Bowdoin College

Faculty Committees for 2022-2023
September 20, 2022
Dates in parentheses indicate when term of service ends.

Special Committees

Presidential Search Committee

Faculty:
Sarah M. Harmon (June 2023)
Zach Rothschild (June 2023)
Shu-chin Tsui (June 2023)

Staff:
Eduardo Pazos Palma
Jamie White

Students:
Zubin J. Kenkare '23
Sarah M. Luehrmann '23

Trustees:
Sydney Asbury '03, co-chair
Bertrand Garcia-Moreno ’81, P’17, co-chair
Tejus Ajmera ’04
Katie R. Benner ’99
Michele G. Cyr ’76, P’12
Tyree P. Jones Jr. ’82
John F. McQuillan Jr. ’87
Scott B. Perper ’78
Mary Hogan Preusse ’90, P’23
Diana L. Spagnuolo ’96
Mitchell S. Zuklie ’91, P’21, P’23

Alumni Representative:
Michel Bamani ’08

Staff Liaison:
Elizabeth D. Orlic

Faculty Governance Committees

Committee on Appointments, Promotion and Tenure

Faculty:
Brock Clarke (June 2025)
Hadley W. Horch (June 2023), chair for Fall 2022
Jennifer Clarke Kosak (June 2024)
Samuel P. Putnam (June 2025)
Daniel F. Stone (June 2023)

Ex officio:
Jennifer Scanlon, Senior Vice President and Dean for Academic Affairs
Committee on Governance and Faculty Affairs

Faculty:
Oyman Basaran (June 2023)
Jack R. Bateman (June 2025), chair
Allison A. Cooper (June 2023)
Danielle H. Dube (June 2025)
Salar Michael Mohandesi (June 2024)
Jeffrey S. Selinger (June 2025)

Ex officio:
Jennifer Scanlon, Senior Vice President and Dean for Academic Affairs
Clayton S. Rose, President

Other Roles

Andrew C. Rudalevige, Faculty Parliamentarian (June 2023)
Jeffrey S. Selinger, Faculty Moderator (June 2023)
Jeanne Bamforth, Clerk of the Faculty

Curricular Committees

Curriculum and Educational Policy Committee

Faculty:
Sakura Christmas (June 2024)
Paul Franco (June 2023)
Aaron W. Kitch (June 2023)
Willi Lempert (June 2024)
Fernando Nascimento (June 2023)
Collin Roesler (June 2025)

Students:
Liam McNett '23
James Yoo '25
Stuart Howard '25 (alt.)

Ex officio:
Martina Duncan, Registrar
Jennifer Scanlon, Senior Vice President and Dean for Academic Affairs, chair
Dallas G. Denery, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs
Clayton S. Rose, President

Curriculum Implementation Committee

Faculty:
Cibele Freire (June 2024)
B. Zorina Khan (June 2025)
Strother E. Roberts (June 2023)
Maron W. Sorenson (June 2023; Spring semester only)
Thomas Pietraho (June 2025)
Shreyas Sreenath (December 2022; Fall semester only)
Birgit Tautz (June 2025)
Students:
Sydney Bonauto ’23
Cassy Scott ’25
Chunwen Ko ’25 (alt.)

Ex officio:
Kathryn Byrnes, Director of the Baldwin Center for Learning and Teaching
Martina Duncan, Registrar
Meredith McCarroll, Director of Writing and Rhetoric, as needed
Dallas G. Denery, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, chair
Christine Wintersteen, Director of International Programs and Off-Campus Study

Recording Committee

Faculty:
Henry Laurence (June 2024)
Liz Frances McCormack (June 2025)
Hilary J. Thompson (June 2024), chair

Students:
Ari Bersch ’25
Matthew Duthaler ’25
Jeremiah Brown ’23 (alt.)

