

Lincoln University 2020 – 21 Faculty Standing Committees

Chair member's names are in bold

Admissions, Academic Standing and Financial Aid (4 at-large comprised of 3 undergraduate and 2 graduate)

Elected: Abel Ayele (2023), Saurabh Gayen (2023), Christine Limb (2021), Daryl Zizwe Poe (2021)

Standing: Director of the Graduate Center (Oswald Richards), the Associate Vice President for Enrollment Management (Kimberly Taylor-Benns) or designee, the Registrar (Cathy Rutledge) or designee, the Director of Financial Aid (Kim Anderson) or designee, and the Director of Academic Advising Center (Evelyn Poe) or designee, 3 Students:

- Z'Sakina Jackson zsakina.jackson@icloud.com
- Josephine Nimely josephine.nimely@lions.lincoln.edu
- Bazit Adebisi bazit.adebiyi@lions.lincoln.edu

Assessment and Evaluation (1 from each college, 1 from library, 1 graduate faculty)

Elected: Saurabh Gayen (2023), Juan Martinez Millan (2023), Melina McConatha (2023), Tayibah Behmiah, (2022), Sophia Sotilleo (2022)

Standing: Vice President for Academic Affairs (Dr. Patricia Joseph), Director of Assessment (Nancy Smith), Director of Director of the Center for Teaching and Learning (CETL) (Fred-Rick Roundtree), 1 Alumnus on staff (Martin Harrison), 1 undergraduate student and 1 graduate student:

- Czaria Reid czariareid@gmail.com
- **1 graduate student Needed**

Athletics (3 at-large)

Elected: Chasity Brown (2023), Linton Williams (2023), Jennifer McCarthy (2022)

Standing: **Faculty Athletics Representative (Dana Flint / Chair)**, Director of Athletics (Harry Stinson), and 3 students:

- Cedar Davidson cedar.davidson@lions.lincoln.edu
- Paige Harris paige.harris@lions.lincoln.edu
- Jasmin Lewis jasmin.lewis@lions.lincoln.edu

Campus Activities* (5 at-large, Head Librarian or designee, the Chaplain)

*This committee has been created by combining two former committees: *Lectures and Recitals* and *Religious Activities*. Please see Faculty By-Laws Article V, Section 5.09 approved by Faculty on April 23, 2019 and the Board of Trustees on February 8, 2020.

Elected: Nora Lynn Gardner (2023), Chieke Ihejirika (2023), Gervais Gnaka (2021), Charles Pettaway (2021), Amar Tung (2021).

Standing: Director of Libraries (Sophia Sotilleo, Interim Director of Libraries), University Chaplain (Rev. Faison), 4 students:

- Tanysha Young tanysha.young@lions.lincoln.edu
- Sage Poole sage.poole@lions.lincoln.edu
- Lawrion Anderson lawrion.anderson@lincoln.edu
- Anisah Barber anisah.barber@Lincoln.edu

Curriculum (1 from each college, 1 graduate faculty)

Elected: Jeffrey Chapp (2023), **William Dadson** (2021), Patricia Lewis-West (2021), Andrey Semichaevsky (2022)

Standing: Vice President for Academic Affairs (Dr. Patricia Joseph) or designee, Registrar (Cathy Rutledge), 2 students:

- Ameenah Muhammad ameenah.muhammad@lions.lincoln.edu
- Zechariah Stephens zechariah.stephens@lions.lincoln.edu

Distance Learning (1 from each college and 1 at-large. A minimum of 2 of the elected faculty members must be trained in online learning and have taught at least one online or hybrid course.)

Elected: Ranjan Naik (2023), Chastity Brown (2021), **Lukas Pelliccio** (2021), Dafan Zhang (2023)

Standing: Director of the Center for Teaching and Learning (CETL) (Fred-Rick Roundtree), Chief Operating Officer, Office of Information Technology (Justin McKenzie) or designee, Registrar (Cathy Rutledge)

Educational Policies (1 from each college, 1 graduate faculty, 1 at-large)

Elected: Penglong Xu (2023), Solomon Caudle (2023), Carmen Brookins-House (2021), James Wadley (2021), Chieke Ihejirika (2022)

Standing: **Chair, Vice President for Academic Affairs (Dr. Patricia Joseph)**, 2 students:

