

**THE UNIVERSITY OF WINNIPEG  
SENATE COMMITTEES  
2024/2025**

**\*The Chancellor and the Chair of Senate are members Ex Officio of all Standing Committees of Senate.**

**Terms are for two years, beginning July 1 and ending June 30, except for *ex officio* members, who serve as long as they hold the position, and students, who serve one year terms. **Members who go on leave must resign from Senate Committees.****

**ACADEMIC MISCONDUCT APPEALS COMMITTEE**

	<u>TYPE</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Term Ends</u>
1	VP (Academic) or Deputy Provost and Associate VP (Academic) – Chair	Pavlina Radia	Ex Officio
2	Dean or Associate Dean, not the Chair or member of the Academic Standards and Misconduct Committee	Lesley Eblie Trudel	Ex Officio
3	Executive Director of PACE	Kim Loeb	Ex Officio
4	Faculty member of Senate, not a member of the Academic Standards and Misconduct Committee	Jeanette Bautista	2026
5	Faculty member of Senate, not a member of the Academic Standards and Misconduct Committee	Caleb Hasler	2026
6	Faculty member, not a member of the Academic Standards and Misconduct Committee	Karina Kachur	2025
7	Faculty member, not a member of the Academic Standards and Misconduct Committee	Desiree Vanderwel	2025
8	Faculty member, not a member of the Academic Standards and Misconduct Committee	Mary Adedayo	2026
9	Faculty member, not a member of the Academic Standards and Misconduct Committee	Katherine Breward	2026
10	UWSA Senator	<b>VACANCY</b>	

**ACADEMIC PLANNING COMMITTEE**

	<u>Type</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Term Ends</u>
1	VP (Academic) – Chair	Pavlina Radia	Ex Officio
2	VP (Research & Innovation)	Jitendra Paliwal	Ex Officio

3	Dean or Associate Dean	Hugh Grant	Ex Officio
4	Dean or Associate Dean	Laurie Hellsten	Ex Officio
5	Dean or Associate Dean	Tracy Whalen	Ex Officio
6	Registrar (non-voting)	Colin Russell	Ex Officio
7	Chair of the Curriculum Committee	TBD	Ex Officio
8	Member of the Curriculum Committee	TBD	Ex Officio
9	Faculty member – Humanities	Pauline Ripat	2025
10	Faculty member – Humanities	Mavis Reimer	2026
11	Faculty member – Social Sciences	Heather Souter	2025
12	Faculty member – Social Sciences	Michael Weinrath	2026
13	Faculty member – Sciences	Jennifer Jeffrey	2025
14	Faculty member – Sciences	Karina Kachur	2025
15	Faculty member-at-large as defined in Table 1	Fabrizio DiMuro	2026
16	Faculty member-at-large as defined in Table 1	Michael Dudley	2026
17	UWSA Senator	<b>VACANCY</b>	

### ACADEMIC STANDARDS AND MISCONDUCT COMMITTEE

	Type	Name	Term Ends
1	Associate Dean of Arts or Science – Chair	Anne-Laurence Caudano (Acting)	Deans Council
2	Registrar (non-voting)	Colin Russell	Ex Officio
3	Faculty member of Senate	Brandon Christopher	2025
4	Faculty member of Senate	Cathy Mattes	2025
5	Faculty member	Pauline Pearson	2025
6	Faculty member	Danielle Defries	2026
7	Faculty member	Ian Fraser	2026
8	Faculty member	Valerie Pelleck	2026
9	UWSA Senator	<b>VACANCY</b>	

### BUDGET REVIEW COMMITTEE

	Type	Name	Term Ends
1	Vice-President (Academic) co – Chair	Pavlina Radia	Ex Officio
2	Vice-President (Finance and Administration) co-Chair	Navinder Basra	Ex Officio
3	Dean or Associate Dean	Hugh Grant	Deans Council
4	Faculty Member of Senate	Bruce Bolster	2025
5	Faculty Member of Senate	<b>VACANCY</b>	
6	Faculty Member – Humanities	Yongshan He	2026
7	Faculty Member – Humanities	Peter Miller	2026
8	Faculty Member – Social Sciences	Sarah Heath	2025
9	Faculty Member – Social Sciences	Aaron Moore	2026
10	Faculty Member – Sciences	Scott Forbes	2025
11	Faculty Member – Sciences	Yaser Al Mtawa	2026

