



# Staff Senate

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## STANDING COMMITTEES

### CHAIRS

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**Amy Ingram** ([amy.ingram@vt.edu](mailto:amy.ingram@vt.edu))

Honors College (0427)

May 16, 2019

Noon – 1:00pm

3100 University Gateway Center, corner of Prices Fork Rd and University City Blvd.

(Use the parking deck just behind the building, or  
one of the Blacksburg Transit routes that stop nearby.)

## AGENDA

### Call to order by Robert Sebek

**Attendance:** Please sign the attendance sheet, including guests

**Approval of Minutes:** electronically

**President’s update:** Mr. Sebek: Child care task force

### Standing Committee updates:

Communication: Mr. Harper

Elections & Nominations: Ms. Taylor

Policies & Issues: Ms. Alford

McComas Leadership Seminar: Ms. Ingram

**Master Plan presentations:** Jack Washington, Program Coordinator, Office of University  
Planning

### Adjournment

### Zoom Video Conferencing Information

Initial meeting <https://virginiatech.zoom.us/j/213933318>

**Next meeting:** June 20, 2019 UGC 3100: President Sands

## **University Council, Commissions, Committees - Staff Senate Representative (term of office)**

University Council – LaTawnya Burleson (2020), Velva Groover (2021), Brian Huddleston (2020), Katrina Loan (2020), Erin Poff (2019), Teresa Lyons (2019), Sue Teel (2021)

### **Commissions**

Commission on Administrative and Professional Faculty – MaDonna Overstreet (2021)

Commission on Equal Opportunity and Diversity – Tracy Newton (2019)

Commission on Faculty Affairs – Robert Sebek (2021)

Commission on Graduate Studies and Policies – Hannah Parks (2020)

Commission on Outreach and International Affairs – Wayne Crotto (2021)

Commission on Research – Steve Nagle (2019)

Commission on Staff Policies and Affairs – Tammie Smith - Chair, (2019), Nicole Akers (2021),

Judy Alford (2021), Lisa Boothe (2021), Lori Buchanan (2020), Sally Shupe (2020), Sue Teel (2020),

LaTawnya Burleson (2019), Teresa Lyons (2019), Betty Wilkins (2019)

Commission on Student Affairs – Jonathan Poff (2020)

Commission on Undergraduate Studies and Policies – Steve Tatum (2019)

Commission on University Support – Sarah Woodward (2020), Judy Alford (2021)

University Advisory Council -Strategic Budgeting and Planning – Robert Sebek (2019)

### **Committees**

Academic Support Committee – Tammie Smith (2019)

Athletics Committee – Robena Hughes (2020)

Campus Development Committee – Laura Steinberg (2020)

Commencement Committee – Nicole Akers (2021)

Employee Benefits Committee – Kim Dulaney (2020), Katrina Loan (2019), Melissa Thomas (2019)

Energy & Sustainability Committee – Judy Taylor (2019), Alex Guest (2019)

Information Technology Services and Systems Committee - Judy Alford (2021)

Intellectual Properties Committee – Steve Tatum (2021)

Library Committee – Sally Shupe (2020)

Parking Appeals Hearing Committee – Kelli Hall-Manning (2019)

Transportation/Parking Committee – Sandra Gabbert (2020), Kimberly Higgs (2020), Megan Coulter (2021)

Undergraduate Curriculum Committee – Michelle Czamanske (2019)