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April 28, 2026

MEMORANDUM

TO: Full-Time Faculty, Levin College of Law

FROM: Merritt McAlister, Interim Dean

RE: Faculty Meeting Agenda

Our final Faculty Meeting of the 2025-2026 academic year will take place in the Faculty Lounge on Tuesday, May 5, 2026. The meeting will begin at 12:00 p.m. and will end no later than 2:00 pm. Lunch will be available beginning at 11:45 a.m.

The agenda is as follows:

1. Action Item: Approve faculty meeting minutes for April 7, 2026, attached (Dean McAlister)
2. Action Item: Approve spring 2025 graduates (Dean McAlister)
3. Action Item: Emeritus Status for Professor Collier (Dean McAlister)
4. Action Item: Appointments Committee presents Madeline Sligh for Immigration Clinic Director (Dean O'Connell, chair)
5. Action Item: Appointments Committee presents Jeffrey DeSousa and Duane Daiker for Appellate Clinic Director (Dean O'Connell, chair)
6. Action Item: Present Affiliate status for Associate Professor Philip Wang, Warrington School of Business, for approval (Dean Molok)
7. Action Item: Faculty Committee Assignments (Dean McAlister)

8. Action Item: Presents AI Standards Syllabi Proposal from Academic Standards Committee (Wolking, chair)
9. Action Item: Present certain revisions to the LL.M. program for approval (Dean Molk)
10. Information Item: Co-curricular Credit Request from the Law Review (Fenster, chair)
11. Information Item: Simple Syllabus (Dean Lopez & McIlhenny)

If you are unable to attend, please contact Peter Molk, who will discuss available options. Otherwise, I look forward to seeing you.

**UF Levin College of Law Faculty Meeting Minutes**  
**April 14, 2026 - 12:00 noon**

PRESENT: Rachel Arnow-Richman, Derek Bambauer, Stacy Biggart, Annie Brett, Nicholas Christopolis, Judy Clausen, Julian Cook, Lisa De Sanctis, Donna Eng, Barbara Evans, Cory Evans, Mark Fenster, Ben Fernandez, Thomas Haley, William Hamilton, Christopher Hampson, David Hasen, Thomas Hawkins, Berta Hernandez-Truyol, Benjamin Johnson, Lea Johnston, Elizabeth-Ann Katz, Zachary Kaufman, Heather Kolinsky, Gary Lawson, Sabrina Lopez, Lynn LoPucki, Jonathan Marshfield, Merritt McAlister, Timothy McLendon, Silvia Menendez, Peter Molk, Jane O'Connell, Robert Rhee, Stacey Steinberg, John Stinneford, Lee-ford Tritt, Derek Wheeler, Michael Wolf, Sarah Wolking, Andy Yuan, Wentong Zheng.

PRESENT ON ZOOM: Amy Stein.

NOT PRESENT: YarivBrauner, Karen Burke, Juan Caballero, Charles Collier, Donna Erez-Navot, Alex Erwin, Kristen Hardy, Mindy Herzfeld, Jiaying Jiang, Matthew Kim, Lyrissa Lidsky, Charlene Luke, Tracey Maclin, Grayson McCouch, Thinh Nguyen, Lars Noah, Paige Snelgro, Joan Stearns, Johnsen, Steven Willis, Danaya Wright.

Meeting called to order at 12:01 pm.

1. Action Item: Approve faculty meeting minutes for March 24, 2026, attached (Dean McAlister)

Dean McAlister presented minutes for March 24, 2026.

*Outcome: Minutes approved*

2. Action Item: Presentation of adjunct faculty reappointments from the Adjunct Teaching Committee (Menendez, chair)

Professor Menedez reported on the additional review of adjunct Professor Uthmeier and reported on the committee's recommended approval. Faculty discussed and considered reappointment.

A motion from the floor was made for a secret ballot. The motion was seconded and the measure passed by show of hands vote.

*Outcome: Ballot will be sent electronically, after the meeting, and will be open until 5:00 pm.*

3. Action Item: Compressed Course policy extension (Dean McAlister)

Dean McAlister presented proposal to extend policy of compressed courses to sunset at the end of the 2026-27 academic year.

*Outcome: Approved by faculty vote.*

4. Action Item: Presentation of Promotion & Tenure Standards from Faculty Council (Stinneford)

Professor Stinneford presented revised scholarship standards that reflect a change of language to create consistency between the Post Tenure Review and the Promotion and Tenure Requirements. Faculty considered and discussed the changes.

