

## **Presidential Committees 2015-2016**

### **Awards and Recognition Committee**

The purpose and function of this committee shall be:

- Annually recommend individuals to the Chadron State Alumni Association and CSC President for:
  - Commencement Speakers – recommendations made to the chair of the Commencement Committee
  - Distinguished Service Award
  - Distinguished Alumni Award
  - Distinguished Young Alumnus Award
  - Family Tree Award
  - Honorary Doctorate
  - Executive-in-Residence
  - Scholar-in-Residence
- Coordinate, as appropriate, with those responsible for Commencement, Family Day, Homecoming, and Ivy Day
- Solicit, review, and screen nominations of eligible faculty for the Chadron State College *Outstanding Teaching Award* and the *Nebraska State College System Teaching Excellence Award* and make recommendations to the President
- Submit an annual report to the President's office prior to May 15 each year.

### **MEMBERS:**

Karen Pope, Co-Chair

Joyce Hardy, Co-Chair

Tim Anderson

Teresa Frink

Sandy Schaefer (Faculty Senate President)

Mike Bogner

Con Marshall

Connie Rasmussen

Scott Ritzen

Don King

Lou Alcorn (Alumni Assoc. Pres.)

## **Campus Facilities, Safety and ADA Compliance Committee**

The purpose and function of this committee shall be:

- Review campus facilities for safety and ADA compliance and recommend changes as needed
- Review the accommodations provided for special need students and recommend changes as needed
- Assess the campus for utilitarian and aesthetic needs such as parking, lighting, sidewalks and landscaping and recommend needed changes
- Submit an annual report to the President's office prior to May 15 each year to include:
  - Minutes of meetings
  - Changes implemented in previous year for ADA compliance, accommodation, and utilitarian, safety and aesthetic needs
  - Assessment of current ADA compliance in physical facilities and grounds with respect to strengths, weaknesses and recommendations
  - Assessment of current accommodations of special needs students with respect to strengths, weaknesses and recommendations for improvement
  - Assessment of current utilitarian, safety and aesthetic needs for the campus and include strengths, weaknesses and recommendations

### **MEMBERS:**

Dale Grant, Chair

Melvin Ainslie (NAPE rep)

Brenda Barry-Schommer

Todd Baumann

Blair Brennan

Jerry Cassiday

Scott Cavin

Ann Dockweiler

Anne DeMersseman

Don Keiper

Tim Keith

Silas Kern

Lucinda Mays

Hank McCallum

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Harold Mowry

Sherri Simons

Nate Jones (undergrad student)

Zack Bargaen (graduate student)

## **Commencement Committee**

The purpose and function of this committee shall be:

- Plan and coordinate annual graduation ceremonies
- Plan and coordinate the logistical setup for the ceremonies
- Recommend commencement speakers to the president in coordination with the Awards and Recognition Committee
- Submit an annual report to the President's office prior to May 15 each year to include:
  - Minutes of meetings
  - Assessment of the two annual commencement events with respect to strengths, weaknesses and recommendations for planning and logistics
  - Assessment of the current processes for selecting commencement speakers with recommendations to the president

### **MEMBERS:**

Dale Williamson, Co-Chair

Michele Rickenbach, Co-Chair

Leslie Bargaen

Scott Cavin

Tena Cook

Ann Dockweiler

Dale Grant

Joel Hyer

Shellie Johns

Kathleen Kirsch

Connie Rasmussen

Sidney Shuler

Charles Snare

Nathaniel Brown (student)

## **Diversity Committee**

The purpose and function of this committee shall be:

- Develop a Campus Diversity Plan
- Submit an annual report to the President's office prior to May 15 each year to include:
  - Minutes of meetings
  - Current College Diversity Plan
  - Assessment of progress toward achievement of diversity goals with respect to strengths, weaknesses and recommendations

### **MEMBERS:**

Bruce Hoem, Co-Chair

Shellie Johns, Co-Chair

Pat Beu

Anne DeMersseman

Chris Green

Shawn Hartman

Richard Kenney

Kayla Kintz

Billie Knifong

David Nesheim

Sarah Polak

William Roweton

Jennifer Schaer

Laure Sinn

Austen Stephens

Ted Tewahade

Gavan Archibald (student)

Katrina Hurley (student)

## **Emergency Response Team**

The purpose and function of this team shall be:

- To review and keep current all emergency response plans.
- To meet when emergency situations occur to manage campus response.
- To assist local, state and federal authorities as needed during an emergency.
- To cultivate relationships with off-campus police, fire, medical and emergency agencies prior to an emergency occurring to ensure campus response is compatible with local efforts.

This committee will take the campus leadership role during disaster situations. This role includes but is not limited to the following: protecting our students and staff from harm; determining what can be done to limit additional damage to property; securing the campus during an emergency; communicating with the lead agency for the disaster; handling press releases; providing services to the community and region, if needed.

### **MEMBERS:**

Dale Grant, Chair  
Brenda Barry-Schommer  
Robin Brierly  
Ann Burk  
Tena Cook  
Ann Dockweiler  
Sherry Douglas  
Anne DeMersseman, Associate VP Human Resource  
Chris Green  
Jon Hansen  
Alex Helmbrecht  
Joel Hyer  
Don Keiper  
James Margetts  
James Powell  
Randy Rhine  
Shane Sanders, Campus Resource Officer  
Andrew Schmid  
Sherri Simons  
Charles Snare  
Kathleen Woods  
Karl Dailey, Sheriff  
Tim Lordino, Police Chief  
Harold Krueger, Chadron Community Hospital  
Nan Thornton, Region 23 Emergency Management  
Del Hussey, Red Cross  
Dr. Caroline Winchester, Chadron City Schools

Aaron Chrisman, Chadron City Schools Resource Officer (308-430-2625 cell or 308-530-2290cell)

## **Homecoming Committee**

The purpose and function of this committee shall be:

- Plan, publicize, implement and facilitate all Homecoming activities
- Submit an annual report to the President's office prior to May 15 each year to include:
  - Minutes of meetings
  - Evaluation of all activities and events associated with Homecoming week with respect to strengths, weaknesses and recommendations for future planning

### **MEMBERS:**

Rick Koza, Co-Chair

Wendy Jamison - Co chair

Todd Baumann

Tena Cook

Sarah Dykes

Chris Green

Jon Hansen

Shellie Johns

Billie Knifong

Con Marshall

Harold Mowry

Karen Pope

Jennifer Schaer

Sidney Shuler

Laure Sinn

Joel Smith

Austen Stephens

Katrina Hurley (Student Senate President)

Stephanie Steele (CAB Chair)

Chelsea Evans (Student)

Tileen Sullivan (Student)

## **Scholastic Day Committee**

The purpose and function of this committee shall be:

- Select the date for the event
- Plan, organize and implement the event
- Submit an annual report to the President's office prior to May 15 each year to include:
  - Minutes of meetings
  - Evaluation of the current year's event with respect to strengths, weaknesses and recommendations

### **MEMBERS:**

Beth Wentworth, Chair

Tena Cook

Chris Green

Jamie Hamaker

Shellie Johns

Kayla Kintz

James Margetts

Jeri Neuharth

Andrew Schmid

Laure Sinn

James Wright

Katrina Hurley - Student Senate Rep

Stephanie Steele - CAB Rep