Ex officio:
Martina Duncan, Registrar
Janet Lohmann, Senior Vice President and Dean for Student Affairs
Kristina Bethea Odejimi, Dean of Students
Dallas G. Denery, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, as liaison to CEP and CIC
Karen Topp, Faculty Liaison for Advising

Resources Committees

Committee on Teaching and Classroom Practice

Faculty:
Patrick J. Rael (June 2025), chair
Jessica LaVoice (June 2024)
Angel Daniel Matos (June 2024)
Elizabeth A. Stemmler (June 2025)
Naomi Tanabe (June 2025)

Staff:
Sherri Braxton, Senior Director for Digital Innovation
Kathryn Byrnes, Director of the Baldwin Center for Learning and Teaching
Juli Haugen, Digital Content and Accessibility Specialist
Stephen Houser, Senior Director of Academic Technology and Consulting
Erin Valentino, Associate Librarian for Research, Instruction and Outreach

Students:
TBD (2)

Ex officio:
Michael Cato, Senior Vice President and Chief Information Officer
Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, as needed
Faculty Development Committee

Faculty:
Morten K. Hansen (June 2023)
Stephen G. Naculich (June 2024), chair
Meghan K. Roberts (June 2025)
Jay Sosa (June 2025)

Ex officio:
Elizabeth Pritchard, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs

Lectures and Concerts Committee

Faculty:
Theo Greene (June 2025)
Michael F. Palopoli (June 2023), chair
Claire Robison (June 2023)

Staff:
Nate Hintze, Director of Student Activities and the David Saul Smith Union

Students:
TBD (2)

Ex officio:
TBD, Curator of the Bowdoin College Museum of Art
Michelle Morin, Assistant Director of Events and Summer Programs
Saari Greylock, Associate Director of Academic Budgets and Financial Planning
Whitney S. Hogan, Director of Residential Life
Christine P. Sullivan, Associate Director of Stewardship

Student Fellowships Committee

Faculty (temporarily overstuffed for 2022-2023):
Thomas W. Baumgarte (June 2025)
David B. Carlon (June 2024)
Charlotte Daniels (June 2025; Spring semester only)
Katherine L. Dauge-Roth (December 2022; Fall semester only), chair for Fall 2022
Gustavo E. Faveron Patriau (June 2024)
Tracy M. McMullen (June 2024)
Stephen J. Meardon (June 2023)
James J. Mullen (June 2025)
Samia Shabnam Rahimtoo (June 2025)
Davis R. Robinson (June 2025)
Dale Syphers (June 2024), chair for Spring 2023

Staff:
Aimee Eldridge, Laboratory Instructor in Biology
Sabrina Lin, Post-Baccalaureate Curatorial Assistant, Museum of Art
Erin Valentino, Associate Librarian for Research, Instruction and Outreach

Ex officio:
Elizabeth Pritchard, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs
Sarah Seames, Director of the McKeen Center for the Common Good
Cindy Stocks, Director of Student Fellowships and Research
Khoa Khuong, Associate Dean for Upperclass Students
Appeals, Grievances, Misconduct Committees

Faculty Appeals and Grievances Committee

*Faculty:*
Charles Dorn (June 2024)  
Crystal J. Hall (June 2023)  
Christopher R. Heurlin (June 2025)  
Abigail M. Killeen (June 2025)  
Robert G. Morrison (June 2025)  
Emily M. Peterman (June 2023)

Conduct Review Board

Vladimir Douhovnikoff (June 2023)  
Ann L. Kibbie (June 2024)  
Michael D. Nerdahl (June 2025)  
Matthew F. Stuart (June 2025)

*Students:*
TBD (several)

*Ex officio:*
Dean of Students or designee

Student Awards and Appeals Committee

*Faculty:*
David A. Collings (June 2025)  
Jens Klenner (June 2024)  
Vineet A. Shende (June 2023)  
Jean M. Yarbrough (June 2025)

*Students:*
TBD (4 plus 1 alternate)

*Ex officio:*
Janet Lohmann, Senior Vice President and Dean for Student Affairs, *chair*

Oversight: College Life Committees

Accessibility Task Force

*Faculty:*
Rachel Connelly (June 2025)  
Guy Mark Foster (June 2025)  
Alison Riley Miller (June 2025)