12	Faculty member-at-large as defined in Table 1	Brenton Button	2026
13	Faculty member-at-large as defined in Table 1	Amrita Ray Chaudhuri	2026
14	UWSA Senator	<b>VACANCY</b>	

### CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

	Type	Name	Term Ends
1	Faculty member – Humanities	Yongshan He	2025
2	Faculty member – Humanities	Celiese Lypka	2026
3	Faculty member – Humanities	<b>VACANCY</b>	
4	Faculty member – Social Sciences	Harinder Aujla	2025
5	Faculty member – Social Sciences	Stephen Penner	2025
6	Faculty member – Social Sciences	Ray Silvius	2025
7	Faculty member – Sciences	Esmat Elhami	2025
8	Faculty member – Sciences	<b>VACANCY</b>	
9	Faculty member – Sciences	<b>VACANCY</b>	
10	Faculty member-at-large as defined in Table 1	Grace O’Farrell	2025
11	Faculty member-at-large as defined in Table 1	Brianne Selman	2025
12	Faculty member-at-large as defined in Table 1	<b>VACANCY</b>	
13	Dean <b>or</b> Associate Dean	Tabitha Wood	Deans Council
14	Registrar	Colin Russell	Ex Officio

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

	Type	Name	Term Ends
1	Chair of Senate – Chair	Todd Mondor	Ex Officio
2	VP (Academic)	Pavlina Radia	Ex Officio
3	VP (Research & Innovation)	Jitendra Paliwal	Ex Officio
4	Dean	Jino Distasio	Ex Officio
5	Dean	Manish Pandey	Ex Officio
6	Faculty Member of Senate	Brandon Christopher	2025
7	Faculty Member of Senate	Peter Miller	2025
8	Faculty member of Senate	Anna Stokke	2025
9	Faculty member of Senate	Jane Barter	2026
10	Faculty member of Senate	Caleb Hasler	2026
11	Faculty member of Senate	Gyanendra Pokharel	2026
12	Faculty member of Senate	Chris Wiebe	2026
13	Faculty member of Senate	Sanoji Wijenayake	2026
14	Faculty member of Senate	<b>VACANCY</b>	
15	President of the UWSA	Tomiris Kaliyeva	2025

## FACULTY AND STAFF AWARDS COMMITTEE

	Type	Name	Term Ends
1	Chancellor (or delegate) - Chair	Barb Gamey	Ex Officio
2	VP (Academic)	Pavlina Radia	Ex Officio
3	Faculty member – Humanities	Jaqueline McLeod Rogers	2025
4	Faculty member – Social Sciences	Harry Strub	2026
5	Faculty member – Sciences	Payman Eskandari	2026
6	Faculty member-at-large as defined in Table 1	<b>VACANCY</b>	
7	Faculty Member	Jane Forsey	2026
8	Staff Representative	Lauren Bosc	2026
9	Alumni Representative	<b>VACANCY</b>	
10	UWSA Representative	<b>VACANCY</b>	
11	UWSA Representative	<b>VACANCY</b>	
12	Other members as appropriate and selected by the Committee	will vary	

## GRADUATE STUDIES COMMITTEE

	Type	Name	Term Ends
1	Dean of Graduate Studies – Chair	Manish Pandey (Acting)	Ex Officio
2	Graduate Program Committee Chair (or designate) - Applied Computer Science and Society	Sheela Ramanna	2024
3	Graduate Program Committee Chair (or designate) – Applied Economics	Stefan Dodds	2024
4	Graduate Program Committee Chair (or designate) – Criminal Justice	Michelle Bertrand	2025
5	Graduate Program Committee Chair (or designate) - Cultural Studies	Bruno Cornellier	2024
6	Graduate Program Committee Co-Chairs (or designate) - Environmental and Social Change	Matt Dyce	2025
7	Graduate Program Committee Chair (or designate) - Bioscience, Technology and Public Policy	Craig Willis	2024
8	Graduate Program Committee Chair (or designate) - Indigenous Governance	Mark Ruml	2024
9	Graduate Program Committee Chair (or designate) - History	Ryan Eyford	2025

