

OUACHITA BAPTIST UNIVERSITY  
FACULTY CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES  
2016-17

**I. Constitutional Officers of the Faculty**

President: Ben R. Sells  
Secretary: Ray Granade ('18)  
Parliamentarian: Kevin (Casey) Motl ('18)

**II. University Constitutional Committees**

(with date of expiration of service)

1. University Committee

Mike Reynolds (Education)(Chair)	'17
Marshall Horton (Business)(Secretary)	'17
Terry Carter (Christian Studies)	'18
Jay Curlin (Humanities)	'18
Summer Bruch (Fine Arts)	'19
<u>Vacant</u> (Natural Sciences)	'19
Chris Mortenson (Social Sciences)	'19
Keldon Henley (Adm. Rep.)	
Haley Brown (Student Senate President)	
Ben R. Sells (President, ex officio)	
Stan Poole, ex officio	
Jason Tolbert, liaison	

2. Curriculum and Academic Standards Committee

Jim Rothwell (Business)(Chair)	'17
David Caddell (Social Sciences)(Secretary)	'17
Wendy Richter (Librarian)	'17
Kathy Collins (Education)	'18
Amy Sonheim (Humanities)(Recorder)	'18
Ray Franklin (Christian Studies)	'19
Heather Thayer (Fine Arts)	'19
Tim Hayes (Natural Sciences)	'19
(student elected by the Senate)	
Stan Poole, ex officio	
Susan Atkinson (Registrar, ex officio)	

3. Faculty Development Committee

Joey Dodson (Christian Studies)(Chair)	'17
Terry DeWitt (Education)	'17
Carol Morgan (Natural Sciences)	'17
Maggie Garrett (Fine Arts)	'18

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|    | Chris Brune (Business) (Secretary)           | '18 |
|    | Dave Ozmun (Humanities)                      | '19 |
|    | Allyson Phillips (Social Sciences)           | '19 |
|    | Stan Poole, ex officio                       |     |
|    | Doug Reed, ex officio                        |     |
|    | Ray Granada, liaison                         |     |
| 4. | Learning and Technology Resources Committee  |     |
|    | Byron Eubanks (Christian Studies)            | '17 |
|    | Rebecca Jones (Humanities)(Chair)            | '17 |
|    | Kristi Smith (Librarian)(Secretary)          | '17 |
|    | Kent Faught (Business)                       | '18 |
|    | Justin Isenhour (Fine Arts)                  | '18 |
|    | Garry Crowder (Education)                    | '19 |
|    | Scott Haynes (Adm. Rep.)                     |     |
|    | (student elected by the Senate)              |     |
|    | Stan Poole, liaison                          |     |
|    | Bill Phelps, liaison                         |     |
|    | Ray Granada, liaison                         |     |
| 5. | Student Life Committee                       |     |
|    | Jess Kelly (Natural Sciences)(Chair)         | '17 |
|    | Jennifer Fayard (Social Sciences)(Secretary) | '17 |
|    | Terry DeWitt (Education)                     | '18 |
|    | Mark McGraw (Humanities)                     | '18 |
|    | Justin Keeler (Business)                     | '19 |
|    | Wesley Kluck, VPSS                           |     |
|    | (student elected by the Senate)              |     |
|    | (student elected by the Senate)              |     |
|    | Ian Cosh, liaison                            |     |
|    | David Sharp, liaison                         |     |
|    | James Taylor, liaison                        |     |
| 6. | Honors Committee                             |     |
|    | Johnny Wink (Humanities)                     | '17 |
|    | Angela Douglass (Natural Sciences)           | '17 |
|    | Jim Files (Business)                         | '18 |
|    | Myra Houser (Social Sciences)                | '18 |
|    | Doug Nykolaishen (Christian Studies)         | '18 |
|    | Amber Chelette (Education)                   | '19 |
|    | Drew Hampton (Fine Arts)                     | '19 |
|    | Barbara Pemberton, Director and Chair        |     |
|    | (student elected by the Senate)              |     |
|    | Stan Poole, liaison                          |     |

7. Interdisciplinary Studies Committee (CORE)
 

Tully Borland (Christian Studies)	‘17
Ryan Lewis (Fine Arts)	‘17
Rachel Pool (Education)	‘18
Doug Sonheim (Humanities)	‘18
Sara Hubbard (Natural Sciences)	‘18
Jeanie Curry (Business)	‘19
Bethany Hicks (Social Sciences)	‘19
Stan Poole (VPAA)(Chair)	
Matt Douglass (Secretary)	

