



## Palmetto College Campuses - Faculty Senate Membership August 2023 to August 2024

### Faculty Senate Executive Committee

Position	Name	Campus
Chair	Andy Yingst	Lancaster
Chair Elect	Steven Lownes	Union
Secretary	Shelley Jones	Columbia
Member-at-Large	Carmela Gottesman	Salkehatchie
Member-at-Large	Sami Varjosaari	Sumter
Member-at-Large	NA	
Past Chair	NA	
Faculty Senate Manual Liaison	Kajal Ghoshroy	Sumter
Office of the Associate Provost	Walt Collins	
Office of the Chancellor	Susan Elkins	
Chair of Faculty Welfare	Katie Klik / Emily Schafer	
Chair of Rights and Responsibilities	Rebecca Freeman	
Chair of System Affairs	Jerrod Yarosh	

## Local Campus Faculty Organizations

### Faculty Chair

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
R. Mac Jones	Dana Lawrence	Fidele Ngwane	Blane DaSilva	Andrew Pisano

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### Vice Chair

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
N/A	Fernanada Burke	N/A	N/A	Avery Fouts

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### Faculty Secretary

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
N/A	Amy Gerald	Stephanie Sanders	Vincent Frontero	Gale Ashmore

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### Local Campus Welfare and Grievance Committee

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Shelley Jones	Fernanada Burke	Brian Lindmark	N/A	Christine Sixta Rinehart
	Stephen Criswell	David Dangerfield		
	Sahar Aghasafari			
	Jerrod Yarosh			

## PCC Faculty Senate Committees

### PCC Faculty Senate Delegation (Standing Committee: 3-Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Elliot Vittes / 2024	Stephen Criswell / 2026	Brian Lindmark / 2026	Hayes Hampton / 2025	Andrew Kettler / 2026
Matt Rashotte / 2024	Jerrold Yarosh / 2026	Kirsten Iden / 2025	Andrew Kunka / 2025	Tekla Johnson / 2025
Chris Nesmith / 2025	Kim Richardson / 2025	Lokendra Paudel / 2025	Soumyadip Acharyya / 2026	Emily Schafer / 2024
	Sahar Aghasafari / 2025	Yasmina Vallejos-Moreno / 2024	Kajal Ghoshroy / 2026	Katie Klik / 2024
	Deborah Rowell / 2025		Mark Roberts / 2024	
	Rebecca Freeman / 2024		Sher Chhetri / 2024	
	Brittany Taylor-Driggers / 2024			

### PCC Faculty Senate Alternates (Standing Committee: 3-Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Patrick Saucier / 2024	Evan Nooe / 2024	Francis Burns / 2024	Tania Hazra / 2024	Andrew Pisano / 2024
	Li Cai / 2024	John Peek / 2024	Gwoon Choi / 2024	
	Nahid Swails / 2024			
	Fernanda Burke / 2024			

PCCFS Rights and Responsibilities Committee

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Elliot Vittes	Brittany Taylor-Driggers	Brian Lindmark	Sher Chhetri	Andrew Kettler
	Rebecca Freeman (Chair)	Yasmina Vallejos-Moreno	Andrew Kunka - Fall Sabbatical	

PCCFS Welfare Committee

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Chris Nesmith	Deborah Rowell	Kirsten Iden	Hayes Hampton	Emily Schafer (Co-Chair)
	Sahar Aghasafari		Soumyadip Acharyya	Katie Klik (Co-Chair)

PCCFS System Affairs Committee

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Matt Rashotte	Jarrod Yarosh (Chair)	Lokendra Paudel	Mark Roberts	Tekla Johnson
	Stephen Criswell		Kajal Ghoshroy	
	Kim Richardson			

PCCFS Research and Productive Scholarship Committee (Special Committee: Staggered 2-Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Matt Rashotte / 2024 (Chair)	Stephen Criswell / 2025	Lokendra Paudel / 2025	Sami Varjosaari / 2024	Katie Klik / 2025
	Sarah Sellhorst / 2024	Justin Mogilski / 2024	Hayes Hampton / 2025	Tekla Johnson / 2025

PCC Academic Advisory Committee (Appointed Members)

Role	Name	Term Expiration
Director of BLS/BOL (Chair)	Steve Lowe	N/A
Chancellor's Appointee	Stephen Criswell	2024
Chancellor's Appointee	Ron Cox	2024
Chancellor's Appointee	TBD	
Associate Dean	Todd Lekan	2024
Associate Dean	Eric Reisenauer	2025