*Outcome: Approved by a vote of the tenure-track faculty.*

5. Action Item: Appointment committee presentation of candidate (Marshfield, chair)

Professor Marshfield presented Sari Mazzurco along with the committees' unanimous recommendation. Faculty considered and discussed the nomination.

*Outcome: Ballot will be sent electronically, after the meeting, and will be open until 5:00 pm.*

6. Information Item: Appointment committee re: committee's approval of look-see visitor for Fall 2026. (Marshfield, chair)

Professor Marshfield presented Professor Lederman as a look-see candidate. Committee unanimously approved bringing the candidate forward for the dean to extend the position. It was noted that the look-see candidate will come for a job talk in the fall.

*Outcome: Information Only*

7. Information Item: Update on learning outcomes and syllabi (Dean Lopez)

Dean Lopez updated the faculty on learning outcomes and simple syllabi and noted there would be a training opportunity after the May 5 faculty meeting, with a June 18 deadline for syllabus submissions.

*Outcome: Information Only*

Meeting adjourned at 1:05 pm.



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Academic Affairs

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MEMORANDUM

TO: The Faculty

FROM: Brian S. Mitchell, Esq. *Brian S. Mitchell*  
Assistant Dean for Academic Affairs  
Levin College of Law

DATE: April 13, 2026

RE: Spring 2026 Graduation

Listed below students have applied for graduation for the Spring 2026 semester. We recommend approval of the following candidates.

Juris Doctor

Biswash Adhikari  
Isabella Alonso  
Ryan Alvarez  
Logan Ansted  
Andrea Arrizabalaga  
Lauren Austin  
Maximus Baldwin  
Roberto Barrera  
Beri Bastian  
Sydney Beckman  
Hannah Bedard  
Margaret Bekta  
Carolyn Bell  
Simon Benzaquen  
Anthony Biondillo  
William Blue  
Sabrina Boos  
Jessica Buscher  
Kenneth Butler  
Mary Byerley  
Jenna Callison  
LeAnn Campbell  
Yufan Cao  
Dannon Catherwood  
Kaitlyn Chronister  
Jennifer Cimeus  
Katherine Corcoran  
Tiffany Crouch  
Mia Cafaro  
Steven Cutler

Aleksandra Czarkowska  
Aspasia Daka  
Andrew Daves  
Angelina Del Toro  
Manoach Deliscar  
Max Ditkoff  
Grant Drogosch  
Victor Dumitru  
Wyatt English  
Emily Esposito  
Shannon Fan  
Alexa Fishman  
Skye Fox  
Tara Garner  
Emma Gaul  
Kareen George  
Matthew Goldammer  
Isabella Gorostiza  
Ethan Graves  
Lila Greenberg  
Michael Guirgis  
Olivia Guntner  
Binbin Guo  
Joshua Ham  
Matthew Hanuman  
Micah Haring  
Jake Heiges  
Gabriela Hernandez  
Skyler Hillery  
William Hoffman

Michelle Holder  
Sydney Houde  
Nataliya Hussain  
John Isleib  
Tyler Israel  
Mary Jackson  
Keano Jacobs  
Kimberly Janssens  
Agnieszka Javaheri  
Eloiett Johnson  
Scott Jurkowski  
Kaysha Kapadia  
Delaney Kastensmidt  
Drew Kelliher  
Caitlyn Khan  
Jackson Kiselewski  
Diana Kovalenko  
John Krause  
Anusha Krisnani  
Allison Kueser  
Samantha Kuperberg  
Carlos Eduardo Laborne Costa Cury  
Ryan Lantz  
Ryan Lenaghan  
Caroline Levine  
Andrew Lewis  
Xianjun Liang  
Junde Liu  
John Lomicky  
Kyla Luis  
Carlota Maldonado Bolanos  
Maxine Malvar  
Teresa Manipadam  
Shrivathsan Margam S  
Ryan Marnitz  
Connor McClay  
Meghan McGlone  
Caitlan McIntyre  
Ryan McKeever  
Mina Melyo  
Jacob Menapace  
Samantha Mendez  
Noelle Mercer  
Jesse Mignogna  
Stephanie Miller  
Ocean Miller-Shaked  
Michael Millican  
Benjamin Milrot  
Sunya Mirza  
Brooks Mitchum  
William Moore  
Mekaelia Morgan  
Victoria Murray  
Myrlandie Myrbel  
Cassidy Naffziger  
Sandra Nakhla  
Alexander Nazareth

