



Promotion and Tenure Committee

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 Haugtvedt
- Kyle Riley
- Andrea Brickey (alternate)

Appointed Members (2025-2026)

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



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