

# Committees of the AAUP, 2022–23

*Appointments to standing committees of the Association are ordinarily for a term of three years; the terms of approximately one-third of the members of each committee expire each year. By Council action in June 1977 (as amended in November 2019), appointments to a “second consecutive three-year term shall be occasional; a third consecutive three-year term shall be rare.” An appointment may be extended beyond nine consecutive years only in extraordinary circumstances and is subject to ratification by the Council. Appointments are made by the president of the Association, who has the advice of members of the Association, the executive director, and other members of the staff. The executive director assigns members of the staff to assist the committees in their work.*

*A list of committee appointments follows, with the date of expiration given after each name. In addition to standing committees, there are special committees whose members serve ex officio or are appointed by the president according to regulations established by the Council. The AAUP Constitution provides that the president shall be a member ex officio of all committees except the Nominating Committee, the Election Committee, and the Election Appeals Committee. The Executive Committee of the Council consists of the Association’s officers. The lists below reflect the composition of the AAUP’s committees as of January 1, 2023.*

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## **Executive Committee of the Council**

Irene T. Mulvey (Mathematics), Fairfield University, president, 2024  
Paul Davis (History and American Government), Cincinnati State Technical and Community College, vice president, 2024  
Christopher Sinclair (Mathematics), University of Oregon, secretary-treasurer, 2024  
Julie M. Schmid, staff

## **Committee A on Academic Freedom and Tenure**

Charles Toombs (Africana Studies), San Diego State University, chair, 2023  
Nicholas Fleisher (Linguistics), University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee, 2025  
Emily M. S. Houh (Law), University of Cincinnati, 2024  
Rana Jaleel (Gender, Sexuality, and Women’s Studies), University of California, Davis, 2024  
Mark S. James (English), Molloy University, 2023  
Valerie C. Johnson (Political Science), DePaul University, 2025  
Anil Kalhan (Law), Drexel University, 2023

Michael Meranze (History), University of California, Los Angeles, 2024  
Derryn Moten (History and Political Science), Alabama State University, 2025  
Patricia C. Navarra (Writing Studies and Rhetoric), Hofstra University, 2023  
Jennifer H. Ruth (Film Studies), Portland State University, 2024  
Risa L. Lieberwitz (Law), Cornell University, ex officio as general counsel, 2024  
Irene T. Mulvey (Mathematics), Fairfield University, ex officio as president, 2024  
Julie M. Schmid, ex officio as AAUP executive director  
Gregory F. Scholtz, staff

## **Committee on Academic Professionals**

Ellen Kress, staff

## **Committee on College and University Governance**

Allison Buskirk-Cohen (Psychology), Delaware Valley University, chair, 2023  
Marcus Alfred (Physics), Howard University, 2024  
Monica Black (History), University of Tennessee, 2025

Bethany Carson (English), Santa Fe Community College, 2025  
 Simon Fitzpatrick (Philosophy), John Carroll University, 2024  
 Shawn Gilmore (English), University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2023  
 Pippa Holloway (History), University of Richmond, 2024  
 Afshan Jafar (Sociology), Connecticut College, 2024  
 Julia Schleck (English), University of Nebraska–Lincoln, 2025  
 Roxanne Shirazi (Library), City University of New York, Graduate Center, 2025  
 Brian Turner (Political Science), Randolph-Macon College, 2023  
 Mark Criley, staff

**Committee on Community Colleges**

Hollis Glaser (Speech, Communications, and Theatre Arts), City University of New York Borough of Manhattan Community College, chair, 2025  
 Lenard Anyanwu (Economics), Union County College, 2025  
 Cheryl Cardoza (English), Truckee Meadows Community College, 2024  
 Caprice Lawless (English), Front Range Community College, 2023  
 Glynn Wolar (History), Mid-Plains Community College, 2024  
 Shawn Fields, staff

