



Palmetto College Campuses - Faculty Senate Membership August 2022 to August 2023

Faculty Senate Executive Committee

Position	Name	Campus
Chair	Andy Yingst	Lancaster
Chair Elect	Vacant	N/A
Secretary	Kristina Grob	Sumter
Member-at-Large	Steven Lownes	Union
Member-at-Large	Carmela Gottesman	Salkehatchie
Member-at-Large	Shelley Jones	Columbia
Past Chair	Ernest Jenkins	Lancaster
Faculty Senate Manual Liaison	Andy Yingst	Lancaster
Office of the Associate Provost	John Catalano	
Office of the Chancellor	Susan Elkins	
Chair of Faculty Welfare	Katie Klik / Emily Schafer	
Chair of Rights and Responsibilities	Rebecca Freeman	
Chair of System Affairs	Blane DaSilva	

Local Campus Faculty Organizations

Faculty Chair

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
R. Mac Jones	Brittany Taylor-Driggers	Justin Mogilski	Damien Picariello	Andrew Pisano

Vice Chair

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
N/A	Andy Yingst	N/A	Blane DaSilva	Kevin Torres

Faculty Secretary

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
N/A	McKenzie Lemhouse	N/A	Vincent Frontero	Gale Ashmore

Local Campus Welfare and Grievance Committee

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Shelley Jones	Andy Yingst	Rod Steward	N/A	Christine Sixta Rinehart

PCC Faculty Senate Committees

PCC Faculty Senate Delegation (Standing Committee: 3-Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Elliot Vittes / 2024	Stephen Criswell / 2023	Justin Mogilski / 2023	Hayes Hampton / 2025	Katie Klik / 2023
Matt Rashotte / 2024	Jerrod Yarosh / 2023	Kirsten Iden / 2025	Andrew Kunka / 2025	Greta Bailey / 2023
Chris Nesmith / 2025	Brittany Taylor-Driggers / 2024	Lokendra Paudel / 2025	Soumyadip Acharyya / 2023	Emily Schafer / 2024
	Rebecca Freeman / 2024	Yasmina Vallejos-Moreno / 2025	Luisa Melo / 2023	Sandy Phillips Long / 2025
	Lynnette Martek / 2025		Blane DaSilva / 2024	
	Sahar Aghasafari / 2025		Sher Chhetri / 2024	
	Kim Richardson / 2025			

PCC Faculty Senate Alternates (Standing Committee: 3-Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Patrick Saucier / 2023	Fernanda Burke / 2024	Brian Lindmark / 2023	Bianca Rowlett / 2023	Andrew Pisano / 2023
	Li Cai / 2025		Mark Roberts / 2023	
	Kate Holland / 2025			

PCCFS Rights and Responsibilities Committee

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Elliot Vittes	Rebecca Freeman (Chair)	Justin Mogilski	Sher Chhetri	Greta Bailey
	Brittany Taylor-Driggers	Yasmina Vallejos-Moreno	Andrew Kunka	

PCCFS Welfare Committee

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Chris Nesmith	Lynnette Martek	Kirsten Iden	Soumyadip Acharyya	Emily Schafer (Co-Chair)
	Sahar Aghasafari		Luisa Melo	Katie Klik (Co-Chair)
	Kim Richardson			

PCCFS System Affairs Committee

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Matt Rashotte	Stephen Criswell	Melissa Rack	Blane DaSilva (Chair)	Sandy Phillips Long
	Jerrod Yarosh	Lokendra Paudel	Hayes Hampton	

PCCFS Research and Productive Scholarship Committee (Special Committee: Staggered 2-Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Matt Rashotte / 2024 (Chair)	Sarah Hunt Sellhorst / 2024	Melissa Rack / 2023	Bianca Rowlett / 2024	Sandy Phillips Long / 2023
	Steven Campbell / 2023	Justin Mogilski / 2024	Wanda Fenimore / 2023	Lee Morris / 2023

PCC Academic Advisory Committee (Appointed Members)

Role	Name	Term Expiration
Director of BLS/BOL (Chair)	Steve Lowe	N/A
Chancellor's Appointee	Ron Cox	2024
Chancellor's Appointee	Bianca Rowlett	2023
Chancellor's Appointee	Stephen Criswell	2023
Associate Dean	Todd Lekan	2024
Associate Dean	Sarah Miller	2023

