

Nominations Committee Annual Report for

Presented by: Reza Fotouhi
Date of meeting: June 11, 2026

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SUMMARY

The Nominations Committee works through the year to populate University Council, Collective Agreement, senior leader search and review, and other, “as needed,” committees. Our mandate is to bring diverse and representative slates of nominees for these committees forward to Council. Including the nominations being proposed at this meeting of University Council; since September, there have been a total of 76 nominations made by the Nominations Committee including the ones submitted for this council meeting.

MEMBERSHIP

TEN ELECTED MEMBERS OF COUNCIL, NOT MORE THAN THREE MEMBERS FROM ARTS AND SCIENCE AND NOT MORE THAN TWO MEMBERS FROM EACH OF THE OTHER COLLEGES, ONE OF WHOM WILL BE CHAIR.

Council Members:

Jason Perepelkin	Pharmacy and Nutrition	2028
Marcella Ogenchuck	Nursing	2027
Carolyn Augusta	Edwards School of Business	2027
Rachel Engler-Stringer	Medicine	2026
Reza Fotouhi (Chair)	Engineering	2026
Pierre-Francois Noppen	Arts and Science	2026
Jamsey Patrick	Law	2028
Keith Walker	Education	2026
Craig Wilson	Edwards School of Business	2026
Lori Bradford	Engineering	2028

TERMS OF REFERENCE (TOR)

1. Nominating members of the General Academic Assembly (GAA) and Council to serve on all standing and special committees of Council, other than the Nominations Committee, and nominating the Chairs of these committees.

2. Nominating members of Council or the GAA to serve on other committees on which Council or GAA representation has been requested.
3. Nominating individuals to serve as Chair and/or Vice-Chair of Council, or as members of Council, as required, in accordance with the Bylaws.
4. Nominating Sessional Lecturers to Council committees as required.
5. Nominating eligible members of the General Academic Assembly to serve on appeal and review committees as required by the Collective Agreement with the University of Saskatchewan Faculty Association.
6. Nominating individuals to serve on search and review committees for senior administrators.

COUNCIL ITEMS

Nominations presented the following items to University Council:

- 23 nominations for individuals to serve on Council Committees
- 8 nominations to serve on Search Committees
- 3 Sessional Lecturers nominations to serve on Council
- 1 nomination to serve as vice-chair on University Council
- 6 nominations for individuals to serve as chairs of Council Committees, and
- 34 nomination to serve on committees required under the Collective Agreement

College Representation analysis:

Member	College	Compared to number of seats available on committees	Compared to College Populations
GAA Member	Arts and Science	26%	2%
GAA Member	Education	15%	10%
GAA Member	Medicine	15%	5%
GAA Member	Engineering	7%	2%
GAA Member	Library	7%	6%
GAA Member	Pharmacy and Nutrition	7%	6%
GAA Member	WCVM	7%	1%
GAA Member	Agriculture and Bioresources	4%	1%
GAA Member	Edwards	4%	2%
GAA Member	School for the Arts	4%	0%
GAA Member	School of Rehabilitation Sciences	4%	0%
GAA Member	Dentistry	0%	0%
GAA Member	Kinesiology	0%	0%
GAA Member	Law	0%	0%
GAA Member	Nursing	0%	0%

Council Member	Arts and Science	16%	2%
Council Member	Agriculture and Bioresources	11%	5%
Council Member	Medicine	11%	5%
Council Member	Nursing	11%	7%
Council Member	WCVM	11%	3%
Council Member	Edwards	8%	5%
Council Member	Engineering	8%	4%
Council Member	Pharmacy and Nutrition	8%	9%
Council Member	Education	5%	5%
Council Member	SENS	5%	9%
Council Member	Law	3%	4%
Council Member	Library	3%	3%
Council Member	Dentistry	0%	0%
Council Member	Kinesiology	0%	0%
GAA+council	Pharmacy and Nutrition	16%	
GAA+council	Education	15%	
GAA+council	Medicine	10%	
GAA+council	Library	9%	
GAA+council	SENS	9%	
GAA+council	Nursing	7%	
GAA+council	Agriculture and Bioresources	6%	
GAA+council	Edwards	6%	
GAA+council	Engineering	6%	
GAA+council	Arts and Science	5%	
GAA+council	WCVM	4%	
GAA+council	Law	4%	
GAA+council	Dentistry	0%	
GAA+council	Kinesiology	0%	
GAA+council	School for the Arts	in Arts and science	
GAA+council	School of Rehabilitation Sciences	in Medicine	

Respectfully,
Reza Fotouhi, Chair, Nominations Committee