Bowdoin College

Faculty Committees for 2024-2025
July 18, 2024

Dates in parentheses indicate when term of service ends.

Institutional Committee

Workday Student Campus Transition Committee (CTC)

Faculty:
John Kim (June 2026)
Adam Levy (June 2026)
Madeleine Msall (June 2026)
Claire Robison (June 2026)

Staff:
Rachel Allen, Bursar
Lori Brackett, Senior Academic Department Coordinator and Liaison to the Office of the Dean for Academic Affairs
Dallas G. Denery, Associate Dean for Curriculum, co-chair
Martina Duncan, Registrar
Emy Farley, Workday and ERP Product Manager, co-chair
Peter Wiley, Senior Director of Institutional Research and Data Warehousing

Students:
Anika Sen ’26
Victor Ferreira Souza ’26

Ex officio:
Andy Birenzi, Senior Director of Enterprise Systems
Bernadette Williams-Looper, Workday Senior Project Manager

Faculty Governance Committees

Committee on Appointments, Promotion and Tenure

Faculty:
Meryem Belkaïd (June 2026)
Eric Chown (June 2027)
Brock Clarke (June 2025), chair for fall 2024
Andrew Rudalevige (June 2027)
Kana Takematsu (June 2026)

Ex officio:
Jennifer Scanlon, Senior Vice President and Dean for Academic Affairs

Committee on Governance and Faculty Affairs

Faculty:
Jack R. Bateman (June 2025)
Javier Cikota (June 2026)
Sarah Harmon (June 2026)
Carrie Scanga (June 2026), chair
Vineet Shende (June 2025)
Jay Sosa (June 2025)
Ex officio:
Jennifer Scanlon, Senior Vice President and Dean for Academic Affairs
Safa Zaki, President

Other Roles
Christopher Heurlin, Faculty Parliamentarian (June 2025)
TBD, Faculty Moderator (June 2025)
Jeanne Bamforth, Clerk of the Faculty

Curricular Committees

Curriculum and Educational Policy Committee

Faculty:
Matthew Botsch (June 2027)
Nadia Celis (June 2026)
Collin Roesler (June 2025)
Mary Rogalski (June 2025)
Emma Maggie Solberg (June 2026)
Shreyas Sreenath (June 2026)

Students:
Emma Gibbens ’25
Maya Lall ’27
James Yoo ’25 (alt.)

Ex officio:
Dallas G. Denery, Associate Dean for Curriculum
Martina Duncan, Registrar
Jennifer Scanlon, Senior Vice President and Dean for Academic Affairs, chair
Safa Zaki, President

Curriculum Implementation Committee

Faculty:
Barbara Elias (June 2026)
Zorina Khan (June 2025)
Erika Nyhus (June 2026)
Strother Roberts (June 2027)
Chandrika Sadanand (June 2025)
Carolyn Wolfenzon (June 2027)

Students:
Andrea Cordova-Cisneros ’26
Tony Gao ’26
Yeo Bondar ’27 (alt.)

Ex officio:
Kathryn Byrnes, Director of the Baldwin Center for Learning and Teaching
Dallas G. Denery, Associate Dean for Curriculum, chair
Martina Duncan, Registrar
John Paul Kanwit, Associate Director BCLT, Writing Program, as needed
Christine Wintersteen, Director of International Programs and Off-Campus Study

Recording Committee

Faculty:
Germán Cárdenas Alaminos (June 2025)
Eric Gaze (June 2027)
Janet Martin (June 2026), chair

Students:
Yeo Bondar ’27
Sofia Fogg ’26
Kelly Stevenson ’24 (alt.)

