

## Academic Council Membership Roster – Academic Year 2020-2021

### Executive Committee

| Member                                  | Email  |
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| Chair – Jeanne Gillespie                | <a href="mailto:Jeanne.Gillespie@usm.edu">Jeanne.Gillespie@usm.edu</a> |
| Chair Elect – <i>Vacant</i>             | <i>N/A</i>   |
| Corresponding Secretary – Tracy Englert | <a href="mailto:Tracy.Englert@usm.edu">Tracy.Englert@usm.edu</a>       |
| Secretary – Dawn Porter                 | <a href="mailto:Dawn.Porter@usm.edu">Dawn.Porter@usm.edu</a>           |
| Registrar – Greg Pierce                 | <a href="mailto:Greg.Pierce@usm.edu">Greg.Pierce@usm.edu</a>           |

*Academic Council Chair is ex officio member on all committees. Chair-elect is ex officio on GEC committee.*

### Voting Members by College and School

#### Arts & Sciences (13)

| Member            | Email  | Term Expires    | Term     | School  |
|-------------------|--|-----------------|----------|---|
| Jerry “Joby” Bass | <a href="mailto:Joby@usm.edu">Joby@usm.edu</a>                               | May 2022        | 1        | Biological, Environmental, and Earth Sciences – Gulf Coast          |
| Jae-Hwa Shin      | <a href="mailto:Jae-Hwa.Shin@usm.edu">Jae-Hwa.Shin@usm.edu</a>               | May 2022        | 1        | Communication   |
| Wonryull Koh      | <a href="mailto:Wonryull.Koh@usm.edu">Wonryull.Koh@usm.edu</a>               | May 2023        | 1        | Computing Sciences & Computer Engineering                           |
| <i>Vacant</i>     |  | <i>May 2023</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>Construction &amp; Design</i>                                    |
| Phil Carlan       | <a href="mailto:Philip.Carlan@usm.edu">Philip.Carlan@usm.edu</a>             | May 2023        | 1        | Criminal Justice, Forensic Science, and Security                    |
| Christopher Foley | <a href="mailto:Christopher.D.Foley@usm.edu">Christopher.D.Foley@usm.edu</a> | May 2022        | 1        | Humanities – Gulf Coast   |
| Hamett Brown      | <a href="mailto:Hamett.Brown@usm.edu">Hamett.Brown@usm.edu</a>               | May 2022        | 1        | Interdisciplinary Studies and Professional Development – Gulf Coast |
| Karen Kohl        | <a href="mailto:Karen.Kohl@usm.edu">Karen.Kohl@usm.edu</a>                   | May 2022        | 1        | Mathematics & Natural Sciences – Gulf Coast                         |
| Richard Kravchak  | <a href="mailto:Richard.kravchak@usm.edu">Richard.kravchak@usm.edu</a>       | May 2023        | 1        | Music   |
| Scott Milroy      | <a href="mailto:Scott.Milroy@usm.edu">Scott.Milroy@usm.edu</a>               | May 2023        | 1        | Ocean Science & Engineering – Gulf Coast                            |
| Theresa Bush      | <a href="mailto:J.Theresa.Bush@usm.edu">J.Theresa.Bush@usm.edu</a>           | May 2023        | 1        | Performing and Visual Arts  |
| Sarah Morgan      | <a href="mailto:Sarah.Morgan@usm.edu">Sarah.Morgan@usm.edu</a>               | May 2023        | 1        | Polymer Science and Engineering                                     |
| Jeanne Gillespie  | <a href="mailto:Jeanne.Gillespie@usm.edu">Jeanne.Gillespie@usm.edu</a>       | May 2022        | 2        | Social Science & Global Studies / Academic Council Chair            |

