

Committee on Committees & Credentials Report

Submitted by Amy Acklin, Chair

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The CCC is officially accepting nominations for the 2025-26 Faculty Senate Standing Committees, as well as the Chair and Vice Chair positions. Elections for the 2025-26 Faculty Senate will be held May 7, 2025. A ballot draft is attached.

The CCC committee has been working with Gretchen Henry to prepare a ballot draft. In March, Gretchen emailed senators in current positions to confirm their availability for next year. She also communicated to units who needed to run an election for any open senator position (deadline was April 1). For current standing committee positions on the ballot, please double-check the draft and let Amy Acklin know if there need to be any changes.

We have quite a few openings for next year, including positions for Chair and Vice Chair. I hope each of you will consider running for a position. Your service and expertise are greatly appreciated. Please review the ballot draft and the unit specifications for each opening to see if you are eligible to run.

Additional details of elections, including the duties of Chair and Vice Chair, can be found in our Faculty Senate Bylaws at: <https://louisville.edu/facultysenate/bylaws>

Email Amy Acklin (a.acklin@louisville.edu) by April 15 to add your name to the ballot.

For Chair and Vice Chair nominations, please send a brief paragraph about your experience that we can include on the ballot. This does not need to be extensive - just helpful enough to provide context to senators whom you might not know. For all other positions, your name and unit are all that is needed. Nominations can also be accepted on the floor in May.

A reminder that all 2nd year senators are required to run for election on a committee.

Thank you for your service! Please feel free to contact me with any questions or changes that need to be made to the ballot draft.