

Lander University Committee Assignments

Wednesday, September 3, 2025

Curriculum Committee (2025-2026)

Appointed By: Faculty Senate

Reports To Faculty Senate

Membership

The Curriculum Committee consists of at least four voting members who are faculty senators from different colleges, and the following non-voting members: the provost and executive vice president for academic affairs (or designee), the president of the Student Government Association (or designee), the dean of the College of Graduate and Online Studies (or designee), and the registrar (or designee). The chair of the committee must be a voting member and either a tenured faculty member or librarian. The chair will be elected from the eligible committee members no later than at the first committee meeting of the academic year.

Functions

The Curriculum Committee safeguards

- The integrity of academic programs and their curricula,
- The correctness and clarity of the academic contents of the graduate and undergraduate catalogs,
- And the appropriateness of courses accepted into each of the categories of the General Education Program.

The Curriculum Committee recommends

- Actions on undergraduate and graduate proposals (activations, deactivations, and modifications),
- Changes to the undergraduate and graduate curricula,
- And changes to the academic contents of the undergraduate and graduate catalogs.

Procedure

The Committee will meet as often as is deemed necessary by the Chair, but at least twice each semester. A copy of the materials to be reviewed by the Committee will be made available to all members of the Committee.

All recommendations and votes will be recorded in the minutes. The minutes of the Curriculum Committee's meetings will be attached to the agenda of the next Faculty Senate meeting. When the minutes of that particular Faculty Senate meeting are approved, nonpolicy actions take effect.

Proposals to change university policies must be remanded to the proposing faculty member to be submitted to the Faculty Senate to be considered through normal Faculty Senate procedures.

Approved by General Education Committee 3/19/2015 Approved by Curriculum Committee 4/16/2015 Approved by Faculty Senate 4/20/2015

Revisions Approved by Curriculum Committee 2/25/25

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Member	Title / Role	Term of Service
Robert Kelley (Chair)	Professor of Music/COAH	Spring 2026
Julia Burdette	Administrative Coordinator / VPAA Designee	Non-voting
McKenzie Stone	Course Scheduling & VA Coordinator / Registrar Designee	Non-voting
Lloyd Willis	Interim Dean - College of Business	Non-voting
Kevin Witherspoon	Professor of History/COBBS	Spring 2026
David Zinn	Assistant Professor of Sport Management / Business (COBT)	Spring 2028
Amelia Beasley	SGA President/Student Government Association	Non-voting
Anna Crawford	Associate Registrar / Registrar Designee	Non-voting
Tracy Brock	Clinical Assistant Professor of Education / Teacher Education (COE)	Spring 2028