
Procedure **Caucus to nominate ECOS Members**

Procedure Number: 102.25
Date Adopted: 2/17/22
References: Article III, Section 2, Bylaw I, B.3, Bylaw III, A.1.a. -2.a
Approved by: Executive Committee of the Faculty Senate

The membership of ECOS should be representative of the Faculty Senate and the voting groups listed in Bylaw 1, B 3 (Appended). Effective Fall 2022, no more than two members from the same voting group shall be on ECOS which may exclude the chair-elect. Members shall not be from the same department.

In commitment to the principles of diversity, equity and inclusion in all areas (Bylaw Section III, A1a), ECOS membership should include individuals with diverse perspectives and backgrounds.

To ensure senators have enough information to make an informed vote a document listing the continuing members of ECOS, total FTE of the voting groups and a list of senators eligible for election to ECOS shall be posted to the agenda.

Senators shall caucus in two groups, one for the College of Humanities and Sciences and another for professional schools. Current members of ECOS shall chair the caucuses. They shall inform the caucus of the number of vacancies to be filled from the voting groups not already represented.

Senators may self- nominate or be nominated. Before a vote, those nominated should say a few words regarding their interest in serving on ECOS.

Voting shall take place by secret ballot or if online, by an anonymous electronic system. Votes shall be tallied by out-going Senate Chair or ECOS member or if by an electronic system shared with the caucus.

The full senate reconvenes to vote to confirm the voting group nominations.

Voting Groups

The eleven voting groups of the Faculty Senate shall be as follows:

1.College of Business

Accounting and Finance
Information Systems & Technology
Management & Marketing

2. College of Education

Counselor Education
Educational Leadership
Teaching & Learning

3. College of Forestry & Conservation

Ecosystem & Conservation Sciences
Forest Management
Society & Conservation

4. College of Health

Biomedical & Pharmaceutical Sciences
Integrative Physiology and Athletic Training
Pharmacy Practice
Physical Therapy & Rehabilitation Science
Public & Community Health Science
Social Work
Speech Language, Hearing and Occupational Sciences

5. College of the Arts and Media

Journalism
Music
Theatre & Dance
Visual & Media Art

6. Missoula College

Applied Arts and Sciences
Applied Computing & Engineering Technology
Business Technology
Health Professions
Industrial Technology

7. Humanities

English
History
Native American Studies
Philosophy
World Languages & Cultures

8. Mansfield Library

9. School of Law

Law
Public Administration & Policy

10. Sciences

Chemistry
Computer Science
Division of Biological Sciences
Geosciences
Mathematical Sciences
Physics and Astronomy

11. Social & Behavioral Sciences

Anthropology
Communication Studies
Economics
Environmental Studies
Political Science
Psychology
Sociology