In 2019, the Office of Academic and Student Affairs created a Student Success Advisory Board comprised of several committees to inform collegewide decision-making and establish broad collaboration and shared resources for a number of critical areas related to student success, retention, and recruitment as well as research grants. The following committees have both college and departmental representatives. Please contact committee leads with your questions, ideas, or suggestions before creating new initiatives or using resources within your unit.

Would you like to serve on one of these committees?
Contact Associate Dean Ozlem Kilic.

### Committees

**DIVERSITY**
Provides suggestions for the recruitment and retention of underrepresented engineering students.

*Members:* Travis Griffin *(lead)*, Richard Bennett, Nicholas Brabson, Melissa Callahan, Mark Dean, Cavanaugh Mims, Tonya Shortt, Mike Taylor, and Jalonda Thompson

**FIRST-YEAR STUDIES and INITIATIVES**
Leads FYS course launch and Engage Living & Learning Community initiatives.

*Members:* Rachel Ellestad *(lead)*, Amy Biegalski, Betsy Chesnutt, Amanda Lovelace, and Darren Maczka

**INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS AND EXPERIENCES**
Creates ideas to promote engineering research, teaching and outreach with an international perspective to help graduate leaders prepared for an interconnected world.

*Members:* Rupy Sawhney *(lead)*, Mike Berry, Kevin Kit, Jamie McGowan and Guilherme Zuccolotto

**OUTREACH**
Provides suggestions for K-11 activities and broader impact experiences for research grants, as well as coordinating and planning for TCE-level events.

*Members:* Anne Skutnik *(lead)*, Nicole Bryant, Betsy Chesnutt, Jessica Jeffers, Laura O'Shaughnessy, Jalonda Thompson, and Bobbie Williams

**RECRUITMENT**
Provides suggestions for recruitment activities as well as coordinating and planning for TCE-level events.

*Members:* Melissa Callahan *(lead)*, Lisa Byrd, Andy Galleher, John Hoffschneider, Kevin Kit, Erin McCave, Margie Russell, Anne Skutnik, and Jalonda Thompson

**RETENTION**
Provides suggestions for increasing retention, helps with activities and programming.

*Members:* Lisa Byrd *(lead)*, Shelby Bacon, Rachel Ellestad, Hoon Hwangbo, Deborah Penchoff, Margie Russell, and Anne Skutnik

**SCHOLARSHIPS**
Provides a selection of first-year and continuing scholarship applicant and assist with the TCE scholarship model.

*Members:* Shelby Bacon *(lead)*, Amy Biegalski, Kathleen Kim-Baker, and Margie Russell

**WOMEN IN ENGINEERING**
Provides recommendations for strategic ideas and initiatives for successful recruitment, retention and graduation and continued engagement of WiE.

*Members:* Jalonda Thompson *(lead)*, Barbie Bigelow, Ashlyn Bryant, Melissa Callahan, Anahita Khojandi, Jennifer Retherford, Javiette Samuel, Tiffany Sithiphone, and Katie Wiley