



**Mississippi State University**  
**College of Education**  
**Barry F. Box Curriculum Council**  
**2017-2018**

**Committee Members**

<b>Member Name</b>	<b>Department</b>	<b>Term Expiration</b>
Dr. Rebecca Robichaux-Davis <b>Chair</b>	Curriculum, Instruction, & Special Education	2019
Dr. Dan Gadke	Counseling, Educational Psychology & Foundations	2020
Dr. Carla Jagger	Human Sciences	2019
Dr. Megan Holmes	Kinesiology	2018
Dr. Stephanie King	Educational Leadership	2018
Dr. Richard Human	Music	2020
Dr. Penny Wallin	Educational Leadership	2018
Dr. John Wyatt	Instructional Systems & Workforce Development	2018

**Ex-Officio Members**

<b>Member Name</b>	
Dr. Teresa Jayroe	Associate Dean, College of Education
Dr. Mitzy Johnson	Assistant Dean, College of Education
Dr. Nicole Radar	Associate Dean, College of Arts & Sciences
To Be Determined	Chair, Undergraduate Education Advisory Committee
To Be Determined	Representative, Graduate Coordinators Advisory Committee
Dr. Donna Shea	Director, Office of Clinical/Field-based Instruction, Licensure, & Outreach
Rotating	Ambassador, College of Education
Rotating	P-12 Representative, Teacher Education Council

**Purposes**

The purpose of the Box Council shall be to:

- A. Initiate or hear suggestions for the improvement of instructional programs within the College of Education
- B. Coordinate the curriculum for the College of Education
- C. Determine if proposed curricula and courses are within the scope of the stated mission and goals of the state, university, and College of Education
- D. Serve as the recommending body for the modification, addition, or deletion of courses and degree programs in the College of Education
- E. Represent the College of Education in relation to university-wide curriculum matters

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- F. Promote academic excellence and a professional image for the College of Education
- G. Accept special assignments as requested by the Dean of the College of Education
- H. Provide oversight of the Doctoral Core in the College of Education.

### **Membership**

The Box Council membership shall include voting faculty members and additional non-voting representatives as listed below.

- Section 1      The Box Council’s voting membership shall be comprised of elected representatives from each academic department of the College of Education, one elected representative representing the Division of Education (Meridian), and one elected representative from the School of Human Sciences.
  
- Section 2      To serve on the Box Council as a voting member, the representative must be a tenure-track faculty member holding the rank of assistant professor (or higher) with at least three years in rank at Mississippi State University.
  
- Section 3      Only tenure-track faculty members are eligible to elect Box Council representatives.
  
- Section 4      The Box Council’s ex-officio (non-voting) members shall include an Associate Dean for the College of Education, an Associate Dean for the College of Arts and Sciences, the Director of Clinical/Field-Based Instruction, Licensure, and Outreach, a Representative of the Chair of the Graduate Coordinators Advisory Committee, the Chair of the Undergraduate Education Advisory Committee, a rotating College of Education Ambassador, and a rotating professional educational practitioner (K-12) representing the Teacher Education Council.

### **Appointments**

- Section 1      Each department shall forward names of elected representatives to the College of Education Dean’s Office in May of each year. **Each member of the Council shall serve a period of three years.** Non-voting members are exempt from the rotation.
  
- Section 2      If a member wishes to resign, the member shall make the request to his/her Department Head. In the event that an unexpired term is vacated, a replacement shall be elected from the affected department to complete that three-year term.
  
- Section 3      A member may serve two consecutive terms, after which the person is ineligible for membership on the Box Council for one year.

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