Maria Olivia Nelson  
Olivia Nicholson  
Talha Pala  
Katherine Pearson  
Zachary Perrotta  
Connor Pitisci  
Genna Pooley  
Aartie Poonai  
Timothy Potanovic  
Osiris Ramos  
Conner Reed  
Manuel Restrepo  
Braden Ridlehoover  
Samuel Riffice  
Kaisha Robert  
Dalton Robinson  
Jasmyn Robinson  
Elizabeth Rom  
Andrew Rubio  
Olivia Salazar  
Teresa Zepeda  
Alexander Schulze  
Harper Self  
Charles Seymour  
Marylin Shandor  
Valerie Sheehe  
Inaya Shiraz  
Noah Silverstein  
Sophia Simeoni  
Leslie Sims  
Madeline Smith  
Camryn Spector  
Benjamin Spiegelman  
Haley Spinger  
Jennifer St. George  
Calista Stafford  
Jordan Stanley  
Olivia Stebbins  
Jenna Stevens  
Arman Tabassian  
Elena Tharp  
Kayleigh Thomas  
Sidney Thomas  
Sara Thompson  
Ryan Thorpe  
Daniela Torres Rullan  
Emma Towler  
Matthew Trainor  
Theresa Turkowski  
Michael Valdes  
Adam Vertrees  
Sarah Vo  
YanJun Wang  
Ashley Ware  
Christopher Warren  
Jared Weingard  
Cooper Whisnant

Lillian Wiggins  
Juliana Ferrie  
Zachary Winer  
Julie Wittenberg  
Julian Woods  
Reece Wright

Abigail Putnam  
Annasimmon Zakhary  
Xincheng Zheng  
Fengnian Zhou  
Runyuan Zhou

#### Master of Laws in Taxation

Domizia Accolla  
Tonny Ahmed  
Jillian Anzalone  
Yuneymis Barreto  
Cody Bernheisel  
Roman Black  
Mackenzie Bock  
Andrew Brown  
Marlee Carpenter  
Mallory Comberrel  
Nicholas Cuneo  
Carson Darby  
Luca Di Giacomo  
Peter Dominguez  
Gabriella Ebenger  
Hunter Egger  
Chavioleyette Fenelus  
Yuanzhi Fengjiang  
Riley Friedle  
Larry Gambetti  
Nicolas Garcia  
Patrick Gibbons  
Qixiang Goh  
Jacob Gordon  
Margaret Haberman  
Kyle Haley  
Caitlyn Harris  
Juan Igarzabal  
Sohyun Im  
Yawar Iqbal  
John Jolley  
Kobe Jones  
Emma Jumper  
Victoria Kimsey  
Thomas Kindred  
Olga Larus  
Vasily Levin  
Jessica Lewis  
Kendal Lewis  
Yihao Liu  
Jack MacDonald

Samantha Malanche  
David McIntosh  
Stephanie Meckel  
Hugo Montero  
Aubrey Mys  
Augustine Okachi  
John Orban  
Isabella Otruba  
Natalie Mae Owchariw  
Julio Parrales  
Madhav Patil  
Haley Pendleton  
Alexander Pennetti  
Daniel Pinkus  
John-Michael Regan  
Taniquea Reid Wolliston  
Elizabeth Rice  
Giezi Rios  
Jennifer Rogers  
Alexander Romanach  
Kailey Romanos  
Latisha Russell  
Mandeep Samra  
Anthony Sax  
Francesca Scanio Stacey  
Alyssa Schefke  
Abigail Smith  
Rachael Spina  
Leighton Steph  
Olivia Stevens  
Sallie Sutton  
Adam Taub  
Benjamin Thomas  
Nickolas Tibbetts  
Donald Tice  
Aaron Tobin  
Anna Wellen  
Emmanuelle Williams  
Brooklynn Withers  
Warren Wood  
Emily Yaun  
Hanjie Zhu

Master of Laws in International Taxation

Brenno Augusto Bender da Silva  
Juan Montezuma  
Daniel Morales  
Manuela Orozco

