

Shared Governance Committees 2011-2012

Each committee is chaired by a full-time faculty/staff member. Committee membership includes full-time faculty, part-time faculty, staff, alumni, and students.

Curriculum and Program Development Committee

Linda Main (Co-Chair)
Michelle Simmons (Co-Chair)
Pat Franks
Mary Ann Harlan
Michael Stephens
Lisa Daulby
Virginia Tucker
Jason Kaltenbacher (Part-time faculty representative)
Julie Wong (SLISConnect alumni representative)
Lucy Ingres (SLISConnect student representative)

Responsibilities:

- *Make recommendations for new technology to ensure creative delivery of SLIS programs in the U.S. and internationally*
- *Prepare and deliver Tech Tips newsletter for faculty at least once per semester*
- *Organize at least two Virtual Open Houses per year*
- *Share/demo/publish SLIS distance education (eLearning) technology and best practices outside of the School at least once a year each within the University and externally*
- *Build relationships outside of the School (within the University, in the Silicon Valley, other national and global relationships)*

SLIS Leadership Coordinating Team

Comprises the committee chairs, the director and associate director, manager of administrative services, student association president and alumni association president.

Sandy Hirsh, Director (Chair)

Anthony Bernier, Chair, Student Scholarships and Student and Alumni Networking

Allison Coltin, SLISConnect Alumni President

Debbie Faires, Chair, SLIS Technology and Resources

Debbie Hansen, Chair, Faculty Development and Faculty Research

Kristina Luna, Manager of Administrative Services

Linda Main, Associate Director & Co-Chair, Curriculum and Program Development

Valarie Kingsland, SLISconnect Student president

Kristin Rebmann, Chair, Diversity

Michelle Simmons, Co-Chair, Curriculum and Program Development

Responsibilities:

- *Ensure that the administrative and programmatic activities of the School are effective*
- *Build relationships outside of the School (within the University, in the Silicon Valley, other national and global relationships)*

SLIS Technology and Resources Committee

Debbie Faires (Chair)

Sue Alman

Derek Christiansen

Dale David

Jeremy Kemp

Stanley Laufer

Alyce Scott

Diane Kovacs (Part-time faculty representative)

Young Lee (SLISConnect alumni representative)

Sarah Henriksson (SLISConnect student representative)

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Student Scholarships and Student and Alumni Networking Committee

Anthony Bernier (Chair)

Cheryl Stenstrom

Rob Boyd

Geoffrey Liu

Nicole Purviance

Vicki Robison

Cheryl Dee (Part-time Faculty representative)

Andrew Carlos (SLISConnect alumni representative)

Alicia Gomori (SLISConnect student representative)

Responsibilities:

- *Develop criteria for awards and scholarships*
- *Recommend students for awards and scholarships*
- *Work with the technology team to develop videos and promotional materials that can be used to promote student scholarship winners*
- *Increase opportunities for students and alumni to network and communicate*
- *Build relationships outside of the School (within the University, in the Silicon Valley, other national and global relationships)*

Faculty Development / Grants

Debbie Hansen (Chair)

Rhonda Dahlgren

Ziming Liu

Lili Luo

Mary Minow, part-time faculty representative

Lisa Valdez

Katy DiVittorio, SLISConnect student representative

Mary Nino, SLISConnect alumni Representative

Responsibilities

- *Ensure the integration of part-time faculty*
- *Review procedures for peer review*
- *Give input on grant suggestions*
- *Build relationships outside of the School (within the University, in the Silicon Valley, other national and global relationships)*

Diversity Committee

Kristen Rebmann (Chair)

Beth Wrenn-Estes

Ziming Liu

Arglenda Friday

Judy Weedman

Bill Fisher

Susan Higgins (Part-time faculty representative)

Sharon Tani (SLISConnect alumni representative)

Sophia Duran (SLISConnect student representative)

Responsibilities:

- *Foster discussion and solicit input about diversity issues from students, staff, and faculty to improve SLIS programs, processes, and activities.*
- *Plan one Colloquium a year on a diversity topic (in coordination with Colloquium Coordinator)*
- *Recommend and plan additional diversity activities for SLIS.*
- *Welcome and mentor SLIS Spectrum scholars.*
- *Build relationships outside of the School (within the University, in the Silicon Valley, other national and global relationships)*