



# Promotion and Tenure Committee

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## Committee Charter/Purpose:

The Committee serves to review promotion and tenure materials submitted by eligible faculty in accordance with the BOR Policies 4.4.6 Rank and Promotion and 4.4.7 Tenure and Continuing Appointments

## Committee Structure/Composition and Term:

The committee consists of:

- Four tenured faculty representatives (elected by a vote of tenured and tenure-track faculty)
- Four administrative appointees (administrators or tenured faculty; appointed by the University President)

The committee shall be led by a Chair, who is elected annually by the Committee. Membership on the committee is term-based. The four tenured faculty representatives are elected for three-year terms, while the administrative representatives are appointed annually.

## Committee Meeting Schedule:

The committee shall convene for the first meeting in November, then as directed by the committee chair.

## Committee Membership:

### Elected Members (all with terms 2024-2027)

- Cassandra Birrenkott
- Lori Groven
- Erica Haugvedt
- Kyle Riley - Chair
- Andrea Brickey (alternate)

### Appointed Members (2025-2026)

- Robert Hall
- Maribeth Price
- James Stone
- Michael West



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