Master of Laws in International Taxation with  
US Law Concentration

Alejandro Andraca Carrera  
Alexander Bejarano  
Nicolas Nadeau

Doctor of Juridical Sciences in Tax

Eric Monteiro de Medeiros

Masters of US Law

Bawani Chan Mei Ting  
Ivan Martin Jimenez Velazquez  
Luciana Lobato  
Yeleana Perez Colmenares  
Anastasiia Serhienko  
Nestor Trejo Moret

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### ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Luciano Prida, Sr. Associate Professor, University of Florida	2024 – present
Luciano Prida, Sr. Assistant Professor, University of Florida	2019 – 2024
Assistant Professor, University of Florida	2016 – 2019

### EDUCATION

Ph.D., Accounting, Michigan State University	2016
M.Phil., Finance, Lingnan University, Hong Kong	2011
B.S., Accounting, Shandong University, China	2009

### JOURNAL ARTICLES (in reverse chronological order)

1. [Do Audit Firms' Financial Statements Provide Information about Audit Quality?](#)  
with Shaohua He, Ling Lisic, and Liang Tan  
*The Accounting Review* (2025) 100(3), 221-249
  
2. [Do Information Processing Costs Matter to Regulators? Evidence from the U.S. Mortgage Companies' Supervision](#), with Omri Even-Tov and Andy Su  
*The Accounting Review* (2025), 100(2), 103–131  
Winner of the 2023 MIT Asia Conference Best Paper Award
  
3. [Partner Wealth and Audit Quality: Evidence from the United States](#)  
with Shaohua He and John Jiang  
*Review of Accounting Studies* (2025) 30, 702–737
  
4. [Offsettable Derivatives and Investor Risk Assessments](#)  
with Jed Neilson, Chris Williams, and Biqin Xie  
*Management Science* (2024), 70(5), 2779-2798
  
5. [Simplifying Complex Disclosures: Evidence from Disclosure Regulation in the Mortgage Markets](#)  
with Patrick Kielty and Diana Weng  
*The Accounting Review* (2023), 98(4), 191-216
  
6. [Asset-level Transparency and the \(E\)valuation of Asset-Backed Securities](#)  
with Jed Neilson, Stephen Ryan, and Biqin Xie  
*Journal of Accounting Research* (2022), 60(3), 1131-1183
  
7. [Big N Auditors and Audit Quality: New Evidence from Quasi-Experiments](#)  
with John Jiang and Isabel Wang  
*The Accounting Review* (2019), 94(1), 205-227

8. [Revolving Rating Analysts and Ratings of Mortgage-backed and Asset-backed Securities: Evidence from LinkedIn](#), with John Jiang and Isabel Wang  
*Management Science* (2018), 64(12), 5832–5854
9. [Corporate Transparency and the Impact of Investor Sentiment on Stock Prices](#)  
with Michael Firth and Sonia Wong  
*Management Science* (2015), 61(7), 1630-1647

### **WORKING PAPERS**

10. U.S. Banks' Artificial Intelligence and Small Business Lending: Evidence from the Census Bureau's Technology Survey, with Jeffery Piao and Diana Weng
  - Revise and Resubmit at JAR
11. U.S. Audit Partner Compensation, with John Jiang and Cathy Zhang
  - Revise and Resubmit at JAE
12. Do Financial Consumers Discipline Bad Lenders? with Mark Flannery and Cathy Zhang
  - Invited presentation at American Bankers Association
  - The 2024 Mortgage Market Research Conference @Federal Reserve Bank – Philadelphia
  - The 2024 Community Banking Research Conference @Federal Reserve Bank – St. Louis
  - The 2023 Boulder Summer Conference on Consumer Financial Decision Making
  - The 2022 George Kaufman Financial Regulation Conference

