**This template is provided to assist committee chairs to satisfy the reporting requirements found in Faculty Senate Bylaws, Article III, Section 2. Please note the following applicable provisions:**

***The Chair of each Faculty Senate Committee shall report at least once each semester to the chair of the Executive Committee regarding the business conducted by the Faculty Senate Committee….***

***It shall be the responsibility of committee chairs to monitor their committee membership’s status and any vacancies (whether occurring by repeated absence, leave of absence, resignation or retirement), and promptly report any occurring vacancies to the Senate leadership.***

**Email completed reports to** [**facultysenate@unt.edu**](mailto:facultysenate@unt.edu)**. Rev. 11-2021**

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***Report to the Faculty Senate Executive Committee* Date:**  March 5, 2025

**“x” or circle:**   **Mid-year report X**  **End-of-year report**

**Committee Name**: Faculty Senate Awards Committee

**Chair or Co-Chairs:** Jennifer Gómez Menjívar

**Meetings for the term/year:** [insert dates of all meetings to-date, whether electronic or in-person]

September 16, 2024; November 22, 2024; December 9, 2024

**Membership and Attendance** (year-to-date attendance record):

**These column and row titles may vary based upon the nature of the committee composition. Please highlight names of members missing three or more meetings.**

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| **Group Represented, committee office, if applicable** | **Name** | **Department or administrative unit affiliation** | **Term End**  **(if applicable)** | **Meetings Attended** | **Meetings Absent / # Excused** |
| Chair | Jennifer Gómez Menjívar | Media Arts, Group VIII | 2026 | All | -- |
| Group I | Elaine Pawlowicz | SART | 2027 | All | -- |
| Group II | Jacqueline Foertsch | ENGL | 2026 | On Leave F24 | On Leave F24 |
| Group III | Haifeng Zhang | ME | 2026 | All | -- |
| Group IV | Vacant? |  |  |  |  |
| Group V | Scott Stovall | ACCT | 2027 | All | -- |
| Group VI | Jason Chiang | EPSY | 2026 | All | -- |
| Group VII | Kat Aoyama | ASLP | 2026 | All | -- |
| Group VIII | Jennifer Gómez Menjívar | MRTS | 2026 | All | -- |
| At-large | Thuy Nguyen | MKTG | 2027 | All | -- |
| At-large | Dan Kim | ITDS | 2027 | All | -- |

*(Add lines as needed)*

**Do any membership positions need to be replaced at this time due to non-attendance or a leave of members? If so, which positions? (This assumes proper notice was provided per the Procedures Manual; example correspondence and explanation of notice may be found in the** [**Committee Chair Tool Kit.)**](https://facultysenate.unt.edu/standing-committees-0)

N/A

**The Executive Committee establishes charges for each standing committee and may amend them as needed; alternatively, the standing committee may propose amended charges, composition, etc., by making a written proposal and sending to the Faculty Senate office** [**facultysenate@unt.edu**](mailto:facultysenate@unt.edu)**.) Do your committee charges remain relevant? If not, what changes to the charges do you propose?**

Yes, they remain relevant.

**Accomplishments (including items submitted for review or approval to the Executive Committee or Faculty Senate):**

**Our major accomplishments were the adjudication of applications and selection of recipients for the following awards:**

**H. Shelton Excellence in Teaching Award**

* Dr. Kerry Goldmann, Professional Faculty, Department of History, College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences

**President’s Council Teaching Awards**

* Dr.  Joanna Davis – McElligatt, Assistant Professor, Department of English, College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences
* Dr. Wesley Phelps, Associate Professor, Department of History, College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences

**President’s Council Service Award**

* Dr. Jacqueline Foertsch, Professor, Department of English, College of Liberal Arts & Social Sciences

Additionally, the faculty member selected as the nominee representing the University of North Texas for the **2025** **Minnie Stevens Piper Professor** state award is:

* Dr. Vess Johnson, Associate Professor, Department of Information Technology and Decision Sciences, G. Brint Ryan College of Business

**Ongoing/future projects:**

We look forward to next year’s awards season. Thank you.