

1. University Senate 2016-17
 (70 Members)

Chairperson:	Voting Ex officio: Terry King, Interim President
Vice Chairperson:	Voting Ex officio: Robert Morris, Interim Provost
Secretary:	Voting Ex officio: Tarek Mahfouz
Parliamentarian:	Voting Ex officio: Chair, University Council
Undersecretary: Melanie Turner (Non-voting)	Voting Ex officio: Chair, Campus Council

Voting Academic Dean:

Faculty (by Department within Colleges):

Michele Chiuini	2018	Architecture	CAP	Department
Chris Marlow	2017	Landscape Architecture	CAP	Department
Bruce Frankel	2018	Urban Planning	CAP	Department
Chih-Lun (Alan) Yen	2018	Family and Consumer Sciences	CAST	Department
Tarek Mahfouz	2017	Technology	CAST	Department
Kelly Rosenberger	2017	Military Science	CAST	Department
Ron Kovac	2018	Center for Information and Communication Sciences	CCIM	Department
Kristen McCauliff	2017	Communication Studies	CCIM	Department
Adam Kuban	2018	Journalism	CCIM	Department
Michael Lee	2017	Telecommunications	CCIM	Department
Natalie Phillips	2018	School of Art	CFA	Department
Andrew Crow	2017	School of Music	CFA	Department
Karen Kessler	2018	Theatre and Dance	CFA	Department
Cynthia Thomas	2017	School of Nursing	COH	Department
Henry (He) Wang	2018	School of Kinesiology	COH	Department
Jagdish Khubchandani	2017	Health Science	COH	Department
		Nutrition and Dietetics	COH	Department
Julie Griffith	2018	Speech Pathology and Audiology	COH	Department
Stefania Aegisdottir	2017	Counseling Psychology and Guidance Services	COH	Department
Mark Hill	2017	Anthropology	CSH	Department
Randy Bernot	2018	Biology	CSH	Department
Scott Pattison	2017	Chemistry	CSH	Department
Shaoen Wu	2018	Computer Science	CSH	Department
Keisha Warren-Gordon	2017	Criminal Justice and Criminology	CSH	Department
Elizabeth Riddle	2018	English	CSH	Department
Jerzy Jemiolo	2017	Geography	CSH	Department
Kirsten Nicholson	2018	Geological Sciences	CSH	Department
Sergei Zhuk	2017	History	CSH	Department
Irene Livshits	2018	Mathematical Sciences	CSH	Department
Chin-Sook Pak	2017	Modern Languages and Classics	CSH	Department
Jessi Ghezzi	2018	Natural Resources and Environmental Management	CSH	Department

Elizabeth Agnew	2017	Philosophy and Religious Studies	CSH	Department
Ranjith Wijesinghe	2018	Physics and Astronomy	CSH	Department
Darren Wheeler	2018	Political Science	CSH	Department
Kristin Ritchey	2017	Psychological Science	CSH	Department
Matt Moore	2018	Social Work	CSH	Department
Rachel Kraus	2017	Sociology	CSH	Department
Chris Luchs	2017	Accounting	MCOB	Department
Cecil Bohannon	2018	Economics	MCOB	Department
John Fitzgerald	2017	Finance and Insurance	MCOB	Department
Thawatchai Jitpaiboon	2018	Information Systems and Operations Management	MCOB	Department
William Donoher	2018	Management	MCOB	Department
Joseph Chapman	2017	Marketing	MCOB	Department
Joseph McKinney	2018	Educational Leadership	TC	Department
Serena Shim	2017	Educational Psychology	TC	Department
David Roof	2018	Educational Studies	TC	Department
Eva Zygmunt	2017	Elementary Education	TC	Department
Kourtland Koch	2018	Special Education	TC	Department
Judith Sponseller	2017	Burriss Laboratory School		Department
<u>Contract Faculty:</u>				
Jennifer Christman	2018	Criminal Justice and Criminology	Full-Time Contract Faculty	
Jonathan Becker	2017	Theatre and Dance	Full-Time Contract Faculty	
<u>Professional Personnel:</u>				
Mark Holtzman	2016	Academic Advising		Area
Kevin Kenyon	2017	Business Affairs		Area
Scott McFadden	2016	University Libraries		Area
Chris Munchel	2017	Admissions		Area
	2016			Area
Maureen Warter	2017	Student Center Programs		Area

President, Student Government Association: James Wells

President, Student Senate:

President Pro Tempore Student Senate: Bailey Loughlin

Undergraduate Students (6):

Graduate Student (1):

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

Chairperson

Bruce Frankel, is a Professor of Urban Planning and has been at BSU since 2002 He is coordinator and founder interdisciplinary graduate/ undergraduate Real Estate Development Programs; service on 14 academic unit and university committees, chairing several; procured and continuing State-sponsored high school youth leadership project receiving national professional planning attention and funding eight BSU GA's and undergraduate fellowships Previous faculty service: University of Pennsylvania, Rutgers University, 1970-1977; honors & awards in teaching, research and the external affairs of the university; founded interdisciplinary Penn College of Thematic Studies, and RU graduate program in Public Policy & Administration.