- Nazriah Purnell nazriah.purnell@lions.lincoln.edu
- Briyah West briyah.west@lions.lincoln.edu

Faculty By-Laws (3 at-large)

Elected: **Claude Tameze** (2021), Sema Hande Ogutcu-Fu (2021), Maiko Arichi (2022)

Faculty Council (all are 1 year terms – 2021)

Karen Baskerville, Jean Bernard Cerin, William Donohue, Carla Gallagher, Emmanuel Ihejirika, Lucas Pelliccio, Sophia Sotilleo, Patricia Lewis–West

Faculty Research and Development* (1 from each college, 1 graduate faculty, 3 at-large, 1 from library, the Vice President for Academic Affairs)

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Elected: Penglong Xu (2021), Emmanuel Ihejirika (2021), Jessica Garner (2022), Uzoma Chikwem (2021), Christina Kerns (2021), Andrey Semichaevsky (2022), Teresa Powell (2021), **Susan Safford (2023)**

Standing: Vice President for Academic Affairs designee: (Marion Bernard-Amos), 2 students:

- Jordan Green jordan.green@lions.lincoln.edu
- Tarik Tsegaye tarik.tsegaye@lions.lincoln.edu

General Education (2 from each college—1 from each college must have General Education instructional responsibilities, 1 from library, 2 at-large)

Elected: Jessica Garner (2023), Admasu Tucho (2023), David Amadio (2021), Carmen Brookings-House (2021), Dana Flint (2021), **Anna Hull (2021)**, Andrey Semichaevsky (2021), Marilyn Button (2022) Hope Dameron (2022), Christopher Owens (2022).

Standing: Vice President for Academic Affairs designee: Director of the Center for Teaching and Learning (CETL) (Fred-Rick Roundtree), Dean of the Faculty, Dr. Patricia Joseph, 1 student:

- Destiny Queen destiny.queen@lions.lincoln.edu

Graduate Studies (1 from each graduate program)

Elected: Admasu Tucho (2023), Emmanuel Ihejirika (2022), Kevin Favor (2023)

Standing: Vice President for Academic Affairs designee: Oswald Richards, Chairs of the Education (Teresa Powell), Business and Entrepreneurial Studies (William Dadson), and Psychology and Human Services departments (Lennell Dade), Directors of all graduate programs, Registrar (Cathy Rutledge), Director of Graduate Student Services and Admissions (Jernice Lea), 2 graduate students:

- 2 graduate students needed

Honors, Awards and Honorary Degrees (6 at - large)

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Elected: Denise Gaither-Hardy (2023), Charles Pettaway (2021), Saurabh Gayen (2022), Sam Williams (2022), **Carla Gallagher (2022)**, Teresa Powell (2022). *Presidential appointments (3)* James Wadley, Karen Baskerville, Robert Millette. *Standing:* Horace Mann Bond Program Director: D. Zizwe Poe, 4 students:

- Etana Laing etana.laing@lions.lincoln.edu
- Gloryjah Robinson gloryjah.robinson@lions.lincoln.edu
- Jenai Patrick jenai.patrick@lions.lincoln.edu
- Cinnaya Demby cinnaya.demby@lions.lincoln.edu

Judicial Review (3 tenured non-administrative faculty, 1 alternate)

Elected: Kevin Favor (2023), Moses Haimbodi (2021), **Claude Tameze (2022)**, *Alternate:* Tong Banh (2021)

Juridical Review (3 at-large)

Elected: Tedra Booker (2023), Kaukab Siddique (2021), Jennifer McCarthy (2022)

Standing: 4 students:

- Gregory Young greg.young@lions.lincoln.edu
- Taylor Clark taylor.clark@lions.lincoln.edu
- Heaven Lassiter heaven.lassiter@lions.lincoln.edu
- Ezekiel Quattlebaum ezekiel.quattlebaum@lions.lincoln.edu

Library and Information Technology (two from each college, one from the library, and one from the graduate faculty, the Head Librarian, the Chair of the Mathematics Department, the Chair

of the Computer Science Department, the Director of IT, the Director of Academic Technology Support, the Associate VP for External Relations, Marketing & Communications)