Ex officio:
Rachel Beane, Associate Dean for Faculty Recruitment and Pre-Major Advising
Dallas G. Denery, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, as liaison to CEP and CIC
Julie Grossi, Associate Registrar
Lisa Hardej, Associate Dean of Students for Case Management
Jim Hoppe, Senior Vice President and Dean for Student Affairs

Resources Committees

Committee on Teaching and Classroom Practice
(additional faculty members for 2024-2025 only)

Faculty:
Aliosha Barranco Lopez (June 2025)
Judith Casselberry (June 2027)
Abhilasha Kumar (June 2025)
Angel Matos (June 2025; spring semester only)
Maron Sorenson (June 2026)
Dale Syphers (June 2026), chair
Naomi Tanabe (June 2025)

Staff:
Kathryn Byrnes, Director of the Baldwin Center for Learning and Teaching
Sherri Castanzo, Senior Director for Digital Innovation
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:
Maja Keatley ’27
Daniel Lee ’27

Ex officio:
Peter Bae, Director of the Bowdoin College Library
Kristin Brennan, Executive Director of Career Exploration and Development
Michael Cato, Senior Vice President and Chief Information Officer
Eric Chown, Sarah and James Bowdoin Professor of Digital and Computational Studies
Mike Ranen, Associate Dean for Academic Administration
Dharni Vasudevan, Associate Dean for Faculty Development and Inclusion, as needed

Faculty Development Committee

Faculty:
Cibele Freire (June 2027)
Abigail Killeen (June 2027), chair
Stephen Meardon (June 2026)
Amnon Ortoll-Bloch (June 2025)

Ex officio:
Dharni Vasudevan, Associate Dean for Faculty Development and Inclusion
Lectures and Concerts Committee

Faculty:
Adanna Jones (June 2026)
Jill Pearlman (June 2026)
Tricia Welsch, (June 2025), chair

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

Students:
Yanevith Pena ’25
Nisi Tuitupou ’26

Ex officio:
Cassandra Braun, Curator of the Bowdoin College Museum of Art
China Reeves, 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
(additional faculty members for 2024-2025 only)

Faculty:
Duman B-Rad (June 2026)
Michael Danahy (June 2026)
Vladimir Douhovnikoff (June 2027)
David Gordon (June 2027) chair
Morten Hansen (June 2027)
Jennifer Honeycutt (starting spring ’25 semester; June 2027)
Patricia Jones (June 2026)
James J. Mullen (June 2025)
Samia Rahimtoola (June 2025)
Marilyn Reizbaum (December 2024; fall semester only)
Davis R. Robinson (June 2025)

Staff:
Aimee Eldridge, Laboratory Instructor in Biology
Dana Peirce, Laboratory Instructor in Physics
Erin Valentino, Associate Librarian for Research, Instruction and Outreach

Ex officio:
Rachel Beane, Associate Dean for Faculty Recruitment and Pre-Major Advising
Lisa Hardej, Assistant Dean of Case Management
Sarah Seames, Director of the McKeen Center for the Common Good
Cindy Stocks, Director of Student Fellowships and Research

Appeals, Grievances, Misconduct Committees

Faculty Appeals and Grievances Committee

Faculty:
Aviva Briefel (June 2027)
Dana Byrd (June 2027)
Christopher R. Heurlin (June 2025)
Mohammad Irfan (June 2027)
Barry Logan (June 2026)
Robert G. Morrison (June 2025)
Conduct Review Board
Tess Chakkalakal (June 2026)
Michael Nerdahl (June 2027)
Jack O’Brien (June 2026)
Matthew F. Stuart (June 2025)

Students:
Emi Blakely ’27
Janet Briggs ’25, co-chair
Henry Burnham ’27
Oscar Calle ’25
Avery Cutler ’26
Kevin Darko ’26
Tej Dhingra ’25
Jai Duval ’24
Noah Goldwasser ’27
Moana Gregori ’26
Rebeca Manzo ’27
Brim Peabody ’25, co-chair
Sam Stevenson ’26
Thomas Weller ’25

Ex officio:
Associate Dean of Student Affairs and Community Standards or designee

Student Awards and Appeals Committee

Faculty:
Sakura Christmas (June 2025)
Charlotte Daniels (June 2027)
Willi Lempert (June 2027)
Stephen Perkinson (June 2026)

Students:
TBD

Ex officio:
Jim Hoppe, Senior Vice President and Dean for Student Affairs, chair

Oversight: College Life Committees

Accessibility Task Force

Faculty:
Nasser Abourahme (June 2025)
Ireri Chávez-Bárcenas (June 2027)
Mark Foster (June 2025)

