

University Council Membership 2026-2027

Ex Officio

Vince Bruni-Bossio, President

Patti McDougall, Interim Provost and Vice-President Academic

College Faculty Representatives

Name	College	Term Expires
Angela Bedard-Haughn	Agriculture & Bioresources	June 30, 2029
Sean Prager	Agriculture & Bioresources	June 30, 2029
Angela Lieverse	Arts and Science	June 30, 2029
Jenna Hunnef	Arts and Science	June 30, 2029
Walter Siqueira	Dentistry	June 30, 2029
Maria Luísa Leite	Dentistry	June 30, 2029
Julia Paulson	Education	June 30, 2029
Keith Walker	Education	June 30, 2029
Norman Sheehan	Edwards School of Business	June 30, 2029
Keith Willoughby	Edwards School of Business	June 30, 2029
Sven Achenbach	Engineering	June 30, 2029
Venkatesh Meda	Engineering	June 30, 2029
Christopher Dutchyn	Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies	June 30, 2029
Debby Burshtyn	Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies	June 30, 2029
Dani Brittain	Kinesiology	June 30, 2029
Corey Tomczak	Kinesiology	June 30, 2029
Doug Surtees	Law	June 30, 2029
Jamesy Patrick	Law	June 30, 2029
Li Zhang	University Library	June 30, 2029
Kevin Read	University Library	June 30, 2029
Gary Linassi	Medicine	June 30, 2029
Joyce Wilson	Medicine	June 30, 2029
Janet Luimes	Nursing	June 30, 2029
Michelle Pavloff	Nursing	June 30, 2029
Allison Cammer	Pharmacy and Nutrition	June 30, 2029
Jason Perepelkin	Pharmacy and Nutrition	June 30, 2029
Dylan Olver	Veterinary Medicine	June 30, 2029
Susan Detmer	Veterinary Medicine	June 30, 2029

Members-at-large

Peter Alward	Arts and Science	June 30, 2029
Carolyn Augusta	Edwards School of Business	June 30, 2027
Scott Bell	Arts and Science	June 30, 2028
Lori Bradford	Engineering	June 30, 2028
Michael Bradley	Engineering	June 30, 2027
Claire Card	Veterinary Medicine	June 30, 2027
Egan Chernoff	Education	June 30, 2029

Roslyn M. Compton	Nursing	June 30, 2028
Kate Congreves	Agriculture and Bioresources	June 30, 2027
Alexander Crizzle	School of Public Health	June 30, 2027
Ralph Deters	Arts and Science	June 30, 2029
Rainer Dick	Arts and Science	June 30, 2028
Roy Dobson	Pharmacy and Nutrition	June 30, 2028
Kevin Flynn	Arts and Science	June 30, 2029
Reza Fotouhi	Engineering	June 30, 2029
John Gjevre	Medicine	June 30, 2028
Natasha Hubbard Murdoch	Nursing	June 30, 2027
Nadeem Jamali	Arts and Science	June 30, 2028
Paul Jones	School of Environment and Sustainability	June 30, 2029
Jay Kalra	Medicine	June 30, 2029
Marguerite Koole	Education	June 30, 2027
Maha Kumaran	Library	June 30, 2027
Olga Lovick	Arts and Science	June 30, 2028
Veronika Makarova	Arts and Science	June 30, 2029
Lori McKee	Education	June 30, 2027
Dwayne Moore	Arts and Science	June 30, 2028
Kerry Mansell	Pharmacy and Nutrition	June 30, 2029
Darrell Mousseau	Medicine	June 30, 2027
Paul Newton	Education	June 30, 2027
James Nolan	Agriculture and Bioresources	June 30, 2029
Cassandra Opikokew Wajuntah	College of Medicine	June 30, 2028
Carla Orosz	Arts and Science	June 30, 2027
Francisco Otero-Cagide	Dentistry	June 30, 2027
Juan-Nicolás Peña-Sánchez	Medicine	June 30, 2027
Mrigank Rochan	Arts and Science	June 30, 2029
Tony Ruzzini	Veterinary Medicine	June 30, 2027
Rachel Sarjeant-Jenkins	Library	June 30, 2028
Gordon E. Sarty	Arts and Science	June 30, 2027
Lee Schaefer	Kinesiology	June 30, 2028
Hyunjung Shin	Education	June 30, 2027
Jaswant Singh	Veterinary Medicine	June 30, 2028
Kara Somerville	Arts and Science	June 30, 2027
Vicki Squires	Education	June 30, 2027
Jesse Stewart	Arts and Science	June 30, 2028
Michael Szafron	School of Public Health	June 30, 2027
Christopher Todd	Arts and Science	June 30, 2028
Julita Vassileva	Arts and Science	June 30, 2027
Cheryl Waldner	Veterinary Medicine	June 30, 2027
Christian Willenborg	Agriculture & Bioresources	June 30, 2027
Phil Woods	Nursing	June 30, 2027
Michael Wu	Veterinary Medicine	June 30, 2027
Craig Wilson	Edwards School of Business	June 30, 2027
Jing Xiao	Education	June 30, 2027
Lifeng Zhang	Engineering	June 30, 2027

