelve (12) faculty members, one of whom will serve as chair, and nine (9) students. To allow for replacement of committee members unable to serve, or substitutions for any member of the committee who may have a conflict of interest or be in any way involved in a particular case, members of this committee will be chosen from a larger “central pool.”

**Selection:** Appointed by the department chair

**Term of Service:** One year.

**Duties Begin:** New members assume their duties on September 1 of the year in which they are elected or appointed.

**Chair:** Associate Dean for Academic Affairs

## Roster of College-Level Committee Membership Academic Year 2023-2024

### College of Science Field Operations Committee

**Selection:** Appointed by the chair/dean

*Appointed by Chair/Director/Dean*

*Term of Service: TBD*

Stunz, Greg	Chair	<i>Term: TBD</i>	HRI
Proffitt, Ed	Member	<i>Term: TBD</i>	LSCI
Coffin, Richard	Member	<i>Term: TBD</i>	PENS
Nicolau, Brien	Member	<i>Term: TBD</i>	CCS
Murgulet, Dorina	Member	<i>Term: TBD</i>	CWSS
Shope, Chris	Member	<i>Term: N/A</i>	Dean's Office
Spreen, Phil	Member	<i>Term: N/A</i>	Dean's Office

### College Emeritus Committee – 5 members

**Selection:** Appointed by the chairs and 2 appointed by the dean

*Appointed by the Chair/Dean*

*Term of Service: 3 years*

Proffitt, Ed	<i>Term: 2021-2024</i>	LSCI
Palaniappan, Devanayagam	<i>Term: 2021-2024</i>	MATH
Billiot, Eugene	<i>Term: 2021-2024</i>	PENS
Pollack, Jennifer	<i>Term: 2021-2024</i>	Dean's appointee
Huang, Lucy	<i>Term: 2021-2024</i>	Dean's appointee

**Purpose or Function:** Evaluates faculty applications for emeritus status and makes recommendations to the dean.

**Membership:** The committee consists of senior faculty members from each department and two dean's appointees. Department chairs and associate deans shall not serve on the committee.

**Selection:** Appointed by the chair of the department; the dean appoints two additional committee members including at least one emeritus scholar if possible

**Terms of Service:** Three years

**Duties Begin:** New members assume their duties on September 1 of the year in which they are elected or appointed.

**Chair:** Elected by the committee.

### Other Relative Documents

DEANS COMMITTEES: [COS Dean's Committee Roster](#)

COMMITTEES DESCRIPTIONS: [COS Committee Descriptions](#)

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