### **INVITED WORKSHOPS & CONFERENCES**

- 2026 Audit Mid-year Conference
- 2025 Hong Kong Baptist University, Florida Accounting Symposium, PCAOB Conference on Auditing and Capital Markets, 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on Financial Economics and Accounting
- 2024 Florida State University, Georgia State University, CAPANA, Federal Reserve Mortgage Market Research Conference (Philadelphia)
- 2023 FARS Midyear Meeting, Federal Reserve Financial Institutions Conference (St. Louis)
- 2022 Florida Accounting Symposium, University of California – Berkeley
- 2021 PCAOB Conference on Auditing and Capital Markets
- 2020 Michigan State University; Virginia Tech
- 2019 FARS Midyear Meeting
- 2018 American University, City University of Hong Kong, Florida State University, AAA Annual Meeting, Florida Accounting Symposium, 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on Financial Economics and Accounting (Tulane)
- 2017 FARS Midyear Meeting, Audit Midyear Meeting, AAA New Faculty Consortium, FASB Faculty Program
- 2016 Tulane University, Fordham University, University of Illinois at Urbana–Champaign, University of Florida, City University of New York–Baruch College, State University of New York–Buffalo, University of Texas–Austin, University of Georgia, AAA Annual Meeting, GMU Fraud Conference, Southeast Summer Accounting Research Conference (Emory)

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

University of Florida

- Managerial Accounting (MBA, MSM)
- Cost Accounting (undergraduate)

- Special Topics in Accounting Research (PhD)

Michigan State University

- Intermediate Financial Accounting II (undergraduate)

### **SERVICE**

FARS research session track chair	2023
FSOA PhD student recruiting committee	2022 - present
FSOA faculty recruiting committee	2019
Dissertation committee (Lu Jing, Finance, placement: UNSW Sydney)	2024
Dissertation committee (Angie Wang, Accounting, placement: CUHK)	2017
Second-year paper committee (Pancy Li, Finance)	2022
Second-year paper committee (Jing Lu, Finance)	2020
Second-year paper committee (Tian Da, Finance)	2018

### **Editorial Board**

The Accounting Review

Ad-hoc Reviewer

The Accounting Review; Contemporary Accounting Research; Review of Accounting Studies; Management Science; Accounting, Organizations and Society; AUDITING: A Journal of Practice & Theory; Journal of Business Finance & Accounting; Production and Operations Management; Accounting Horizons; Journal of Accounting Literature; Managerial Finance

**University of Florida Levin College of Law**  
2026-27 Committee Assignments  
Draft to be Approved by Faculty Vote on May 5, 2026

**Standing Committees**

**Academic Standards:** Stein (chair), Arnow-Richman (spring), Brauner (fall), Eng, Johnston, Lopez; *ex officio*: Mitchell

**Academic Success & Bar Passage:** Biggart (chair), Evans, B., Hardy, Snelgro, Stearns Johnsen; *ex officio*: Arney, Carbajal, Ettinger, Jackson

**Adjunct Teaching:** McLendon (chair), Burke (spring), Christopolis, Herzfeld, Stearns Johnsen, Willis; *ex officio*: Morgan

**Admissions:** Steinberg (chair), Green, Haley (spring), Katz, Nguyen, O'Connell, Sligh, Tritt; *ex officio*: Mandernach; Greenwood; Prebor

**Curriculum:** Erez-Navot (chair), Hasen, Lawson (fall), Menendez, Yuan, Zheng; *ex officio*: McIlhenny

**Faculty Council:** Fenster, Stinneford, TBD, Steinberg, Wolking (all by faculty vote; run-off to decide the fifth)

**International Programs:** Kaufman (chair), Christopolis, Jiang, Herzfeld, McLendon; *ex officio*: Prebor

**Judicial Clerkships:** Johnson (chair), Clausen, Hardy, Kim (fall), Lipshutz; *ex officio*: Bensley, Alvarez, Shaw

**Non-Tenure Track Appointments, Retention, & Promotions:** Hamilton (chair), DeSanctis, Cook, Fernandez, Katz; *ex officio*: McIlhenny

**Promotion & Tenure:** Fenster (voted, chair), Lidsky (voted), Bambauer, D. (appointed), Hernandez-Truyol (appointed); *ex officio*: Heinbockel

**Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL:** Wheeler (chair), Fernandez, LoPucki, Maclin, McCouch (spring), Nguyen, Snelgro; *ex officio*: Coffey, McIntyre

**Tenure-Track Appointments:** Bambauer, J., Brett, Hampson, Stinneford, TBD; *ex officio*: Hilkin, McIlhenny (chair to be elected by committee; last member to be confirmed)

**Ad Hoc Committees**

**Assessments & Outcomes/ABA 315:** Menendez (chair), Evans, C., Hawkins, Kolinsky, Marshfield, Wright; *ex officio*: Hilkin