10	Graduate Program Committee Chair (or designate) - Masters in Development Practice	<b>VACANCY</b>	Ex Officio
11	Graduate Program Committee Chair (or designate) - Masters in Management	Sylvie Albert	2024
12	Graduate Program Committee Chair (or designate) - Public Administration	Malcolm Bird	2024
13	Graduate Program Committee Chair (or designate) – Religious Studies, Theological Studies	<b>VACANCY</b>	
14	Graduate Program Committee Chair (or designate) - Peace and Conflict Studies	Saad Khan	2025
15	Graduate Program Committee Chair (or designate) - Marriage and Family Therapy	Narumi Taniguchi	Ex Officio
16	Faculty member (from a department not currently offering a graduate program)	Jake Bergen	2026
17	Faculty member (from a department not currently offering a graduate program)	Payman Eskandari	2026
18	Faculty member (from a department not currently offering a graduate program)	Andrew McGillivray	2026
19	Graduate student appointed by the UWSA	<b>VACANCY</b>	

### HONORARY DEGREES AND FELLOWSHIPS COMMITTEE

	<b>Type</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Term Ends</b>
1	Chair of Senate – Chair	Todd Mondor	Ex Officio
2	VP (Academic)	Pavlina Radia	Ex Officio
3	Dean or Associate Dean	Emma Hill Kepron	Ex Officio
4	Faculty member – Humanities	Adina Balint	2025
5	Faculty member – Humanities	Jane Forsey	2026
6	Faculty member – Social Sciences	Kimberley Ducey	2025
7	Faculty member – Social Sciences	Harry Strub	2026
8	Faculty member – Sciences	Sanoji Wijenayake	2026
9	Faculty member – Sciences	<b>VACANCY</b>	
10	Faculty member-at-large as defined in Table 1	Michael Dudley	2025
11	Faculty member-at-large as defined in Table 1	<b>VACANCY</b>	

12	Representative of the Board of Regents (external regent)	Bruce Miller	2025
13	Representative of the Alumni Association (non-voting)	<b>VACANCY</b>	
14	UWSA Senator	<b>VACANCY</b>	
15	Manager, Conference & Event Services (non-voting)	Susan Ewanika	Ex Officio

### INDIGENOUS COURSE REQUIREMENT COMMITTEE

	Type	Name	Term Ends
1	Faculty Member – Humanities	Mark Meuwese	2026
2	Faculty Member – Sciences	Nora Casson	2025
3	Faculty Member – Social Sciences	Heidi Rimke	2025
4	Faculty Member-at-large as defined in Table 1	<b>VACANCY</b>	
5	Faculty Member	Kimberley Ducey (Chair)	2025
6	Faculty Member	Devin Latimer	2025
7	Indigenous Academic Lead	<b>VACANCY</b>	Ex Officio
8	Member of UWSA Executive	<b>VACANCY</b>	Ex Officio
9	Registrar	Colin Russell	Ex Officio
10	Library Representative	Danielle Bitz	Ex Officio

### LIBRARY COMMITTEE

	Type	Name	Term Ends
1	Faculty member – Humanities	Heather Milne	2026
2	Faculty member – Sciences	<b>VACANCY</b>	
3	Faculty member – Social Sciences	Marcella Cassiano	2025
4	Faculty member-at-large as defined in Table 1	Fabrizio DiMuro	2026
5	Faculty member – not a librarian	Satyendra Singh	2026
6	Faculty member who is a librarian elected by and from the Librarians Committee	Sam Popowich	2025
7	Faculty member who is a librarian elected by and from the Librarians Committee	Christine Hoepfner	2025
8	Dean of the Library	Gabrielle Prefontaine	Ex Officio
9	Dean <b>or</b> Associate Dean	Anne-Laurence Caudano (Acting)	Deans Council
10	UWSA Senator	<b>VACANCY</b>	

