



University at Buffalo

Faculty Senate

University Shared Governance

Faculty Senate Meeting Minutes  
May 16, 2023  
Hayes Hall

**Attendance:** see Appendix 1

### Call to Order

The chair, Fred Stoss, called the meeting to order at 3:01 pm and welcomed everyone to the meeting.

**Agenda:** The agenda for the day was approved unanimously.

1. Minutes from April 2023 /C. Tysick
2. President's Report/S. Tripathi
3. COACHE Survey/T. Baumstark and B. Granfield
4. Chair's Report/F. Stoss
5. SUNY FS Resolutions/F. Stoss
6. Presentation of [2023-24 FS Meeting Schedule](#)/F. Stoss

### Action Items

- [Minutes from April 2023](#) approved unanimously.
- [SUNY FS Resolutions](#) tabled until Fall 2023.

### Other Items

**Adjournment:** Meeting adjourned at 4:30pm

Faculty Senate Meeting  
Tuesday May 16, 2023  
3:00 - 4:30 p.m.

**CHAIR:**

Fred Stoss – ✓

**SECRETARY:**

Cindi Tysick – ✓

**PARLIAMENTARIAN:**

Pat Long- ✓

**ARCHITECTURE & PLANNING:**

Dean: Robert Shibley -

\*Kerry Traynor- ✓

Georg Rafailidis - Present

**COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES:**

Dean: Robin Schulze - ✓

\*Barbara Prinari – ✓

\*Kenneth Dauber –

\*Sampson Lee Blair –

\*Liana Vardi –

Wei Sun –

Jason Benedict –

Chad Lavin – ✓

Sara Metcalf – ✓

Kristin Stapleton – ✓

Michael Cowen –

Grady Gambrel – ✓

Harvey Palmer –

Julie Bowker – ✓

Justin Read –
Christopher Dennison – ✓
Eero Laine –
David Johnson –
Cari Casteel – ✓
Victoria Wolcott –
Lara Hutson –

<b>DENTAL MEDICINE:</b>
<b>Interim Dean: Stefan Ruhl -</b>
*Michelle Visser Kay –
Benita Sobieraj – ✓

<b>EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY CENTER:</b>
*Marsha Christiano – ✓

<b>ENGINEERING &amp; APPLIED SCIENCES:</b>
<b>Dean: Kemper Lewis - ✓</b>
*Paschalis Alexandridis –
*Marina Tsianou –
Julia Latorre –
Cecilia Hilde Martinez-Leon – ✓
Kallol Sett – ✓
Farah Percy Vandrevala –
Jose Walteros –
Junsong Yuan – ✓
Amy Baird – ✓
Sreyasee Das Bhattacharjee – ✓
Russ Miller –
Debanjan Sarkar – ✓
Sabanayagam Thevanayagam – ✓
Wenyao Xu –

<b>GRADUATE SCHOOL OF EDUCATION:</b>
<b>Dean: Suzanne Rosenblith -</b>

*Lilliam Malave Lopez – ✓
Blythe Anderson – ✓
Nicholas DiFrancesco- ✓
Stephanie Fredrick –
Janina Brutt-Griffler –

<b>LAW:</b>
<b>Dean: Aviva Abramovsky –</b>
*Mekonnen Ayano – ✓
Stephen Paskey –
Kim Diana Connolly –

<b>MANAGEMENT:</b>
<b>Dean: Ananth V. Iyer -</b>
*Prasad Balkundi –
Winston Lin –
Weihong Xu –

<b>MEDICINE &amp; BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES:</b>
<b>Dean: Allison Brashear -</b>
Thomas Melendy – ✓
David Shucard –
Yongho Bae – ✓
Marilou Ching –
Michael Duffey –
Michael Farkas –
Seth Glassman –
Michael Guppenberger –
Liise Kayler –
Yaron Perry – ✓
Spyridon Stavrou –
Supriya Mahajan –
Elizabeth Wohlfert –

Stephanie Anzman-Frasca – ✓
Praveen Chandrasekharan –
Richard Chou – ✓
D. Fernando Estrada – ✓
Michael Ferrick – ✓
Stuart Inglis – ✓
Vijay Iyer –
Yungki Park – ✓
Vaqar Shah –
Sandra Sieminski –
Pooja Sofat: Alt. Tom Covey – ✓

<b>NURSING:</b>
Dean: Annette Wysocki -
Jennifer Livingston – ✓
Darryl Somayaji – Present

<b>PHARMACY:</b>
Dean: Gary Pollack –
*Erin Slazak –
Raymond Cha –
Donald Mager – ✓

<b>PUBLIC HEALTH AND HEALTH PROFESSIONS:</b>
Dean: Jean Wactawski-Wende -
*Albert Vexler –
Vijaya Prakash K. Muthaiah –
Ekaterina Noyes: Alt. Rebecca Kranz – ✓
Deanna Hostler – ✓
Christopher Stavisky – ✓

<b>SOCIAL WORK:</b>
Dean: Keith Alford -

\*Peter Sobota – ✓

Annahita Ball –

#### UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES:

\*John Beatty – ✓

Natalia Estrada – ✓

#### SUNY SENATORS:

Kristin Stapleton – ✓

Amit Kandel –

Patrick Long – ✓

R.J. Multari – ✓

#### PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY AT BUFFALO:

Satish Tripathi – ✓

#### PROVOST OF THE UNIVERSITY AT BUFFALO:

Scott Weber – ✓

#### PROFESSIONAL STAFF SENATE:

Tim Tryjankowski – ✓

#### COUNCIL OF ADVOCACY AND LEADERSHIP (COAL):

A.J. Franklin – ✓

#### INVITED GUESTS:

Tilman Baumstark - ✓

#### UNIVERSITY LEADERSHIP:

Craig Abbey –

Amy Bisantz -

Beth Del Genio –

Robert Granfield – ✓

Graham Hammill –

Dan Kelly –
Evviva Lajoie -
William McDonnell –
Eileen Sherman –

<b>OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE:</b>
Nathaniel Dickson (English Dept. GA) – ✓