#### Business & Economic Development (4)

| Member          | Email  | Term Expires | Term | School      |
|-----------------|--|--------------|------|-------------|
| Reginald Wilson | <a href="mailto:Reginald.Wilson@usm.edu">Reginald.Wilson@usm.edu</a> | May 2023     | 1    | Accountancy |
| Mac Forsyth     | <a href="mailto:Maurice.Forsyth@usm.edu">Maurice.Forsyth@usm.edu</a> | May 2022     | 1    | Finance     |
| Russ Willis     | <a href="mailto:Russ.willis@usm.edu">Russ.willis@usm.edu</a>         | May 2023     | 1    | Management  |
| Sungsoo Kim     | <a href="mailto:Sungsoo.Kim@usm.edu">Sungsoo.Kim@usm.edu</a>         | May 2022     | 1    | Marketing   |

**Education & Human Sciences (6)**

| <b>Member</b>  | <b>Email</b>   | <b>Term Expires</b> | <b>Term</b> | <b>School</b>                   |
|----------------|--|---------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|
| Lindsay Wright | <a href="mailto:Lindsay.Wright@usm.edu">Lindsay.Wright@usm.edu</a> | May 2022            | 1           | Child & Family Sciences         |
| Dean Franks    | <a href="mailto:D.Franks@usm.edu">D.Franks@usm.edu</a>             | May 2023            | 1           | Education                       |
| Laurie Neelis  | <a href="mailto:Laurie.Neelis@usm.edu">Laurie.Neelis@usm.edu</a>   | May 2022            | 1           | Kinesiology & Nutrition         |
| Johnnie Pace   | <a href="mailto:Johnnie.Pace@usm.edu">Johnnie.Pace@usm.edu</a>     | May 2023            | 1           | Library and Information Science |
| Michael Madson | <a href="mailto:Michael.madson@usm.edu">Michael.madson@usm.edu</a> | May 2023            | 1           | Psychology                      |
| Rachel Lahasky | <a href="mailto:Rachel.Lahasky@usm.edu">Rachel.Lahasky@usm.edu</a> | May 2023            | 1           | Social Work                     |

**Nursing & Health Professions (3)**

| <b>Member</b>    | <b>Email</b>   | <b>Term Expires</b> | <b>Term</b> | <b>School</b>                 |
|------------------|--|---------------------|-------------|-------------------------------|
| Jerry Purvis     | <a href="mailto:Jerry.Purvis@usm.edu">Jerry.Purvis@usm.edu</a>         | May 2022            | 1           | Health Professions            |
| Kathleen Masters | <a href="mailto:Kathleen.Masters@usm.edu">Kathleen.Masters@usm.edu</a> | May 2023            | 1           | Professional Nursing Practice |
| Amitava Biswas   | <a href="mailto:Amitava.Biswas@usm.edu">Amitava.Biswas@usm.edu</a>     | May 2023            | 1           | Speech & Hearing Sciences     |

**University Libraries, Gulf Coast Council, and Honors College (3)**

| <b>Member</b>  | <b>Email</b>   | <b>Term Expires</b> | <b>Term</b> | <b>School</b>        |
|----------------|--|---------------------|-------------|----------------------|
| Tracy Englert  | <a href="mailto:Tracy.Englert@usm.edu">Tracy.Englert@usm.edu</a> | May 2021            | 1           | University Libraries |
| Patrick Biber  | <a href="mailto:Patrick.Biber@usm.edu">Patrick.Biber@usm.edu</a> | May 2023            |             | Gulf Coast Council   |
| Don Yee (BEES) | <a href="mailto:Donald.Yee@usm.edu">Donald.Yee@usm.edu</a>       | May 2021            |             | Honors College       |