*Staff:*
Sharon Ames, Capital Projects Manager  
Kathryn Byrnes, Director of the Baldwin Center for Learning and Teaching  
Megan Hart, Legal Officer  
Marjorie Hassen, Director of the Bowdoin College Library
Juli Haugen, Digital Content and Accessibility Specialist
Stephen Houser, Senior Director of Academic Technology and Consulting
Melissa Kapocius, Visitor Experience and Operations Manager for Admissions
Callie Kimball, Academic Department Coordinator for Theater and Dance
Lesley Levy, Director of Student Accessibility
Cassandra Lindberg, Associate Registrar
Roland Mendiola, Director of Counseling Services
Matthew Orlando, Senior Vice President for Finance and Administration and Treasurer, chair
Mike Ranen, Associate Dean for Academic Administration
Lisa Rendall, Director of Housing Operations
Jennifer Snow, Educational Research Consultant
Tama Spoerri, Vice President for Human Resources
Kristin Steinman, Workers' Compensation and Wellness Administrator
Jen Swanda, Associate Director of Communications for Digital Strategy and Operations
Alice Wiercinski, Associate Director of Athletics

Students:
TBD (2)

Benefits Advisory Committee

Faculty:
Reed Johnson (June 2025)
Erik J. Nelson (June 2025)

Staff:
TBD (4)
Matthew Orlando, Senior Vice President for Finance and Administration and Treasurer, chair

Ex officio:
Mary C. Cote, Assistant Director of Benefits and Absence Management
Tama Spoerri, Vice President for Human Resources

Bowdoin College Museum of Art Advisory Council

Faculty:
Dana E. Byrd (June 2025)
Michael J. Kolster (June 2025)
Jennifer Taback (June 2025)
Susan Wegner (June 2023)

Co-Chairs:
Anne and Frank Goodyear, Co-Directors of the Bowdoin College Museum of Art
Eric Silverman ’85

Students:
TBD (2)

Others:
Alumni, trustees and others appointed by the President
TBD, Curator of the Bowdoin College Museum of Art
Jennifer Scanlon, Senior Vice President and Dean for Academic Affairs
Stephanie B. Frost, Senior Vice President for Development and Alumni Relations

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Committee for Faculty Diversity and Inclusion

Faculty:
Matthew J. Botsch (June 2024)
Barbara Weiden Boyd (June 2024)
Elena Cueto Asin (June 2023)
David M. Gordon (June 2024)
Jack O'Brien (June 2023), chair
Carolyn Wolfenzon (June 2023)
Mary Lou Zeeman (June 2023)

Ex officio:
Benje Douglas, Vice President and Interim Chief Diversity Officer
Elizabeth Pritchard, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs

Council of Mentors

Faculty:
Rachel J. Beane (June 2025), chair
Philip Camill (June 2024)
Pamela M. Fletcher (June 2025)
Belinda Kong (June 2025)
Elizabeth Muther (June 2024)
Allen Springer (December 2023; Fall semester only)

Library Committee

Faculty:
Jill Pearlman (June 2023)
Jill Suzanne Smith (June 2025), chair

Students:
TBD (2)

Ex officio:
Marjorie Hassen, College Librarian
A representative from IT

Oversight: Research and Safety Issues

Chemical Hygiene Committee

Faculty:
Ben Gorske (June 2024)

Staff:
Rene Bernier, Manager of the Bowdoin Science Center and Laboratory Safety, chair
Kenneth Dennison, Lab Instructor (Physics)
Emily Kallin, Instrument Support Technician (EOS)
Paulette Messier, Lab Instructor (chemistry)
Shana Stewart Deeds, Lab Instructor (biology)

Ex officio:
Charly Wojtysiak, Director of Environmental Health and Safety
Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC)  
* = voting member  

*Faculty:  
*Manuel Diaz-Rios (June 2023), **chair**  
*Amy Johnson (June 2024)  
*Scott Sehon (June 2025), nonscientist  