**Other Assignments**

**Faculty Council Representative to Site-Visit Working Group:** Wolking

**ADR Moot Court Advisors:** Erez-Navot & Stearns Johnsen

**Environmental Moot Court Advisors:** Hawkins

**Faculty Senate Representatives:** Tritt & Wheeler

**Faculty Workshop Coordinators:** Marshfield & Erwin

**Florida Tax Review Advisor:** Luke

**Florida Bar CLE:** Hamilton

**Florida Bar Committee on Student Education & Bar Passage:** Biggart

**Florida Journal of International Law Advisor:** Kaufman

**Florida Law Review Advisor:** Lidsky

**Florida Sports & Entertainment Law Review Advisor:** Arnow-Richman

**Honor Code:** Mitchell

**Journal of Law & Public Policy (JLPP) Advisor:** Wright

**Journal of Technology Law & Policy (JTLP) Advisors:** Jiang

**Moot Court Advisors:** Eng

**Order of the Coif Staff Liaison:** Mitchell

**Pro Bono Advisors to Student Organizations:** Shaw & Dickson

**Requests for Legal Assistance:** Clausen

**Tax Moot Court Advisor:** Wheeler, D.

**Trial Team Advisor:** Wolking & Biggart

**University Technology Committee:** Hamilton

Faculty Member		2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025	2025-26	2026-27
<b>Tenure-Track</b>						
Rachel	Arnow-Richman	Promotion & Tenure (elected), College Faculty Council Chair, Florida Sports & Entertainment Law Review Advisor	Promotion & Tenure (elected), Florida Sports & Entertainment Law Review Advisor	Academic Standards (chair); Florida Sports & Entertainment Law Review Advisor	Academic Standards; Florida Sports & Entertainment Law Review Advisor	Academic Standards (spring); Florida Sports & Entertainment Law Review Advisor
Derek	Bambauer		Appointments	Non-Tenure Track Appointments & Promotions	Academic Standards (spring)	Promotion & Tenure (appointed)
Jane	Bambauer			Appointments		Tenure-Track Appointments
Yariv	Brauner	LLM/SJD Admissions, Non- Tenure Track Appointments & Promotions	Faculty Council, Promotion & Tenure (chair, elected)	Appointments; Tax Ad Hoc Reading Group/Appointments (chair)	Tenure-Track Appointments (spring)	Academic Standards (fall)
Annie	Brett	Facilities & Sustainabiliity (chair), Faculty Workshops	Appointments (spring)	Appointments	Admissions	Tenure-Track Appointments
Karen	Burke	Promotion & Tenure	Faculty Development	Ad Hoc Tax Reading Group/Appointments	Academic Standards	Adjunct Teaching (spring)
Julian	Cook		Appointments (spring)			Non-Tenure Track Appointments, Retention & Promotions
Alex	Erwin			Promotion & Tenure	Promotion & Tenure (appointed)	
Barbara	Evans	Promotion & Tenure	Post-Tenure Review	Appointments (spring)	Faculty Development (spring)	Faculty Workshop Coordinator
Cory	Evans				Curriculum	Academic Success & Bar Passage
					Judicial Clerkships	Ad Hoc Assessments & Outcomes/ABA 315
Mark	Fenster	Promotion & Tenure (elected, spring)	Academic Standards (chair), Faculty Council?	Promotion & Tenure (voted; spring)	Curriculum (chair)	Promotion & Tenure (elected, chair); Faculty Council (elected)
Jonathan	Green					Admissions
Tom	Haley		Admissions	Academic Success & Bar Strategy	Faculty Development; Faculty Workshop Coordinators	Admissions (spring)