Federated and Affiliated College Representatives

TBA	Briercrest College and Seminary	June 30, 2029
Vacant	Briercrest College and Seminary	June 30, 2029
TBA	Emmanuel and St. Chad	June 30, 2029
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Sheila Pocha	Gabriel Dumont College	June 30, 2029
Vacant	Gabriel Dumont College	
Andrew Gabriel	Horizon College & Seminary	June 30, 2029
Vacant	Horizon College & Seminary	
TBA	Lutheran Theological Seminary	June 30, 2029
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Richard Manley-Tannis	St. Andrew's College	June 30, 2029
Vacant	St. Andrew's College	
Robert Harasymchuk	St. Peter's College	June 30, 2029
Vacant	St. Peter's College	
Sarah Knudson	St. Thomas More College	June 30, 2029
Paulette Hunter	St. Thomas More College	June 30, 2028

Student Members (May 1, 2026-April 30, 2027)

Cody Wilson	Agriculture and Bioresources
Arbe Chumala	Arts and Science
Melissa Vogler	Law
	Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies
Parthi Shah	Edwards School of Business
Ayodele Daniel Omotoso	Engineering
Chinwe Udenze	Pharmacy and Nutrition
Gracie Radke	Education
	Veterinary Medicine
Isfar Chowdhury	Medicine
Samuel Janzen	Nursing
Chang Ge	Dentistry
Max Clark	Kinesiology

Student Members of Affiliated and Federated Colleges (May 1, 2026-April 30, 2027)

Vacant	Horizon College and Seminary
Jordie Finnie	St. Thomas More College
Bryn Seymour	Gabriel Dumont College
Vacant	Emmanuel and St. Chad
Vacant	Lutheran Theological Seminary
Vacant	St. Andrews College
Vacant	St. Peter's College
Vacant	Briercrest College and Seminary

Non-Voting Participants

The following are entitled to attend and participate in meetings but are not entitled to vote

Julian Demkiw	University Secretary and Chief Governance Officer
Danielle Rudulier	Governance Officer
Baljit Singh	Vice-President, Research
Kimberly Kroll-Goodwin	Interim Vice-President, University Relations
Greg Fowler	Vice-President, Administration & Chief Operating Officer
Marjorie Delbaere	Interim Vice-Provost, Students & Learning
Amaranta Sokol	Interim Vice-Provost, Indigenous Engagement
Carl Still	President, St. Thomas More College
Salome Ries	Acting University Registrar
Jessica Borich	Senate Representative
Janice Paslawski	Senate Representative
Abtin Safaeian	President, USSU
Ashley Mendez Rosales	Vice-President Academic Affairs, USSU
Sunny Bui	President, GSA

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