

**NC STATE UNIVERSITY**  
**Faculty Senate Meeting Agenda**  
Regular Meeting No. 6 of the 68th Session  
October 26, 2021 at 3:00 p.m.  
FacultySenate.ncsu.edu  
[Via Zoom Webinar](#)

1. **Call to Order and Announcements**  
RaJade M. Berry-James, Chair of the Faculty
2. **Approval of the Meeting Minutes (September 28, 2021 & October 12, 2021)**  
Maria Collins, Associate Chair of the Faculty
3. **Chair's Remarks**  
RaJade M. Berry-James, Chair of the Faculty
4. **Provost's Remarks, Q&A**  
Warwick Arden, Executive Vice Chancellor and Provost
5. **Academies, Institutes and Centers: Interdisciplinary Research Supporting Faculty Excellence, Q&A**
  - a. Data Science Academy - Rachel Levy, Professor and Executive Director
  - b. Center for Family and Community Engagement - Kwesi Craig C. Brookins, Professor and Director
  - c. North Carolina Sea Grant College Program - Susan White, Executive Director
  - d. Genetics & Genomics Academy - Fred Gould, William Neal Reynolds Professor and Co-Director
6. **Committee Updates**
  - a. Academic Policy Committee - Co-Chairs Lisa Bass-Freeman & Paul Williams
  - b. Governance, Communications, and Recruitment Committee - Co-Chairs Megan Jacob & Barbara Kirby
  - c. Personnel Policy Committee - Co-Chairs Jennifer Kuzma & Herle McGowan
  - d. Resources and Environment Committee - Co-Chairs Eileen Taylor & Steven Vincent
  - e. Faculty Assembly Delegates: RaJade M. Berry-James, David Berube, Juliana Mukunchi Nfah-Abbenyi, Richard Spontak, Hans Kellner (alt) and Darby Orcutt (alt)
7. **Old & New Business**
  - a. CUE Recommendation Report
  - b. Panopto Opt-out Policy
  - c. [R1: 2021-2022: Resolution Supporting a COVID-19 Vaccine Mandate](#)
  - d. [R2: 2015-2016: Resolution in Favor of Updating the Alma Mater](#)
8. **Issues of Concern (IOCs)**

Faculty Issues of Concern can be submitted at any time to a Senator, the Chair of the Faculty via email at [rmberryj@ncsu.edu](mailto:rmberryj@ncsu.edu), or to the Office of the Faculty Senate via email at [Faculty\\_Senate@ncsu.edu](mailto:Faculty_Senate@ncsu.edu).
9. **Adjourn**

## FACULTY SENATE CALENDAR AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

October 26, 2021

### 10/28/2021 3:00 pm - Executive Committee Meeting - *RaJade M. Berry-James, Chair* (Virtual Meeting Only)

The Executive Committee shall have the responsibility of developing long-range plans for the Faculty Senate activities and shall act for and represent the Faculty Senate, as authorized by the Faculty Senate, while the Faculty Senate is not in session. The Executive Committee shall be responsible to and shall make periodic reports of its activities to the Faculty Senate. The Chair and Associate Chair of the Faculty Senate shall be the Chair and Associate Chair of the Executive Committee.

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### 11/02/2021 3:00 p.m. - FACULTY SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

#### ACADEMIC POLICY COMMITTEE - *Lisa Bass-Freeman & Paul Williams, Co-Chairs*

The Academic Policy Committee is responsible for reviewing, modifying and initiating policies related to: undergraduate and graduate academic policy, regulations and reform, for both on and off-campus teaching and learning environments; faculty instructional development; faculty evaluation and assessment, teaching and advising; research; and the academic calendar.

#### GOVERNANCE, COMMUNICATIONS, AND RECRUITMENT COMMITTEE - *Megan Jacob & Barbara Kirby, Co-Chairs*

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#### PERSONNEL POLICY COMMITTEE - *Jennifer Kuzma & Herle McGowan, Co-Chairs*

The Personnel Policy Committee is responsible for generating proposals for consideration by the University Administration concerning institutional policies and regulations that best support the work of the faculty at NC State University. This includes, but is not limited to, institutional policies and regulations relating to faculty appointment and compensation, and faculty review and evaluation for reappointment, promotion, and tenure. In addition, the committee shall review proposed or recently instituted additions to and/or revisions in existing institutional policies and regulations that impact the faculty and that have been initiated by non-faculty entities including the Provost, Chancellor, and General Administration. Such a review shall culminate with an evaluation of the quality of the support the proposed revision and/or addition presents for the work of the faculty at NC State University. The Personnel Policy Committee shall report annually or upon request concerning its activities to the Chair of the Faculty and to the General Faculty.

#### RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE - *Eileen Taylor & Steven Vincent, Co-Chairs*

The Resources & Environment Committee is responsible for reviewing and making recommendations regarding policies related to the allocation and management of University resources, and maintenance of and improvements to the University environment. The environment is broadly defined to incorporate not only the physical plant but also the less tangible elements of the University living and workplace climate that affect the ability of University faculty, staff, and students to accomplish their goals and objectives. This includes, but is not limited to, the campus physical plant; outdoor spaces; campus safety; transportation and parking; campus bookstore and other on-campus retail outlets; University housing and student life; availability and support for computer, networking, and other technological resources; and issues related to faculty, staff, and student academic freedom and ownership of work created in the course of employment and/or residence in the University.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **CANCELLED:** November 23, 2021 Faculty Senate meeting.
2. Nominate extraordinary individuals for an [Honorary Doctoral Degree](#).
3. [Feedback on Post COVID-19 Innovation Task Force Recommendations](#) due by Friday, Oct. 29, 2021.