

ANNUAL REPORT

Technology Advisory Committee

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I. Executive Summary

In 2025-2026, the Technologies Advisory Committee was not presented with any items of business to discuss. The Committee confirmed the committee chair and elected a vice chair during the Fall 2025 semester.

II. The Committee's Charge (from the Shared Governance Document)

1. To serve as an advisory committee in the areas related to technology development, acquisition, and management including networks, cable television, telephone system, computer laboratories and systems
2. To gather information on areas related to technology development, acquisition, and management, and to assess university needs and performance in light of the information obtained
3. To propose changes in areas related to technology development, acquisition, and management including policies, procedures, and products used
4. To handle any proposals the committee may make affecting university policy according to section C.2 "Shared Governance Procedure for Policy Change Recommendations"
5. To submit a final written report electronically by the first day of the fall semester to the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs with a copy sent to the Chair of the SGEC

III. The Committee met on the following dates:

10/29/2025 – Meeting called to confirm chair and select a vice-chair.

IV. What were the Committee's actions and accomplishments this year relative to each of the items of the charge?

We elected vice-chair Dr. Beverly Russell.

V. What were the Committee's formal recommendations?

None for the 2025-2026 academic year.

VI. What does the Committee plan to accomplish?

A. In the coming year?

Dr. Beverly Russell will take over as committee chair for the 2026-2027 academic year.

B. In future years?

VII. What are the Committee's weaknesses?

Little to no activity in recent years.

A. What can the Shared Governance Committee help you do to address the weaknesses?

VIII. Comments

Dr. Shane Banks (*non-voting, by position*)
Ms. Hillary Coats (*Admissions/Registrar/Financial Aid staff, 2028*)
Dr. Achini Herath (*Business and Technology faculty, 2027*)
Dr. Hanna Howell (*Education and Human Sciences faculty, 2027*)
Mr. Ethan Humphres (*non-voting, by position*)
Dr. Tom Lukowicz (*Arts, Sciences, and Engineering faculty, 2026*)
Mr. Jeremy Martin (*Disability Support Services staff, 2028*)
Mr. John McGee (*non-voting, Educ. Technology Services representative*)
Mr. Mitch Moon (*by position*)
Mr. Damari Moore (*SGA, 2026*)
Dr. Dongqing Pan (*Arts, Sciences, and Engineering faculty, 2027*)
Ms. Penny Pitts (*by position*)
Dr. Beverly Russell (*Nursing and Health Professions faculty, 2028*)
Ms. Darlene Townsend (*Library faculty, 2026*)