**Committee on Contingency and the Profession**

Patricia C. Navarra (Writing Studies and Rhetoric), Hofstra University, chair, 2025  
 Julie Alexander (Business), Miami University, 2025  
 Carolyn Betensky (English), University of Rhode Island, 2024  
 Amy Higer (International Relations), Rutgers University–Newark, 2024  
 Mason Richards (Filmmaking), Emerson College–Los Angeles, 2025  
 David Kociemba, staff

**Committee on the Economic Status of the Profession**

Oskar Harmon (Economics), University of Connecticut, chair, 2023  
 Whitney DeCamp (Sociology), Western Michigan University, 2025  
 Rotua Lumbantobing (Economics), Western Connecticut State University, 2023  
 Jan Medlock (Biomedical Sciences), Oregon State University, 2024

Saranna Thornton (Economics), Hampden-Sydney College, 2024  
 Glenn Colby, staff

**Committee on Gender and Sexuality in the Academic Profession**

Diana Rios (Communication/El Instituto), University of Connecticut, chair, 2025  
 Sara Giordano (Interdisciplinary Studies), Kennesaw State University, 2023  
 Esther Godfrey (English), University of South Carolina–Upstate, 2024  
 Saranna Thornton (Economics), Hampden-Sydney College, 2024  
 Anita Levy, staff

**Committee on Government Relations**

John T. McNay (History), University of Cincinnati Blue Ash College, chair, 2024  
 Joel Berkowitz (English), University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee, 2024  
 Kent Ervin (Chemistry), University of Nevada–Reno, 2025  
 Isaac Kamola (Political Science), Trinity College, 2025  
 Kevin Kean (Psychology), Central Connecticut State University, 2024  
 Nora Kenworthy (Nursing and Health Studies), University of Washington–Bothell, 2024  
 Sara Kilpatrick, executive director of the Ohio AAUP conference, 2023  
 James Klein (History), Del Mar College, 2025  
 Mary Rose Kubal (Political Science), St. Bonaventure University, 2024  
 Avinnash Tiwari (English), University of Oregon, 2023  
 Brian Turner (Political Science), Randolph-Macon College, 2023  
 Jenna Sablan, staff

**Committee on Graduate and Professional Students**

Malori Musselman, staff

**Committee on Historically Black Institutions and Scholars of Color**

Marcus Alfred (Physics), Howard University, chair, 2023  
 Antoinette Abeyta (Earth Sciences), University of New Mexico–Gallup, 2024  
 Andrew Douglas (Political Science), Morehouse College, 2024  
 Emily M. S. Houh (Law), University of Cincinnati, 2024

Glinda Rawls (Counselor Education), Western Michigan University, 2023  
Jay Thompson, staff

#### **Committee on Professional Ethics**

Aaron Nisenson, staff

#### **Committee on Teaching, Research, and Publication**

Henry Reichman (History), California State University, East Bay, chair, 2024  
Cassandra D. Fetters (English), University of Cincinnati Clermont College, 2024  
Brian Gallagher (Library Science), University of Rhode Island, 2025  
Antonio Gallo (Ethnic Studies), California State University, Northridge, 2024  
Jonathan Rees (History), Colorado State University–Pueblo, 2024  
Michael DeCesare, staff

#### **Advisory Board for *Academe***

James Davis (English), Brooklyn College, City University of New York, 2023  
Jaskiran Dhillon (Global Studies), The New School, 2024  
Nicholas Fleisher (Linguistics), University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee, 2023  
Afshan Jafar (Sociology), Connecticut College, 2025  
Rana Jaleel (Gender, Sexuality, and Women’s Studies), University of California, Davis, 2025  
Tina Kelleher (English), Towson University, 2024  
Aaron Krall (English), University of Illinois at Chicago, 2023  
Caprice Lawless (English), Front Range Community College, 2025  
Jonathan Rees (History), Colorado State University–Pueblo, 2025  
Henry Reichman (History), California State University, East Bay, 2024  
Jennifer H. Ruth (Film Studies), Portland State University, 2025  
Michael Ferguson, staff  
Kelly Hand, staff

