

Purdue University - Agricultural Faculty

2025-26 Committees

July 1, 2025

University Senate Representatives		
Name	Department	Years Remaining
Stephen Cameron	Entomology	3
Brian Dilkes	Biochemistry	2
Bhagyashree Katare	Agricultural Economics	2
Tobert Rocheford	Agronomy	2
Damon Lisch	Botany and Plant Pathology	2
Kee-Hong Kim	Food Science	2
Lori A. Hoagland	Horticulture and Landscape Architecture	2
*Barb Golden (serving 1 st year of Brian Dilkes' term)	Biochemistry	1
Abigail S. Engelberth	Agricultural and Biological Engineering	1
Sarah LaRose	Agricultural Sciences Education and Communication	1
Brian T. Richert	Animal Sciences	1
Marisol S. Sepulveda	Forestry and Natural Resources	1

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Standing Agricultural Faculty Committees

Area Promotions Committee		
Name	Description	Years Remaining
Klein Ileleji	Agricultural and Biological Engineering	3
Jake Ricker-Gilbert	Agricultural Economics	3
Colleen Brady	Agricultural Sciences Education and Communication	3
Kolapo Ajuwon	Animal Science	2
Zhixiang Chen	Botany and Plant Pathology	2
Ian Kaplan	Entomology	2
Mitch Tuinstra	Agronomy	1
Kee-Hong Kim	Food Science	2
Barbara L. Golden	Biochemistry	1
TBD	Forestry and Natural Resources	1
Cale A. Bigelow	Horticulture and Landscape Architecture	1
Bernard Engel	Dean of Agriculture	

Agenda and Policy Committee		
Name	Description	Years Remaining
Jian Jin	Agricultural and Biological Engineering	3
Russell Hillberry	Agricultural Economics	3
Brian Allen Talbert	Agricultural Sciences Education and Communication	3
Mohsen Mohammadi	Agronomy	3
Scott McAdam*	Botany and Plant Pathology	2
Xing Liu	Biochemistry	2
Laramy Enders	Entomology	2
Ryan Cabot	Animal Sciences	1
Amanda J. Deering	Food Science	1
Michael A. Jenkins	Forestry and Natural Resources	1
Peter M. Hirst	Horticulture and Landscape Architecture	1
TBD	Senate Representative Dean of Agriculture	
Bernard Engel	Dean of Agriculture	
Timothy P. Kerr	Agricultural Faculty Secretary	

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Curriculum and Student Relations Committee		
Name	Description	Years Remaining
Shawn Ehlers	Agricultural and Biological Engineering	3
Scott Downey	Agricultural Economics	3
*TBD	Animal Sciences	
Mark Tucker	Agricultural Sciences Education and Communication	2
Orla Hart	Biochemistry	2
Siddhartho Paul	Agronomy	2
Bryan Pijanowski	Forestry and Natural Resources	2
Michael Mickelbart	Botany and Plant Pathology	1
John J. Couture*	Entomology	1
M. Fernanda San Martin-Gonzalez	Food Science	1
Kathryn S. Orvis	Horticulture and Landscape Architecture	1
Christine A. Wilson	Academic Programs	
Timothy P. Kerr	Academic Programs	
Linda S. Lee	Agricultural Research Programs	
Keith Cherkauer	Natural Resources & Environmental Science	
Brenda Schroeder	Academic Advising Representative	
TBD	Undergraduate Student	
TBD	Graduate Student	

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Administrative Committees – Faculty and Staff Representatives

College of Agriculture Awards Committee	
Name	Description
Jiqin Ni	Agricultural and Biological Engineering
Ken Foster	Agricultural Economics
Colleen Brady	Agricultural Sciences Education and Communication
Eileen J. Kladvko	Agronomy
James Markworth	Animal Sciences
Beth Tran	Biochemistry
Jin-Rong Xu	Botany and Plant Pathology
Ian Kaplan	Entomology
Amanda Deering	Food Science
J. Andrew DeWoody	Forestry and Natural Resources
Yiwei Huang	Horticulture and Landscape Architecture
Christie Shee	Natural Resources and Environmental Sciences
Alyssa Powers*	Office of Academic Programs
John H. Lumkes*	Office of Academic Programs

Undergraduate Students	
Name	Description
Amanda Wolf	Agricultural and Biological Engineering
Jenna Kelsay	Agricultural Economics
Lucas Lyons	Agricultural Sciences Education and Communication
Ahren Berlinger	Agronomy
Lillian Andis	Animal Sciences
Kaaya Sharma	Biochemistry
Ethan Fox	Botany and Plant Pathology
Paige Fern Rice	Entomology
Aidan Dibble	Food Science
Madison Parr	Forestry and Natural Resources
Isaac Damer	Horticulture and Landscape Architecture
Anna Marie Sorg	Natural Resources and Environmental Sciences

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Graduate Council in Agriculture	
Name	Description
Jane R. Frankenberger	Agricultural and Biological Engineering
Carson Reeling	Agricultural Economics
Hui-Hui Wang	Agricultural Sciences Education and Communication
Cankui Zhang	Agronomy
Zoltan Machaty	Animal Sciences
Scott D. Briggs	Biochemistry
Anjali Iyer-Pascuzzi	Botany and Plant Pathology
Stephen Cameron	Entomology
Owen G. Jones	Food Science
Zhao Ma	Forestry and Natural Resources
Ying Li	Horticulture and Landscape Architecture
Linda S. Lee	Agricultural Research Programs

Honors Committee	
Name	Description
Shawn Ehlers	Agricultural and Biological Engineering
Todd H. Kuethe	Agricultural Economics
Rama Radhakrishna	Agricultural Sciences Education and Communication
Roland Wilhelm	Agronomy
Liz Karcher	Animal Sciences
Clint C.S. Chapple	Biochemistry
Leonor Boavida	Botany and Plant Pathology
Laura Ingwell	Entomology
Eun Joong Oh	Food Science
Patrick A. Zollner	Forestry and Natural Resources
Lori Hoagland	Horticulture and Landscape Architecture
Christie Shee	Natural Resources and Environmental Science
Alyssa Powers*	Office of Academic Programs

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Undergraduate Recruitment and Retention Committee

Name	Description
Daniel C. Taylor	Agricultural and Biological Engineering
LeeAnn Williams	Agricultural Economics
Christine B. Strong	Agricultural Economics
Amy K. Conrad	Agricultural Sciences Education and Communication
Kevin L. Smith	Agricultural Sciences Education and Communication
Grace Beard	Agronomy
Ashley York	Animal Sciences
Heidi M. Fornes	Biochemistry
Lisa Klein	Botany and Plant Pathology
Amanda L. Wilson	Entomology
Patrick T. Tiffany	Food Science
Madison Parr	Forestry and Natural Resources
TBD	Horticulture and Landscape Architecture
Andrea N. Lutz*	Office of Academic Programs

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