PCC Academic Advisory Committee (Special Committee: Staggered 2-Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Julia Elliott / 2023	Stephen Criswell / 2023	Carmela Gottesman / 2023	Kristina Grob / 2024	Steve Lownes / 2023

PCC Policy Advisory Committee (Special Committee: 1-Year Term)

Title	Name
Office of the Associate Provost	John Catalano
Office of the Chancellor	Susan Elkins
Chair of Faculty Welfare	Katie Klik / Emily Schafer
Chair of Rights and Responsibilities	Rebecca Freeman
Chair of System Affairs	Blane DaSilva
Human Resources	Victoria Hollins
Division of Information Technology	Bob Dyer
Dean for Equity, Diversity and Inclusion	Ron Cox
SACSCOCS	David Hunter
Office of General Counsel	Terry Parham

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
R Mac Jones	Bettie Obi Johnson	Kirsten Iden	Michele Reese	Gale Ashmore

**S denotes the student member which serves on a campus for one year.*

Provost's PCC Advisory Committee (Special Committee: Staggered 2-Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Shelley Jones / 2024	Andy Yingst / 2024	Sarah Miller / 2023	Andrew Kunka / 2024	Helene Marie-Afeli / 2023
	Stephen Criswell / 2023	Bryan Love / 2024	Kristina Grob / 2023	Christine Sixta Rinehart / 2023

Columbia Faculty Senate Delegation (Standing Committee of the PCC Faculty - 3 Year Term, 10% Faculty Voting)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Julia Elliott / 2024	Fernanda Burke / 2023	Ahron Mack / 2025	Dan Kiernan / 2025	Kevin Torres / 2023
	Brittany Taylor-Driggers / 2023	Bryan Lai / 2023	Pearl Fernandes / 2023	
	Claudia Heinemann-Priest / 2024		Wanda Fenimore / 2023	
	Andy Yingst / 2024			
	Jerrod Yarosh / 2025			
	Amy Gerald / 2025			

Columbia Faculty Senate Committee on Libraries (Columbia FS: 3 Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
	Rebecca Freeman / 2023			

Columbia Faculty Senate Committee on Curricula and Courses (Columbia FS: 3 Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
			Andy Kunka / 2025	

Columbia Faculty Senate Committee on Faculty Welfare (Columbia FS: 3 Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
				Katie Klik / 2024

Columbia Faculty Senate Academic Excellence and Student Experience
 Columbia FS - Nominee Recommended to President (Typically PCCFS Chair) - 1 Year Term

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
	Andy Yingst / 2023			Katie Klik / 2024

Columbia Faculty Senate Committee on Instructional Development (Columbia FS - 3 Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
			Kristina Grob / 2025	

Columbia Faculty Senate Special Committee - Conflict of Interest (Columbia FS - 3 Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
		Yasmina Vallejos-Morena / 2024		

PCC Tenure and Promotion Committees

Local Campus Tenure and Promotion Committee or Third-Review Committee

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
TBD - FP	Annette Golonka - FP	Conrad Mehlenbacher - FP	Mary Ellen Bellanca - FP (Chair)	Avery Fouts - AP
	Rebecca Freeman - AP	Eran Kilpatrick - FP	Michele Reese - FP	
	Bettie Obi Johnson - FP	Sarah Miller - FP	Park Bucker - FP	
	Dana Lawrence - AP	Wei-Kai Lai - FP	Blane DaSilva - AP	
	Angela Neal - AP	Carmela Gottesman - AP	David Decker - AP	
	Suzanne Penuel - AP	Bryan Love - AP	Pearl Fernandes - FP	
		Fidele Ngwane - AP	Kajal Ghoshroy - FP	
		Rod Steward - AP	Hayes Hampton - FP	
			Rebecca Hillman - FP	
			Ray McManus - FP	
			Damien Picariello - AP	
			Hennie van Bulck - FP	

PCC Tenure and Promotion Committee

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Mary Hjelm - FP	Stephen Criswell - FP	Fidele Ngwane - FP	Park Bucker - FP	Andrew Pisano - AP
Julia Elliott - FP	Nick Lawrence - FP	Eran Kilpatrick - FP	Pearl Fernandes - FP	Steve Lowe - FP

PCC Grievance Committee

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Shelley Jones	Li Cai	David Hatch	Terrie Smith	Christine Sixta Rinehart

**FP Denotes Full Professor, AP Denotes Associate Professor*