PCC Academic Advisory Committee (Special Committee: Staggered 2-Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Julia Elliott / 2025	Peter Siepel / 2024	Carmela Gottesman / 2024	Kristina Grob / 2024	Emily Schafer / 2025

PCC Policy Advisory Committee (Special Committee: 1-Year Term)

Title	Name
Office of the Associate Provost	John Catalano
Office of the Chancellor	Susan Elkins
Chair of Faculty Welfare	Katie Klik / Emily Schafer
Chair of Rights and Responsibilities	Rebecca Freeman
Chair of System Affairs	Jerrod Yarosh
Human Resources	Victoria Hollins
Division of Information Technology	Bob Dyer
Dean for Equity, Diversity and Inclusion	Ron Cox
SACSCOCS	TBD
Office of General Counsel	TBD

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
R. Mac Jones	Jarrold Yarosh	Kirsten Iden	Kajal Ghoshroy	Gale Ashmore

\*S denotes the student member which serves on a campus for one year.

Provost's PCC Advisory Council (Special Committee: Staggered 2-Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Shelley Jones / 2024	Stephen Criswell / 2025	Sarah Miller / 2025	Andrew Kunka / 2024	Andrew Kettler / 2024
	Andy Yingst / 2024	Bryan Love / 2024	Kristina Grob / 2025	Lee Morris / 2025

Columbia Faculty Senate Delegation (Standing Committee of the PCC Faculty - 3 Year Term, 10% Faculty Voting)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Julia Elliott / 2024	Suzanne Penuel / 2024	Ahron Mack / 2025	Dan Kiernan / 2025	Gale Ashmore / 2025
	Claudia Heinmann-Priest / 2024	Allen Kanapala / 2026	Pearl Fernandes / 2026	
	Jerrold Yarosh / 2025		Mary Ellen Bellanca / 2026	
	Amy Gerald / 2025			
	Nahid Swails / 2026			
	Li Cai / 2026			

Columbia Faculty Senate Committee on Libraries (Columbia FS: 3 Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
R. Mac Jones / 2026				

Columbia Faculty Senate Committee on Curricula and Courses (Columbia FS: 3 Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
		Allan Kanapala / 2025		

Columbia Faculty Senate Committee on Faculty Welfare (Columbia FS: 3 Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
				Katie Klik / 2024

Columbia Faculty Senate Academic Excellence and Student Experience  
 Columbia FS - Nominee Recommended to President (Typically PCCFS Chair) - 1 Year Term

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
	Andy Yingst / 2024			

Columbia Faculty Senate Committee on Instructional Development (Columbia FS - 3 Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
			Kristina Grob / 2025	

Columbia Faculty Senate Special Committee - Conflict of Interest (Columbia FS - 3 Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
		Yasmina Vallejos-Moreno / 2024		

Columbia Faculty Senate - System Faculty Leadership Council (Columbia FS - 1 Year Term)

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
		Carmela Gottesman / 2024		

PCC Tenure and Promotion Committees

Local Campus Tenure and Promotion Committee or Third-Review Committee

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
TBD - FP	Annette Golonka - FP	Conrad Mehlenbacher - FP	Mary Ellen Bellanca - FP (Chair)	Avery Fouts - AP (Chair)
	Rebecca Freeman (Co-Chair) - AP	Eran Kilpatrick - FP	Andy Kunka - FP	Emily Schafer - AP
	Dana Lawrence (Co-Chair) - AP	Sarah Miller - FP	Park Bucker - FP	Steven Lownes - AP
	Susan Cruise - AP	Wei-Kai Lai - FP	Blane DaSilva - AP	
	Peter Seipel - AP	Carmela Gottesman - AP	David Decker - AP	
	Suzanne Penuel - AP	Bryan Love - AP	Pearl Fernandes - FP	
		Fidele Ngwane - FP	Kajal Ghoshroy - FP	
		Rod Steward - AP	Hayes Hampton - FP	
			Rebecca Hillman - FP	
			Ray McManus - FP	
			Damien Picariello - AP	
			Hennie van Bulck - FP	
			Kristina Grob - AP	

PCC Tenure and Promotion Committee

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Mary Hjelm - FP	Nicholas Lawrence - FP	Fidele Ngwane - FP	Park Bucker - FP	Andrew Pisano - AP
Julia Elliott - FP	Stephen Criswell - FP	Carmela Gottesman - AP	Kajal Ghoshroy - FP	Steve Lowe - FP

PCC Grievance Committee

PC Columbia	Lancaster	Salkehatchie	Sumter	Union
Shelley Jones	Andy Yingst	Rod Steward	Wanda Fenimore	Christine Sixta Rinehart

\*FP Denotes Full Professor, AP Denotes Associate Professor