### III. Administrative Committees

1. Graduation Committee
 

Susan Atkinson, Registrar (Chair)
Gary Gerber
Craig Hamilton
Phil Hardin
Shirley Hardin, Assistant Registrar
John Hardman
Danny Hays
Trennis Henderson
Wesley Kluck
Jon Merryman
Bill Phelps
, Senior Class President
Ben R. Sells, President, ex officio
Stan Poole, ex officio
  
2. Off-Campus Housing Exceptions Committee
 

James Taylor (Chair)
Phil Hardin
Susan Hurst
Lori Motl
Samantha Pascoe (student member)
Scott Haynes, ex officio
Stacey Perry, ex officio
  
3. Staff Development Committee
 

Jason Tolbert (Chair)
Charolette Allison
Susan Atkinson
Phil Hardin
Sherrri Phelps

4. Institutional Review Board

Detri Brech (Chair) (Natural Sciences)  
Jeanie Curry (Business)  
Byron Eubanks (Christian Studies)  
Terry DeWitt (Education)  
Deborah Root (Humanities)  
Randall Wight (Social Sciences)  
Bryan McKinney (General Counsel)  
Wesley Kluck (VP and University Physician)  
Terry Hagood (community representative)

5. Assessment Committee

Deborah Root (Chair), ex of.  
(Assessment Coordinator)  
Phil Hardin (Dir. Inst. Research), ex of.  
Ian Cosh (VP) '19  
Detri Brech (Program Dir.) '19  
Eric Phillips (Dept. Chair) '18  
Randall Wight (Dean) '18  
James Taylor (Dir. CM) '17  
Terry Carter (Dept. Chair) '17

6. Planning Committee

Mike Reynolds (Univ. Com) '17  
Nancy Hardman (Univ. Com) '17  
Bryan McKinney (Dean) '17  
Jeff Root (Dean) '17  
Haley Brown (Senate Pres.) '17  
Bethany Hicks (Faculty) '17  
Nicole Porchia (Staff) '17  
Stan Poole (VPAA)  
Jason Tolbert (CFO)  
Keldon Henley (VPIA)  
Ben R. Sells (President), ex of., Chair

7. Constitution Day Committee (ad hoc)

Doug Reed, Chair (Chair, Dept. of Pol. Sc.) ('17)  
Randall Wight (Dean, School of Soc. Sc.) ('17)  
Bryan McKinney (General Counsel) ('17)  
Haley Brown (President, Student Senate) ('17)  
Susan Atkinson (Registrar) ('17)  
Phil Hardin (University Compliance Officer) ('17)  
Wesley Kluck (VPSD) ('17)

## DEANS, DIVISION, AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRS, 2016-2017

### **Hickingbotham School of Business – Bryan McKinney, Dean**

Department of Accounting and Finance – Chris Brune  
Department of Business Administration – Marshall Horton

### **Pruet School of Christian Studies – Danny Hays, Dean**

Department of Biblical Studies – Scott Duvall  
Department of Christian Ministries – Terry Carter  
Department of Christian Missions – Terry Carter  
Department of Christian Theology – Marvin Pate  
Department of Philosophy – Byron Eubanks

### **Huckabee School of Education – Jeff Root, Interim Dean**

Department of Education – Kathy Collins  
Department of Kinesiology and Leisure Studies – Terry DeWitt

### **School of Fine Arts – Gary Gerber, Dean**

Division of Music— Gary Gerber  
Department of Applied Music – Jon Secrest  
Department of Music Business – Patrick Houlihan  
Department of Music Theory and Composition – Patrick Houlihan  
Department of Musicology – Ryan Lewis, acting chair  
Department of Music Education – Becky Morrison  
Department of Worship Arts – Rob Hewell  
Division of Applied Arts—Scott Holsclaw  
Department of Theatre Arts – Eric Phillips  
Rosemary Adams Department of Visual Arts – Donnie Copeland

### **School of Humanities – Jeff Root, Dean**

Department of Language and Literature – Doug Sonheim  
Rogers Department of Communications – Deborah Root

### **School of Interdisciplinary Studies – Stan Poole, Dean**

### **Patterson School of Natural Sciences – Tim Knight, Dean**

Department of Biological Sciences – Lori Hensley  
Biology – Lori Hensley, Director  
Communication Sciences and Disorders – Nancy Hardman, Director  
Nutrition and Dietetics – Detri Brech, Director  
Department of Chemistry and Physics – Joe Bradshaw  
Department of Mathematics and Computer Sciences – Jeff Sykes

**Sutton School of Social Sciences – Randall Wight, Dean**

Department of History – Chris Mortenson  
Department of Political Science – Doug Reed  
Department of Psychology – Randall Wight  
Department of Sociology – Elizabeth Kelly