Chris	Hampson	Judicial Clerkships (chair, spring)	Judicial Clerkships (chair)	Judicial Clerkships (chair)	Tenure-Track Appointments (spring)	Tenure-Track Appointments
David	Hasen	Academic Standards (chair), Florida Tax Review	Facilities & Sustainability (chair), LLM & SJD Admissions, Florida Tax Review (fall)	LLM/SJD Admissions; Florida Tax Review	Admissions (LLM spring); Florida Tax Review Editor-in-Chief	Curriculum
Berta	Hernandez-Truyol	Curriculum (chair), Florida International Law Journal Advisor	Diversity & Community Relations, Florida International Law Journal Advisor	Community Engagement; Florida International Law Journal Advisor	International Programs	Non-Tenure Track Appointments, Retention & Promotions
Jiaying	Jiang	International Programs	International Programs, JLTP Co-Advisor	Faculty Workshop Coordinator; Faculty Development Committee; JLTP Co-Advisor	International Programs (spring); Journal of Technology Law & Policy (JTLP) Advisor	International Programs; Journal of Technology Law & Policy (JTLP) Advisor
Ben	Johnson		Faculty Development, Faculty Workshops	Appointments	Curriculum (spring)	Judicial Clerkships (chair)
Lea	Johnston	Clerkships (chair, fall)	Promotion & Tenure (elected, fall)	Promotion & Tenure (elected); Faculty Council (elected)	Non-Tenure Track Appointments, Retention, & Promotions	Academic Standards
Elizabeth	Katz		Faculty Development (spring)	Academic Success & Bar Strategy (spring)	Tenure-Track Appointments	Admissions
Zach	Kaufman		Curriculum (spring)	Promotion & Tenure; FJIL Co-Advisor	International Programs (chair); Florida Journal of International Law Advisor	International Programs (chair); Florida Journal of International Law Advisor
Matthew	Kim		Judicial Clerkships	Judicial Clerkships	Judicial Clerkships (fall)	Judicial Clerkships (fall)
Gary	Lawson			Appointments	Promotion & Tenure (elected)	Curriculum (fall)
Lyrissa	Lidsky	Appointments (spring)	Appointments (chair), Academic Success and Bar Passage Strategy	Promotion & Tenure (elected; chair); Faculty Council (elected)	Academic Success & Bar Passage; Faculty Council; Florida Law Review Advisor	Promotion & Tenure (voted); Florida Law Review Advisor
Brian	Lipshutz					Judicial Clerkships
Lynn	LoPucki	Faculty Development	Faculty Development	Faculty Development	Faculty Development	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL

Charlene	Luke	Appointments, LLM/SJD Admissions (chair)	Appointments; Curriculum (co-chair); Faculty Senate	Curriculum (co-chair); LLM Admissions; Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL; Faculty Senate Representative	Admissions (LLM); Non-Tenure Track Appointments, Retention, & Promotions; Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL; Site Visit Preparation (chair)	Florida Tax Review Advisor
Tracey	Maclin	Appointments (fall)	Academic Standards (spring)	Appointments	Faculty Development	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL
Jonathan	Marshfield	Appointments (spring)	Appointments	Academic Standards (fall); Faculty Council (elected)	Faculty Council; Tenure-Track Appointments	Ad Hoc Assessments & Outcomes/ABA 315; Faculty Workshop Coordinator
Merritt	McAlister	Appointments	Interim Dean	Interim Dean	Interim Dean	Interim Dean
Grayson	McCouch	Diversity & Community Relations, Facilities & Sustainability	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning	Faculty Development	Faculty Development	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL (spring)
Peter	Molk	Faculty Development (chair), Faculty Workshops	Faculty Development (chair), Faculty Workshops	Faculty Development (chair), Faculty Workshops	Faculty Development (chair); Site Visit Preparation; Faculty Workshop Coordinators	On leave
Lars	Noah	Curriculum	Facilities & Sustainability	Facilities & Sustainability	Faculty Development	Admissions
Rob	Rhee	Semester in Practice Modifications	Promotion & Tenure	International Programs	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL (chair)	On leave
Amy	Stein	Appointments, JTLP Advisor	Appointments, Curriculum (ex officio), JTLP Co-Advisor	On Leave	Curriculum (fall)	Academic Standards (chair)
John	Stinneford	On Leave	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL (chair)	Faculty Council; Tenure-Track Appointments	Appointments
Lee-ford	Tritt	On Leave	Appointments	LLM Admissions (chair); Ad Hoc Tax Reading Group/Appointments	Promotion & Tenure (appointed); Faculty Senate Representatives	Admissions
Steve	Willis	Adjunct Teaching	Adjunct Teaching	Community Engagement	International Programs	Adjunct Teaching
Michael	Wolf	Appointments (chair)	Post-Tenure Review	On Leave	Promotion & Tenure (chair, elected)	TBD

