Employee Benefits Committee
2024-2025 Members

CHARGE: To recommend policies and to advise the University Administration in matters relating to employee benefits. Reports jointly to: Commission on Staff Policies and Affairs, Commission on Faculty Affairs, and Commission on Administrative and Professional Faculty Affairs.

Chair - President will annually appoint chair from among members of committee

Teresa Lyons	Chair	2025

Ex Officio

Teresa Lyons	Designee for the Vice President for Human Resources	ex officio
Christine Dennis Smith	Designee for the Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs	ex officio
Leisa Shelor	Senior Director of Benefits	ex officio

Three faculty senators elected by Faculty Senate

Guo-Quan Lu	Materials Science	2027
Rodney Gains	Human Nutrition, Foods, and Exercise	2026
Jeff Walling	Electrical and Computer Engineering	2026

One faculty representative from the Commission on Faculty Affairs elected annually by the commission

2025

One administrative and professional faculty representative from the Commission on Administrative and Professional Faculty Affairs elected annually by the commission

Jennifer Jones	CALS Administration	2025

Three A/P faculty senators elected by the A/P Faculty Senate

Jessica Crawford	Veterinary Medicine Research Graduate Studies	2026
		2027
Lauren Pollard	Office of Strategic Affairs	2025

One staff representative from the Commission on Staff Policies and Affairs elected annually by the commission

2025

Three staff senators elected by the Staff Senate

Sandra Gabbert	Entomology	2025
LaTawnya Burleson	College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences	2025
Amanda Hill	CPIF	2026

One graduate and professional student senator elected by the Graduate and Professional Student Senate

Vacant	2025