Staff:
Sharon Ames, Capital Projects Manager
Tina Chong, Assistant Director of the Baldwin Center, Academic Coaching
Megan Hart, Legal Officer
Peter Bae, 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
Rachel Reuling, Academic Department Coordinator for Biology and Neuroscience
Lesley Levy, Director of Student Accessibility
Cassaundra Lindberg, Associate Registrar
Matthew Orlando, Senior Vice President for Finance and Administration and Treasurer, chair
Mike Ranen, Associate Dean for Academic Administration
Lisa Rendall, Director of Residential and Housing Operations
Coral Sheldon-Hess, Library Web Services Developer
Jennifer Snow, Academic Technology Consultant
Tama Spoerri, Vice President for Human Resources
Kristin Steinman, Workers' Compensation and Wellness Administrator
Jen Swanda, Director of Communications for Digital Strategy and Operations
Alice Wiercinski, Associate Director, Athletic Coaches

Students:
Riley Nelson ’27
Siddhu Srivatsan ’27

Benefits Advisory Committee

Faculty:
Erik J. Nelson (June 2025)
Shana Starobin (June 2026)

Staff:
Kelly Irving, Administrative Coordinator, Security
Alex Libby, Senior Systems & Data Analyst
Alex Lloyd, Head Coach, Men’s Basketball
Michelle E. McDonough, Library Operations & Budget Administrator
Matthew Orlando, Senior Vice President for Finance and Administration and Treasurer, chair

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

Bowdoin College Museum of Art Advisory Council

Faculty:
Jackie Brown (June 2027)
Pamela Fletcher (June 2026)
Irina Popescu (June 2025)

Staff:
Heather Lee Krajewski, Senior Vice President for Development and Alumni Relations or delegate
Jennifer Scanlon, Senior Vice President and Dean for Academic Affairs

Students:
Audrey Fillion ’25
Cindy Dai ’27

Ex officio:
Cassandra Braun, Curator of the Bowdoin College Museum of Art
Anne and Frank Goodyear, Co-Directors of the Bowdoin College Museum of Art, co-chairs

Others:
TBD

Committee for Faculty Diversity and Inclusion

Faculty:
Mark Battle (June 2026)
Paul Franco (June 2025)
Crystal Hall (June 2026)
James Higginbotham (June 2025)
Ann Kibbie (December 2024; fall semester only)
Alison Miller (June 2026)
Elizabeth (Liz) Muther (June 2026)
Elizabeth Pritchard (June 2026)
Elizabeth (Beth) Stemmler (June 2026), chair

Ex officio:
Rachel Beane, Associate Dean for Faculty Recruitment and Pre-Major Advising
Benje Douglas, Senior Vice President for Inclusion and Diversity

Council of Mentors

Faculty:
Aretha Aoki (June 2027)
Thomas Baumgarte (June 2027)
Belinda Kong (June 2025), chair
Zachary Rothschild (starting spring semester ’25; June 2027)

Library Committee

Faculty:
Patrick Rael (June 2027)
Jill Suzanne Smith (June 2025), chair

Students:
Isabella Cunha ’26
Chloe Sheahan ’26

Ex officio:
Peter Bae, Director of the Bowdoin College Library
Representative from IT

Oversight: Research and Safety Issues

Chemical Hygiene Committee

Faculty:
Thomas Baumgarte (June 2027)

Staff:
Kenneth Dennison, Lab Instructor (Physics)
Emily Kallin, Instrument Support Technician (EOS)
Paulette Messier, Lab Instructor (chemistry)
Shana Stewart Deeds, Lab Instructor (biology)
Denny Tesfa, Manager of the Office of Laboratory Safety and Laboratory Instructor in Chemistry, chair

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

Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC)

* = voting member

Faculty:
*Mary Lou Zeeman (June 2027), chair
*William Jackman (June 2026)
*Scott Sehon (June 2025), nonscientist

Staff:
*Ian Kyle, Assistant Director of the Bowdoin Scientific Station at Kent Island (June 2025)
*Charly Wojtysiak, Director of Environmental Health and Safety
Emily Murphy, Research Compliance Manager, administrator

Others:
*Joanne Huyler, DVM, consulting Veterinarian
*Angelica Stasolla, DVM, alternate Veterinarian
*Beth Bisson, (2025), Associate Director, Maine Sea Grant, community member
*Steve Musica, (2027), President Lean East, community member