## Academic Council Committee Membership – Academic Year 2020-2021

### Academic Standards

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| Tracy Englert – Chair | <a href="mailto:Tracy.Englert@usm.edu">Tracy.Englert@usm.edu</a> | University Libraries                             |
| Patrick Biber         | <a href="mailto:Patrick.Biber@usm.edu">Patrick.Biber@usm.edu</a> | Gulf Coast Council                               |
| Phil Carlan           | <a href="mailto:Philip.Carlan@usm.edu">Philip.Carlan@usm.edu</a> | Criminal Justice, Forensic Science, and Security |
| Dean Franks           | <a href="mailto:D.Franks@usm.edu">D.Franks@usm.edu</a>           | Education  |
| Sarah Morgan          | <a href="mailto:Sarah.Morgan@usm.edu">Sarah.Morgan@usm.edu</a>   | Polymer Science and Engineering                  |
| Jerry Purvis          | <a href="mailto:Jerry.Purvis@usm.edu">Jerry.Purvis@usm.edu</a>   | Health Professions                               |
| Russ Willis           | <a href="mailto:Russ.Willis@usm.edu">Russ.Willis@usm.edu</a>     | Management                                       |
| <i>Vacant</i>         |  | Computing Sciences & Computer Engineering        |
| <i>Vacant</i>         |  | Construction & Design                            |
| <i>Vacant</i>         |  | Music  |

*Weighs-in on academic matters such as: cross-disciplinary duplications; modes of delivery; and badges and certificates.*

### Bylaws

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| Laurie Neelis – Chair | <a href="mailto:Laurie.Neelis@usm.edu">Laurie.Neelis@usm.edu</a>       | Kinesiology & Nutrition                     |
| Karen Kohl            | <a href="mailto:Karen.Kohl@usm.edu">Karen.Kohl@usm.edu</a>             | Mathematics & Natural Sciences – Gulf Coast |
| Kathleen Masters      | <a href="mailto:Kathleen.Masters@usm.edu">Kathleen.Masters@usm.edu</a> | Professional Nursing Practice               |
| Jae-Hwa Shin          | <a href="mailto:Jae-Hwa.Shin@usm.edu">Jae-Hwa.Shin@usm.edu</a>         | Communication                               |
| Reginald Wilson       | <a href="mailto:Reginald.Wilson@usm.edu">Reginald.Wilson@usm.edu</a>   | Accountancy                                 |

*Assures that Council bylaws and constitution are up-to-date and followed.*

### General Education

| Member                 | Email  | School  |
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| Michael Madson – Chair | <a href="mailto:Michael.Madson@usm.edu">Michael.Madson@usm.edu</a>           | Psychology  |
| Jerry “Joby” Bass      | <a href="mailto:Joby@usm.edu">Joby@usm.edu</a>                               | Biological, Environmental, and Earth Sciences                       |
| Hamett Brown           | <a href="mailto:Hamett.Brown@usm.edu">Hamett.Brown@usm.edu</a>               | Interdisciplinary Studies and Professional Development – Gulf Coast |
| Theresa Bush           | <a href="mailto:J.Theresa.Bush@usm.edu">J.Theresa.Bush@usm.edu</a>           | Performing and Visual Arts  |
| Christopher Foley      | <a href="mailto:Christopher.D.Foley@usm.edu">Christopher.D.Foley@usm.edu</a> | Humanities – Gulf Coast   |
| Sungsoo Kim            | <a href="mailto:Sungsoo.Kim@usm.edu">Sungsoo.Kim@usm.edu</a>                 | Marketing   |
| Johnnie Pace           | <a href="mailto:Johnnie.Pace@usm.edu">Johnnie.Pace@usm.edu</a>               | Library and Information Science                                     |

*Approves courses for inclusion in the GEC.*

### Assessment and Program Review

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| Amitava Biswas         | <a href="mailto:Amitava.Biswas@usm.edu">Amitava.Biswas@usm.edu</a>   | Speech & Hearing Sciences |
| Mac Forsyth            | <a href="mailto:Maurice.Forsyth@usm.edu">Maurice.Forsyth@usm.edu</a> | Finance                   |
| Rachel Lahasky         | <a href="mailto:Rachel.Lahasky@usm.edu">Rachel.Lahasky@usm.edu</a>   | Social Work               |

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| Scott Milroy | <a href="mailto:Scott.Milroy@usm.edu">Scott.Milroy@usm.edu</a> | Ocean Science & Engineering –<br>Gulf Coast |
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*Manages the processes for program inventory review, program reviews and other assessment related to AC business.*