#### **Advisory Board for the *Bulletin of the American Association of University Professors***

Allison Buskirk-Cohen (Psychology), Delaware Valley University, 2023  
Charles Toombs (Africana Studies), San Diego State University, 2023  
Michael Ferguson, staff  
Gregory F. Scholtz, staff

#### **Litigation Committee**

Risa L. Lieberwitz (Law), Cornell University, chair, 2024  
Meera E. Deo (Law), Southwestern Law School, 2023  
Ellen Dichner (Labor Studies), City University of New York School of Labor and Urban Studies, 2024  
Emily M. S. Houh (Law), University of Cincinnati, 2023  
Neal Hutchens (Law/Higher Education), University of Kentucky, 2024  
Jack I. Lerner (Law), University of California, Irvine, 2023  
Martha T. McCluskey (Law), State University of New York University at Buffalo, 2023  
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Geoffrey R. Stone (Law), University of Chicago, 2023  
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#### **Association Investments Committee**

Christopher Sinclair (Mathematics), University of Oregon, chair, 2024  
Matías Fontenla (Economics), University of New Mexico, 2024  
Michele Ganon (Accounting), Western Connecticut State University, 2024  
Carlton Davids, staff

#### **Audit Committee**

Christopher Sinclair (Mathematics), University of Oregon, chair, 2024  
Deborah Cooperstein (Biology), Adelphi University, 2025  
Antonio Gallo (Ethnic Studies), California State University, Northridge, 2025  
Carlton Briscoe, staff  
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#### **Election Committee**

Risa L. Lieberwitz (Law), ex officio as general counsel, Cornell University, chair, 2023  
John Castella (Labor Studies), Rutgers University, 2023  
Tina Kelleher (English), Towson University, 2023  
Gregory F. Scholtz, staff

#### **Election Appeals Committee**

Linda Carroll (Italian), Tulane University, 2023  
Julie McLaughlin (Humanities), Cincinnati State Technical and Community College, 2023  
Patricia C. Navarra (Writing Studies and Rhetoric), Hofstra University, 2023  
Vacant, staff

**Grievance Committee**

Linda Carroll (Italian), Tulane University, chair, 2024  
 Diana Rios (Communication/El Instituto), University of Connecticut, 2024  
 David Sanders (Biological Sciences), Purdue University, 2024  
 Gwendolyn Bradley, staff

**Committee on the History of the Association**

Henry Reichman (History), California State University, East Bay, chair, 2024  
 Pippa Holloway (History), University of Richmond, 2024  
 Noleen McIlvenna (History), Wright State University, 2025  
 Hans-Joerg Tiede, staff

**Committee on Membership**

Tina Kelleher (English), Towson University, chair, 2023  
 Alan Revering (Religion), Curry College, 2025  
 Catherine Wagner (English), Miami University, 2025  
 Rebecca Lewis, staff  
 Marlan Maralit, staff

**Nominating Committee**

David Levin (Mathematics), University of Oregon, 2023  
 Veronica Lippencott (Global Studies and Geography), Hofstra University, 2023  
 Michael DeCesare, staff

**Committee on the Organization of the Association**

Brian Turner (Political Science), Randolph-Macon College, chair, 2023  
 Monica Black (History), University of Tennessee, 2024  
 Deborah Cooperstein (Biology), Adelphi University, 2023  
 James Davis (American Studies), Brooklyn College, City University of New York, 2025  
 Risa L. Lieberwitz (Law), Cornell University, ex officio as general counsel, 2024  
 Hans-Joerg Tiede, staff

**Panel on Chapter and Conference Sanctions**

Stephen Mumme (Political Science), Colorado State University, chair, 2024  
 Kate Budd (Art), University of Akron, 2024  
 Margaret Goodman (Chemistry), D’Youville College, 2024  
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