Institutional Biosafety Committee (IBC)
* = voting member

Faculty:
*Dave Carlon (June 2025), chair
*Anne McBride (June 2027)

Staff:
*Sandra Fussell, Lab Instructor (biology) (June 2027), DNA expert
*Charly Wojtysiak, Director of Environmental Health and Safety
Emily Murphy, Research Compliance Manager, administrator

Others:
*Peter Countway, PhD, (2025), Sr. Research Scientist, Bigelow Lab, community member
*Andrea Loeffler, M.D., (2027), Pediatrician, Northern Light Health, community member

Institutional Review Board (IRB)
* = voting member

Faculty:
*Hannah Reese (June 2026), chair
*Martin Abel (June 2025)
*Ángel Saavedra Cisneros (June 2025), nonscientist

Staff:
*Sue A. O’Dell, Science Librarian (June 2027)
*Chloe Qian, Research Analyst (June 2025)
*Cara Martin-Tetreault, Director of Sponsored Research, alternate member
Emily Murphy, Research Compliance Manager, administrator
Jeff Doring, Senior Director and Chief Information Officer, Information Technology, ex officio

Others:
*Dave Nadeau (2027), Insurance Account Executive (Retired), community member
*Anita Ruff (2027), Executive Director of Oasis Health Clinic, community member

Radiation Safety Committee

Faculty:
William Jackman (June 2027), chair
Karen Topp (June 2027)

Staff:
Martha Mixon, Instrument Support Technician
Denny Tesfa, Manager of the Office of Laboratory Safety and Laboratory Instructor in Chemistry

Ex officio:
Charly Wojtysiak, Director of Environmental Health and Safety
Working Group for 2023-2024

Working Group on Developing the New Pre-Major Advising Model
Rachel Beane, Associate Dean for Faculty Recruitment and Pre-Major Advising, co-chair

Faculty:
Katherine Dauge-Roth (June 2025), co-chair
Fe McBride (June 2025)
Rob Sobak (June 2025)

Staff:
Rebecca Banks, Administrative Coordinator, Office of the Dean for Academic Affairs
Martina Duncan, Registrar
Khoa Khuong, Associate Dean of Students

Students:
Ari Bersch ’25
Ruby Fyffe ’26

Ex officio:
Dallas Denery, Associate Dean for Curriculum
Juli Haugen, Digital Accessibility Consultant
Janie Porche, Creative Director, Communications

Working Group on the Tenure Review and the Tenure Appeals Procedures

Faculty:
Barbara Weiden Boyd (June 2025), chair
Christopher Chong (June 2025)
Laura Henry (June 2025)
Guillermo Herrera (June 2025)
Vyjayanthi Selinger (June 2025)

Trustee Committees with Faculty Representation

Representatives to the Meetings of the Board of Trustees

Faculty:
Sarah Harmon (June 2025)
Vineet Shende (June 2025)

Students:
Elliott Ewell ’27
Eisa Rafat ’25

Representatives to the Trustee Academic Affairs Committee

Faculty:
Matthew Botsch (June 2025)

Students:
Jonathan Li ’25
Abigail Martin ’26 (alt.)

Representatives to the Trustee Beyond Bowdoin Committee

Faculty:
Keona Ervin (June 2025)
Students:
Maxwell Payne ’26
Emmanuel Okyere ’25 (alt.)

Representatives to the Trustee Committee on Inclusion

Faculty:
Anne McBride (June 2025)

Students:
Nyla Danzy ’27
Emmanuel Okyere ’25 (alt.)

Representative to the Trustee Investment Committee

Faculty:
Salar Mohandesi (June 2025)

Representatives to the Trustee Resources Committee

Faculty:
Stephen Perkinson (June 2025)

Students:
Angelica Gordon ’27
Vincent Chen ’27 (alt.)

Representatives to the Trustee Student Experience Committee

Faculty:
Todd Berzon (June 2025)

Students:
Harper Stevenson ’27
Vincent Chen ’27 (alt.)

Representatives to the Trustee Subcommittee on Honors

Faculty:
Aretha Aoki (June 2026)
Henry Laurence (June 2025)

Other Roles

Faculty Representative to the Alumni Council

Faculty:
Doris Santoro (June 2026)