*Staff:  
*Ian Kyle, Assistant Director of the Bowdoin Scientific Station at Kent Island (June 2025)  
Cara Martin-Tetreault, Director of Sponsored Research  
Marko Melendy, Animal Welfare and Facilities Manager and IACUC/IBC Administrator  
Emily Murphy, Research Compliance Manager  
*Charly Wojtysiak, Director of Environmental Health and Safety  

*Others:  
*Kerry Collins, D.V.M., Attending Veterinarian  
*Angelica Stasolla, DVM, alternate Attending Veterinarian  
*Beth Bisson, community member  
*Steve Musica, community member  

Institutional Biosafety Committee (IBC)  
* = voting member  

*Faculty:  
*Jennifer Ann Honeycutt (June 2025), animal containment expert  

*Staff:  
*Anja Forche, Lab Instructor (neuroscience) (June 2025), **chair**, rDNA expert  
Cara Martin-Tetreault, Director of Sponsored Research  
Marko Melendy, Animal Welfare and Facilities Manager and IACUC/IBC Administrator  
Emily Murphy, Research Compliance Manager  
*Jaret S. Reblin, Lab Instructor (biology) (June 2024), plant expert  
*Charly Wojtysiak, Director of Environmental Health and Safety  

*Others:  
*Peter Countway (2025), community member  
*Edward Schmidt, M.D., (2024), community member  

Institutional Review Board (IRB)  
* = voting member  

*Faculty:  
*David K. Hecht  
*Matthew W. Klingle (June 2023)  
*Suzanne B. Lovett (June 2025)  
*Doris A. Santoro (June 2024), **chair**  

*Staff:  
Eric Berube, Information Technology Security Officer  
Cara Martin-Tetreault, Director of Sponsored Research  
Emily Murphy, Research Compliance Manager  
*Sue A. O’Dell, Science Librarian (June 2024)  
*Chloe Qian (June 2023)  

*Others:  
*Dave Nadeau (2024), community member  
*Anita Ruff (2024), community member
Radiation Safety Committee

Faculty:
Rachel J. Beane (June 2024)
Christopher Chong (June 2024)
Anne E. McBride (June 2025), chair

Staff:
Rene Bernier, Manager of the Bowdoin Science Center and Laboratory Safety
Martha Mixon, Instrument Support Technician

Ex officio:
Charly Wojtysiak, Director of Environmental Health and Safety

Working Group for 2022-2023

Working Group on Faculty and Department Meeting Times

Faculty:
Sean K. Barker
Nadia V. Celis, chair
Stephen McIsaac
Madeleine E. Msall

Staff:
Martina Duncan, Registrar, as needed

Trustee Committees with Faculty Representation

Representatives to the Meetings of the Board of Trustees

Faculty:
Danielle H. Dube (June 2023)
Salar Michael Mohandesi (June 2023)

Students:
Susu Gharib ’23
Francisco A. Adame Perez ’24

Representatives to the Trustee Academic Affairs Committee

Faculty:
Fernando Nascimento (June 2023)

Student:
Jacob C. Horigan ’24
Brian J. Ou ’24 (alt.)
Representatives to the Trustee Beyond Bowdoin Committee

Faculty:
John Kim (June 2023)

Student:
Kiley M. Briand ’25
Emmanuel A. Okyere ’25 (alt.)

Representatives to the Trustee Committee on Inclusion

Faculty:
Dharni Vasudevan (June 2023)

Student:
Ange C. Ishimwe ’25
Francisco A. Adame Perez ’24 (alt.)

Representative to the Trustee Investment Committee

Faculty:
Richard D. Broene (June 2023)

Representatives to the Trustee Resources Committee

Faculty:
Jim A. Higginbotham (June 2023)

Student:
Samuel L. L. Thomson ’24
Jacob C. Horigan ’23 (alt.)

Representatives to the Trustee Student Experience Committee

Faculty:
Ayodeji Brian Ogunnaike (June 2023)

Student:
Emmanuel A. Okyere ’25
Brian J. Ou ’23 (alt.)

