

**UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS**  
**URBANA-CHAMPAIGN SENATE**  
Committee on Committees  
(Final; Action)

CC.17.06 Nominations for Membership to the Research Policy Committee

**BACKGROUND**

The Research Policy Committee advises the Chancellor, the Vice Chancellor for Research (VCR), and the Senate on matters of research policy. Eight of the ten faculty members are appointed by the VCR from nominations by the Senate. The one graduate member and one undergraduate student member are each appointed by the VCR from nominations by the Senate. Nominations should be twice the number of vacancies. The faculty members and graduate student member serve two-year terms and the undergraduate student serves a one-year term.

Continuing faculty members of the Research Policy Committee from Senate nominations and the expiration of their terms are as follows:

Neal Merchen	ACES	2017
Feng Sheng Hu	LAS	2017
Jeffrey Woods	AHS	2017

**NOMINATIONS**

Committee on Committees recommends approval of the following slate of nominees to fill four faculty vacancies with terms ending 2018 and one faculty vacancy with a term ending 2017 created by the resignation of Fouad Abd el Khalick (EDUC). If no additional nominations are made, the nominees below will be forwarded to the VCR.

Nicole Allen	LAS	Sarah Lubienski	EDUC
Jeff Brawn	ACES	Naomi Makins	ENGR
Heidi Imker	LIBR	Susan Martinis	LAS
Andrew Leakey	ACES	Mariselle Melendez	LAS
Keith Leicht	LAS	Liz Stine-Morrow	EDUC

Committee on Committees recommends approval of the following slate of nominees to fill two student vacancies; one graduate student vacancy with a term ending 2018, and one undergraduate student with a term ending 2017. If no additional nominations are made, the nominees below will be forwarded to the VCR.

Alejandra Aguro	GRAD	Michael Jacobson	ACES
Allison Musser	GRAD	Ema Khan	LAS

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Nominations from the floor must be accompanied by the nominee's signed statement of willingness to serve if elected. The statement shall be dated and include the name of the position to be filled. If present, the nominee's oral statement will suffice.