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Elected: Christina Kerns (2023), Marcus Norman (2021), Melina McConatha (2021), Admasu Tucho (2022), Brandi Berry (2021), Uzoma Chikwem (2021), John Cuda (2021), Emmanuel Ihejirika (2021)

Standing: Director of Libraries (Sophia Sotilleo, Interim Director of Libraries), *Standing:* Chair of the Mathematics (Claude Tameze) and Computer Science Department (Ali Barimani), the Director of IT, the Director of Academic Technology Support, the Associate VP for External Relations, Marketing & Communications, 4 students:

- Nya Bell nya.bell@lions.lincoln.edu
- Norrasia Bacon norrasia.bacon@lions.lincoln.edu
- Mary-Pearl Ojukwu marypearl.ojukwu@lions.lincoln.edu
- Faith Nimely faith.nimely@lions.lincoln.edu

Nominations (1 from each college—the nomination for this committee is to be made at the January faculty meeting each year)

Elected: **Christine Limb (2021)**, Maiko Arichi (2023), Admasu Tucho (2023)

Pre-Tenure Review (3 Tenured Faculty-Any School)

Elected: **William Donohue (2022)**, Carla Gallagher (fall 2020), Amar Tung (2022)

Post-Tenure Review (1 from each college, 1 from library, 1 graduate faculty, 1 appointed by the Vice-President for Academic Affairs. All members of this committee must be tenured faculty and cannot serve in a year in which they are being evaluated.)

Elected: Dana Flint (2023), James Wadley (2021), Moses Haimbodi (2023), Sophia Sotilleo (2023)

Promotion, Tenure and Severance (1 from each college with permanent tenure and Professor rank. The chair of the committee has most senior rank, alternate from same college going off in 2016.)

Elected: **Abbes Maazaoui (2021)**, James Wadley (2022), *Alternate:* John Chikwem (2023), Gwinyai Muzorewa (2024)

Student Health and Welfare (5 at-large)

Elected: Tedra Booker (2023), Uzoma Chikwen (2023), Denise Brown (2023), Courtney Haywood (2021), **Melina McConatha (2022)**

Standing: 2 Student Affairs administrative officers, Dr. Fredrick Faison, Brian Dubenion, Director of Health Services, Velva Greene-Rainey, 6 students:

- Kiara Fischer kiara.fischer@lions.lincoln.edu
- Heaven Lassiter heaven.lassiter@lions.lincoln.edu
- Onaje Cunningham onaje.cunningham@lions.lincoln.edu
- Brittany Amadi brittany.amadi@lions.lincoln.edu
- Jada Thompson jada.thompson@lions.lincoln.edu
- Xhave Jackson xhavezaire.jackson@lions.lincoln.edu

Study Abroad (1 from each college, 1 graduate faculty, 1 foreign language faculty, one from the International Relations program, the director of the Horace Mann Bond Honors Program or a designee, the Dean of Students or designee, one representative from each of the following offices: Registrar's Office, Financial Aid and Enrollment, and two students who have studied abroad. The Director of the Office of International Programs and Services and the Study Abroad Academic Advisor will serve as ex officio members.)

Elected: Jean Bernard Cerin (2023), Thomas Gluodenis (2023), Emmanuel Ihejirika (2023), **Nora Lynn Gardner (2023)**, Sema Hande Ogutchu-Fu (2023) 2 students:

- Braulio Carvanta braulio.cervantes@lions.lincoln.edu
- Chinweotito Ihejirika chinweotitio.ihejirka@lions.lincoln.edu

Writing (6 at-large that includes 1 from library, the Director of English Composition Program, 1 Writing Lab staff member)

Elected: Tiffanie Smith (2023), David Amadio (2021), Simone Clunie (2021), Carmen Brookins- House (2021), Christopher Owens (2021), Hope Dameron (2022) Standing Members: William Donohue (Director of Freshman Composition), **Samaa Gamie (WRC and WPP Director)**
Standing: 1 student that has passed the WPE:

- Brielle Thornton brielle. thornton@lions.lincoln.edu

Faculty Secretary (1-year term)

Elected: Juan Martinez Millan (2021)

Parliamentarian (1-year term)

Elected: Dafan Zhang (2021)

Non-Voting Representative to the Board of Trustees (2-year term):

Elected: Emmanuel Babatunde (2021)