**PROFESSIONAL, APPLIED AND CONTINUING EDUCATION COMMITTEE**

	<b>Type</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Term Ends</b>
1	Executive Director of PACE – Chair	Kim Loeb	Ex Officio
2	VP (Academic)	Pavlina Radia	Ex Officio
3	Dean <b>or</b> Associate Dean	Laurie Hellsten	Deans Council
4	A program coordinator from Professional, Applied and Continuing Education	Ken Molloy	Director PACE
5	Faculty member (at least one from Business & Economics)	Karen Magro	2025
6	Faculty member (at least one from Business & Economics)	Maryam Memar Zadeh	2025
7	Faculty member (at least one from Business & Economics)	<b>VACANCY</b>	
8	UWSA Senator	<b>VACANCY</b>	

**RESEARCH POLICY COMMITTEE**

	<b>Type</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Term Ends</b>
1	VP (Research & Innovation) – Chair	Jitendra Paliwal	Ex Officio
2	Dean <b>or</b> Associate Dean	Hugh Grant	Deans Council
3	Faculty member appointed by and from the Research Committee	Sara Good	2025
4	Faculty member who holds or has held an external major research grant in the last 8 years as determined by the Research Office – Humanities	Conor Whately	2026
5	Faculty member who holds or has held an external major research grant in the last 8 years as determined by the Research Office – Social Sciences	Justin Friesen	2026
6	Faculty member who holds or has held an external major research grant in the last 8 years as determined by the Research Office – Sciences	Ilian Smythe	2026
7	Faculty member-at-large as defined in Table 1 who holds or has held an external major research grant in the last 8 years as determined by the Research Office	<b>VACANCY</b>	
8	Assistant Professor	Melissa Funke	2026
9	Research Grants Officer (non-voting)	Lauren Bosc	Ex Officio

## STUDENT APPEALS COMMITTEE

	Type	Name	Term Ends
1	Associate Dean of Arts or Science – Chair	Tabitha Wood	Deans Council
2	Registrar (non-voting)	Colin Russell	Ex Officio
3	Faculty member of Senate	Christopher Brauer	2025
4	Faculty member of Senate	Samantha Cook	2025
5	Faculty member of Senate	Jens Franck	2026
6	Faculty member of Senate	Jaqueline McLeod Rogers	2026
7	UWSA Senator	Abrar Abdelmahmoud	2025
8	UWSA Senator	<b>VACANCY</b>	

## STUDENT SERVICES COMMITTEE

	Type	Name	Term Ends
1	Associate Vice-President, Student Engagement (Co-Chair)	Travis Greene	Ex Officio
2	Director of Awards and Financial Aid	Ryan Filteau	Ex Officio
3	Registrar (Co-Chair)	Colin Russell	Ex Officio
4	Associate Registrar – Recruitment and Admissions	<b>VACANCY</b>	Ex Officio
5	Dean or Associate Dean	Gabrielle Prefontaine	Ex Officio
6	Faculty member of Senate	Brandon Christopher	2025
7	Faculty member of Senate	Andrea Smith	2026
8	Faculty member (who need not be a member of Senate)	Jeff Billeck	2026
9	Faculty member (who need not be a member of Senate)	Harry Strub	2026
10	Graduate Studies Officer	Carolyn Garland	Dean Grad Studies
11	UWSA Senator	Abrar Abdelmahmoud	2025
12	One student representative selected by the UWSA	<b>VACANCY</b>	

## SENATE REPRESENTATIVES ON OTHER BODIES

### 1) BOARD OF REGENTS

	Type	Name	Term Ends
1	Faculty member of Senate	Brandon Christopher	2026
2	Faculty member of Senate	Ryan Eyford	2026
3	Faculty member of Senate	Jens Franck	2027
4	Faculty member of Senate	Chris Wiebe	2027

2) JOINT U of W/U of M COMMITTEE ON MASTERS PROGRAMS

	<b>Type</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Term Ends</b>
1	Dean of Graduate Studies	Manish Pandey (Acting)	Ex Officio
2	Faculty member of Senate who is not from a department offering a JMP	<b>VACANCY</b>	
3	Faculty member in a JMP	Erin Millions	2025
4	Faculty member in a JMP	Aaron Moore	2026
5	Graduate student in JMP	<b>VACANCY</b>	