

CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT COMMITTEES 2018/2019

ACADEMIC OPERATIONS COUNCIL

(Elected and Appointed) Advises the head and serves as his or her resource for long-range planning and policy issues relevant to the academic operations of the Department.

Associate Department Head: Hughbanks, T.*		Department Head: North, S.
Graduate Advisor: Hilty, C. (Alternate: Lim, S.)		Undergraduate Advisor: Gaede, H.
APT Faculty Representative: Ryan Bethel (Alternate: Organic Lab Representative: Schaefer, A. First Year Program Representative: Hughbanks, T. Analytical Division Representative: Son, D. H. (Alternate: Batteas, J.) Biological Division Representative: Liu, W (Alternate: Begley, T.) Inorganic Division Representative: Ozerov, Oleg (Alternate: Zhou, J.) Organic Division Representative: Bergbreiter, D. (Alternate: Singleton, D.) Physical/Nuclear Division Representative: Hilty, C. (Alternate: Lucchese, R.)		
<i>Ex officio</i> non-voting members: Ron Carter	President, GSAC	President Undergraduate ACS Student Affiliates

ACS STUDENT AFFILIATE CHAPTER

Provides support and guidance to officers and members of the local ACS Student Affiliate Chapter. Advises and encourages the spread of general understanding of chemistry to the community. Provides information about career opportunities in the field of Chemistry and professional development for members.

McCartney, Stephanie*

DIVERSITY/CLIMATE COMMITTEE

Designs, implements, and evaluates programs and initiatives that enhance departmental climate, diversity and equity for all.

Vacant staff	Gaede, H.	McLaughlin, V.	Ozerov, O.	Pellois, J.	Reibenspies, J.	Watanabe, C.*
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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Reviews major departmental actions and make recommendations to the Department Head and serve as a resource for long-range planning and policy issues. Reviews requests and allocates laboratory space within the Department.

Analytical: Russell, D. (2020)	Biological: Barondeau, D (2021)	Inorganic: Hall, M. (2020)
Organic: Wooley, K. (2019)		Physical: Son, D.H. (2020)
At-Large: Ozerov, O. (2021)		At-Large: Raushel, F. (2019)

FACULTY & STAFF TEACHING/SERVICE AWARDS COMMITTEE

Solicits and reviews nominations of Chemistry faculty and staff members for internal and University-level administered awards.

Barondeau, D.	Bergbreiter, D.	Gaede, H.	Rosynek, M.	Schweikert, E.*	Yennello, S.	Carter, R.
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FACULTY RESEARCH AWARDS COMMITTEE

Solicits and reviews nominations of Chemistry faculty members for awards from external professional societies.

Banerjee, S.	Batteas, J.	Burgess, K.*	Darensbourg, M.	Raushel, F.
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FACULTY/GRADUATE STUDENT WORKING GROUP

Provide a forum for all Graduate Students, via their elected GSAC representatives, to voice their concerns and opinion regarding issues of interest to Graduate Students. Provide information flow from Chemistry Department Administration to the Graduate Students.

Barondeau, D.	Fang, L.	North S.	Ozerov, O.	Pellois, J.	Sczepanski, J.
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GRADUATE ADMISSIONS AND REVIEW COMMITTEE

Establishes and periodically reviews departmental standards for admission of prospective graduate students; reviews academic records and qualifications of marginal applicants and makes appropriate recommendations to Graduate Advisor; reviews progress of probationary graduate students and makes recommendations to Graduate College.

Begley, T.	Liu, W.	Ozerov, O.*	Lim, S.	Powers, D.	Sheldon, M.	Singleton, D.	Son, D.
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GRADUATE AWARDS COMMITTEE

Reviews and identifies nominees, from among graduate students for various awards, fellowships, and honors.

Darensbourg, M.	Laganowsky, A.	Lindahl, P.	Lim, S.	Russell, D.	Singleton, D.*
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GRADUATE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

Establishes and reviews departmental standards related to graduate instructional programs; periodically reviews departmental policies regarding cumulative examinations, degree programs, student research proposals, and course requirements; reviews faculty proposals for new graduate courses.

