

Current Committee Membership

Curricula, Committee on

The Committee on Curricula serves to implement the General Institute Requirements and Course Curricula for undergraduates, including acting with power on: a) proposals for changes in the Institute requirements and making recommendations to the Faculty; b) proposals for Science Distribution and Laboratory subjects; c) requests from individual students for exceptions to the General Institute Requirements; d) proposals for changes in undergraduate subjects of instruction; e) proposals for new curricula, changes in existing curricula, and the discontinuation of existing curricula; and f) reviewing departmental reports on individual student's programs that include major departures from an approved curriculum.

The Committee on Curricula consists of six elected Faculty members, four undergraduate student members, and the following *ex officio*, nonvoting members: the Vice Chancellor for Graduate and Undergraduate Education (or designee), the Registrar, one member designated by the Vice Chancellor for Graduate and Undergraduate Education, and the Chair of the Committee on the Undergraduate Program.

Prof. Chris Kaiser, Chair (June 30, 2026)

Biology

Prof. Connor Wilson Coley (June 30, 2027)

Chemical Engineering

Prof. Paloma Duong (June 30, 2027)

Program in Writing & Humanistic Studies

Prof. Mark Goulthorpe (June 30, 2028)

Architecture

Prof. John Joseph Horton (June 30, 2028)

Sloan School of Management

Prof. Phiala E. Shanahan (June 30, 2026)

Physics

Mr. Manolo Barroso, Student '27 (June 30, 2026)

Mr. Geoffrey Enwere, Student '26 (June 30, 2026)

Ms. Sophia Yao, Student '26 (June 30, 2026)

Mr. Yaakov Zerykier, Student '27 (June 30, 2026)

Prof. Sara L. Brown, Designated Representative, Vice Chancellor for Graduate and Undergraduate Education # (June 30, 2026)

Music and Theater Arts Section

Mr. Brian E. Canavan, Registrar #

OVC Department Heads

Prof. Gigliola Staffilani, Designated Representative, Vice Chancellor for Graduate and Undergraduate Education # (June 30, 2026)

Mathematics

Ms. Martha Janus, Staff to Committee

Registrar

Ms. Alison R. Trachy, Staff to Committee

Registrar

Ms. Pam Walcott, Executive Officer

Registrar

NOTE: Date in parentheses indicates term expiration.

LEGEND: * Ex Officio Voting ^ Non-MIT Member
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