Representatives to the Trustee Subcommittee on Honors

Faculty:
Meryem Belkaïd (June 2024)
Marilyn Reizbaum (June 2023)

Other Roles

Faculty Representative to the Alumni Council

Faculty:
Patricia L. Jones (June 2025)
Interdisciplinary Program Committees for 2022-2023

Asian Studies
Christopher Heurlin (Program Director), Hiroo Aridome, Sakura Christmas, Xiaoke Jia, John Kim, Belinda Kong, Henry Laurence, Ayami Morita, Claire Robison, Vyjayanthi Ratnam Selinger (on leave), Rachel Sturman (on leave – spring), Shu-chin Tsui, Peggy Wang, Jing Xie

Biochemistry
Benjamin Gorske (Program Director), Daniellle Dube, Aimee Eldridge, Kate Farnham, Bruce Kohorn, Anne McBride, Kana Takematsu

Environmental Studies (core ES faculty indicated in bold)
Connie Chiang (Program Director), Philip Camill, Frank Goodyear, Laura Henry, Guillermo Herrera, Eileen Sylvan Johnson, Patricia Jones, Susan Kaplan, Matthew Klinkle, Michael Kolster, Erik Nelson, Kristi Olson (on leave), Holly Parker, Keisha Payson, Jill Pearlman, Mary Rogalski, Allen Springer, Samia Shabnam, Shana Starobin (on leave-fall), Brandon Tate, Dharni Vasudevan, Anthony Walton

Cinema Studies
Ann Kibbie (Program Director), Allison Cooper, Elena Cueto-Asín, Birgit Tautz, Shu-chin Tsui

Gender, Sexuality, and Women’s Studies
Keona K. Ervin (Program Director), Margaret Boyle, Judith Casselberry, Nadia Celis, Rachel Connelly, Abigail Killeen, Angel Matos, Marilyn Reizbaum, Jill Smith, Joseph Jay Sosa

Latin American, Caribbean, and Latinx Studies
Margaret Boyle (Program Director), Germán Cárdenas-Alaminos, Karime Castillo, Nadia Celis, Ireri Chávez-Barcenas (on leave), Javier Cikota (on leave), Elena Cueto-Asín, Manuel Díaz-Rios, Gustavo Faverón-Patricia, Angel Daniel Matos, Irina Popescu, Jay Sosa, Sebastián Urli (on leave), Krista Van Vleet (on leave), Hanétha Vété-Congolo, Susan Wegner, Carolyn Wolfenzon Niego.
Contributing faculty: Donato Fhunsu, Adanna Jones, Ángel Saavedra Cisneros, Shana Starobin (on leave), Ayodeji Ogunnaike (on leave), Tulio Zille

Neuroscience
Manuel Díaz-Rios (Program Director), Patsy Dickinson (on leave), Jennifer Honeycutt, Hadley Horch, Amy Johnson, Erika Nyhus (on leave), Mary Lou Zeeman
General College Committees for 2022-2023

Bowdoin Administrative Staff (BAS) Steering Committee

Staff:
Lisa Beneman, (June 2024) **vice-chair**
Corey Colwill (June 2024)
Meagan Doyle (June 2023), **chair**
Kalan Lewis (June 2024)
Alex Libby (June 2023)
Alex Lloyd (June 2025)
Rachel Reinke (June 2023)
Jon Shaw (June 2025)

*Ex Officio:*
Tama Spoerri, Vice President for Human Resources
Denise Zavitz, Executive Assistant to the President

Support Staff Advocacy Committee (SSAC) Steering Committee

Staff:
Catia Cunha
Stephanie LeMieux
Rose Sullivan
Chris Toole
Kate Wing (June 2024)
Jamie White

*Ex Officio:*
Tama Spoerri, Vice President for Human Resources

Workplace Advisors

Mark Battle
Ryan Curran
Deborah Infante
Abigail Killeen
Lesley Levy
Delmar D. Small
Donna M. Trout