Educated: University of Pennsylvania [MCP, PhD] and Rutgers University [BA, "Henry Rutgers Scholar"]; RU student body president

Community Engagements: Strong working relationship with Mayor Tyler and City Councilors, Representative Sue Errington & State Senator Tim Lanane; service to Lieutenant Governors and Indiana legislative party caucuses; founder of the Muncie Council of Neighborhood Presidents and the Emily Kimbrough Neighborhood Development Committee; service to U.S. Congressional committees and both Senate and House offices, to State legislatures, governors, and authorities/ agencies; full-time service as director of local intergovernmental affairs and of community development for a consortium of 23 local governments in New Jersey.

Full-time Professional Practice: Twenty-four years in planning and real estate development in the public, NGO and for-profit private sectors, as consultant to, and as director or chief executive of these agencies and firms. Expert witness, negotiator, underwriter and "closer" of contracts, including with Federal agencies.

Kourtland R. Koch joined the Department of Special Education in 1999 and was recommended for Full Professor in 2016. Dr. Koch is very active in his service to the profession. His research agenda focuses on applying brain mapping methods to identify specific perceptual modality pathways using fMRI imaging analysis. As Program Director for Early Childhood Special Education, Dr. Koch works with undergraduate students majoring in early childhood and mild disabilities. In line with these strands of research, Dr. Koch has been awarded two grants, one internal and one external, to support his research. He serves as associate editor or co-editor on numerous national and international journals. Since 2006, Dr. Koch has served on 25 committees either at the university, college, or departmental level. Dr. Koch received the Departmental Award for Outstanding Service in the spring of 2013 and 2015.

Dr. Koch's affiliation with the university and profession is outstanding both in its breadth and depth. Dr. Koch's long history and affiliation as a faculty mentor for students with disabilities, as indicated by Larry Markle, director of disability services, "Kourtland has been a very valued member of this group, a wonderful resource to the faculty, and a terrific mentor to students with disabilities." His commitment to students is further evidenced by positive comments that often point to his ability, willingness to meet with students, and enthusiasm to support student learning. Dr. Koch's service to Teachers College goes well beyond the domain of the University. He served as the coordinator of the Student Teaching Immersive Learning Experience in Germany and has led a group of students to Turkey forging new relationships. As quoted by Dr. Koch's department chair, "His work at the college and university levels has been invaluable and he will continue to demonstrate high levels of service to the university and beyond."

Vice Chairperson

Karen Kessler is an Associate Professor of Theatre, has been at Ball State for twelve years, teaching Directing and Shakespeare for the Department of Theatre and Dance. She received her M.F.A. in Theatre-Directing from the University of Massachusetts at Amherst in 1988. Karen currently serves as the Directing and Stage Management Option Coordinator. Also within her department, she is serving or has served on the Department Leadership Team, as well as Curriculum, Computers and Technology, Salary and Merit, and Promotion and Tenure Committees. Her college committee service includes membership on the College of Fine Arts P&T Committee on two different occasions. University service includes current membership on the Academic Technology Committee, the Parking Subcommittee, and the Creative Teaching Committee. Along with being a professor at Ball State, she is a professional theatrical director working at many theatres in Chicago as well as theatres across the country.

Secretary

Rachel Kraus is an Associate Professor in Sociology and has been at Ball State for ten years. She received her Ph.D. in Sociology from Purdue University in 2005. Her research interests include Religion/Spirituality, gender, and identity. Rachel is the current Secretary of the University Senate, has greatly enjoyed serving the university in this capacity, and would like to continue in this position. She served four years as her department's director of graduate studies, has served as the P&T Chair, and is currently serving as the salary committee Chair. Last year, she served as Chair of the College of Sciences and Humanities P&T appeals subcommittee. As a service to her discipline, she has served as Vice President of the North Central Sociological Association, and is currently serving as Secretary for the organization.

Biographical Information – Senate Agenda Committee

VOTE FOR ONE

Andrew Crow is an Assistant Professor and has served on the faculty at Ball State University since 2009.

As Director of Choral Activities, he currently leads the Ball State Statesmen and the Chamber Choir. He also teaches conducting and choral literature and supervises the choral conducting program for students pursuing graduate degrees.

Previous teaching positions include Rutgers University in Camden, New Jersey. He has served on several committees within the School of Music, including Salary and Merit (2 years), Graduate Council (2 years), Undergraduate Council (2 years), and Faculty Advisory Committee (1 year). He has also served a term on the University Grade Appeals Committee, within the Senate system. Since the summer of 2011 he has led an annual series of concerts for a project called *Musica in Situ* that tours to perform choral music in historic and interesting architectural spaces. The project has been funded as an Immersive Learning course in 2014 and 2015 involving students of architecture, music, and other majors.

Chih-Lun (Alan) Yen is an Assistant Professor of Hospitality & Food Management in the Department of Family and Consumer Sciences and has been at BSU since 2011. He received his Ph.D. from Virginia Tech

with a major in Hospitality & Tourism Management (concentration: Human Resources Management). Professor Yen teaches primarily in the field of hospitality management and his classes include: Lodging Management, Strategic Operation in the Lodging Industry, and Customer Service. His research interests center on human resources management issues in the hospitality industry, with a focus on recruitment, and consumer behaviors in the hotel industry. He currently serves on multiple editorial boards of top-tier hospitality & tourism management journals and special interests committees of International Council on Hotel, Restaurant, and Institutional Education (ICHRIE).