



Scholarship and Creative Activities Taskforce (ad hoc)

The Executive Committee of the Academic Senate is forming a task force with faculty across disciplines charged with addressing Weighted Teaching Units (WTUs) and how they are allocated for instructional activities but not scholarship and creative activities, despite the expectation that faculty engage in such activities for retention, tenure, and promotion. The task force should examine differences in support for scholarship and creative activities across different colleges within the university and make recommendations to address disparities in workload. Report to the Senate by the end of Spring 2025.

Structure: FAC Chair, five tenured faculty (one from each college and one librarian) appointed by the EC, one CFA representative, and AVP Faculty Affairs. Candidates to make a brief statement why they want to be on the task force. See EC minutes 8/27/2024.

	Name	Department	Term
Chair of Faculty Affairs Committee (FAC)	Zachary Zenko (Chair)	Kinesiology	Formed in Fall 2024
One (1) Tenured faculty member from AH	Maryann Parada	Modern Languages and Literature	
One (1) Tenured faculty member from BPA	Jing Wang	Accounting	
One (1) Tenured faculty member from NSME	Kathy Szick	Biology	
One (1) Tenured faculty member from SSE	Brittany Beck	Teacher Education	
One (1) Tenured Librarian	Kristine Holloway	Library	
CFA President or designee	Tracey Salisbury	Ethnic Studies	
AVP for Faculty Affairs	Debbie Boschini	Academic Affairs	