Barondeau, D.	Burgess, K	Hilty, C.*	Hughbanks, T.	Lim, S.	Sheldon, M.
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INDUSTRIAL OUTREACH COMMITTEE

Serves to establish and nurture mutually beneficial relationships between the department and private industry. These relationships span the range from sponsored research to engaging alumni in industrial positions, student support, and internships.

Banerjee, S.*	Bluemel, J.	Fang, L.	Schweikert, E.
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INFORMATION & COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE (ICTC)

Serves as an advisory panel to formulate the departmental policies of information and communications technology.

Hall, M.	Hilty, C.	Nippe, M.	Rosynek, M.	Steve Tran*
Mike Green	Davon Kostroun	Lisa Perez	Joe Reibenspies	

LIBRARY LIAISON

Solicits, reviews, and expedites chemistry-related acquisitions by University and Libraries.

Burgess, K (Liaison)

PROMOTION AND TENURE COMMITTEE

(Elected) Reviews instructional/research performances and professional activities of departmental lecturers and tenure-track faculty members; advises Department Head on promotion, tenure, emeriti and appointment recommendations.

Analytical: Schweikert, E. (2021)	Biological: Liu, W. (2021)	Inorganic: Darensbourg, M. (2020)
Organic: Bergbreiter, D. (2019)	Physical: Rosynek, M. (2019) *	
At-Large: Gabbai, Francois (2021)	At-Large: Banerjee, S. (2020)	

RESEARCH INFRASTRUCTURE COMMITTEE

Provide guidance to the existing research infrastructure as well as develop plans for future needs.

Batteas, J.	Begley, T.	Dunbar, K.	Gabbai, F.**	Gladysz, J.*	Lindahl, P.
Reibenspies, J.	Wang, Bo	Wooley, K.	Wylie, G.	Zhou, H.	

**Acting Chair while Chair is on FDL.

SAFETY COMMITTEE

Promotes a culture of safety in the department; engages faculty in safety issues associated with both research and teaching labs.

Bergbreiter, D.	Gladysz, J.	Hilty, C.	Liu, W.	
Nippe, M.	Rosynek, M.*	Ron Carter	T. Malinski	M. Cosio

SEMINAR COMMITTEE

Organizes, coordinates, and supervises all colloquium and seminar requests.

Barondeau, D.	Darensbourg, D.	Fang, L.	Son, D.H.*
Divisional Seminar Coordinators:			
Analytical/Physical: Evamarie Capareda Biological: Andrea Scott		Inorganic: Monica Gonzales Organic: Briana McKnight	

STAFF ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Serves the Head in an advisory capacity on a regular basis; represents the staff in the governance of the department. This committee serves as a communication link between the staff, faculty, and department administration. Member elections and appointments are self-governed.

Vacant	Steve Tran	Bill Merka	Valerie McLaughlin*	Lindsey Williams	Travis McCartney
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UNDERGRADUATE AWARDS COMMITTEE

Reviews and identifies nominees, from among undergraduate chemistry majors, for various awards, scholarships, and honors.

Bluemel, J	Brown, L	Darensbourg, D.	Fang, L.	Gaede, H.*	Mawk, E.	Schaefer, A.	Laane, J.
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UNDERGRADUATE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

Reviews curricula and requirements of undergraduate B.A. and B.S. chemistry majors; plans program modifications and improvements.

Begley, T.	Folden, C.	Gaede, H.*	Hughbanks, T.	Lim, S.	Singleton, D.
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WEBSITE COMMITTEE

Manages and maintains all matters pertaining to the departmental web site; content, design and overall functionality.

Darensbourg, M.	Hilty, C.	Mawk, J.	Powers, D.	Mike Green*	Valerie McLaughlin
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2018-19 SEARCH COMMITTEES

THEORETICAL AND COMPUTATIONAL

Banerjee, S.*	Hall, M.	Hilty, C.	Singleton, D.
Sheldon, M.	Yennello, S.		

SEARCH COMMITTEE

Fang, L.	Gabbai, F.*	Liu, W.	Powers, D.
Sczepanski, J.			