Danaya	Wright	Promotion & Tenure (elected, fall), Non Tenure-Track Appointments & Promotions (spring)	Faculty Council, Non Tenure-Track Appointments & Promotions, Faculty Senate	Promotion & Tenure; JLPP Advisor	Promotion & Tenure (fall, elected); Journal of Law & Public Policy (JLPP) Advisor	Ad Hoc Assessments & Outcomes/ABA 315; JLPP Advisor
Andy Yuan					Admissions	Curriculum
Wentong	Zheng	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning	Promotion & Tenure	Ad Hoc Tax Reading Group/Appointments	Tenure-Track Appointments	Curriculum
<b>Non-Tenure-Track</b>						
Stacy	Biggart			Academic Success & Bar Strategy; Trial Team Co-Advisor	Academic Success & Bar Passage; Trial Team Advisor	Academic Success & Bar Passage (chair); Trial Team
Nick Christopolis					Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL	Adjunct Teaching; International Programs
Judy	Clausen	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning, Students of Concern	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning (chair), Requests for Legal Assistance, Students of Concern	Adjunct Teaching (chair); Facilities & Sustainability; Requests for Legal Assistance	Adjunct Teaching; Admissions; Requests for Legal Assistance	Judicial Clerkships; Requests for Legal Assistance
Lisa	DeSanctis	Adjunct Teaching, Moot Court Co-Advisor	Adjunct Teaching (chair), Moot Court Co-Advisor	Academic Success & Bar Strategy; Moot Court Co-Advisor	Non-Tenure Track Appointments, Retention, & Promotions	Non-Tenure Track Appointments, Retention & Promotions
Donna	Eng		Adjunct Teaching	Academic Standards; Adjunct Teaching	Academic Standards; Adjunct Teaching	Academic Standards; Moot Court Advisor
Donna	Erez-Navot	Curriculum	Curriculum (co-chair), ADR Moot Court Co-Advisor	Curriculum (co-chair); ADR Team Co-Advisor	Academic Success & Bar Passage; ADR Moot Court Advisors	Admissions; ADR Moot Court Advisor
Ben	Fernandez	JD Admissions, Faculty Development, Moot Court Co-Advisor	Adjunct Teaching, Diversity & Community Relations, Co-Pro Bono Advisor to Student Organizations	Non-Tenure Track Appointments & Promotions; Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL; Pro Bono Advisors	Academic Success & Bar Passage; Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL	Non-Tenure Track Appointments, Retention & Promotions; Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL

Bill	Hamilton	Curriculum, Bar Exam Support, Florida Bar CLE Committee, University Technology Committee	International Programs, Florida Bar CLE Committee, University Technology Committee	Adjunct Teaching; Florida Bar CLE Committee; University Technology Committee	Non-Tenure Track Appointments, Retention, & Promotions; Florida Bar CLE; University Technology Committee	Non-Tenure Track Appointments, Retention & Promotions (chair); Florida Bar CLE; University Technology Committee
Kristen	Hardy	Academic Standards, Diversity & Community Relations	Diversity & Community Relations, Strategic Planning/Distance Learning	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL; Judicial Clerkships	Judicial Clerkships; Moot Court Advisors	Academic Success & Bar Passage; Judicial Clerkships
Thomas	Hawkins		Facilities & Sustainability	Facilities & Sustainability (chair); Ad Hoc Public Interest; Environmental Moot Court Co-Advisor	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL; Environmental Moot Court Advisors	Ad Hoc Assessments & Outcomes/ABA 315; Environmental Moot Court Advisor
Mindy	Herzfeld	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning, LLM/SJD Admissions	LLM/SJD Admissions, Strategic Planning/Distance Learning	LLM Admissions; Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL	Admissions (LLM); Non-Tenure Track Appointments, Retention, & Promotions	Adjunct Teaching; International Programs
Joan	Johnsen	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning, ADR Moot Court Advisor	Adjunct Teaching, ADR Moot Court Co-Advisor	Curriculum; ADR Team Co-Advisor	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL; ADR Moot Court Advisors	Academic Success & Bar Passage; Adjunct Teaching
Heather	Kolinsky		Non Tenure-Track Appointments & Promotions	Non-Tenure Track Appointments & Promotion; Admissions	Adjunct Teaching; Judicial Clerkships (chair)	Ad Hoc Assessments & Outcomes/ABA 315
Sabrina	Lopez	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning (chair), Faculty Development	Academic Standards, Academic Success and Bar Passage Strategy (co-chair)	Academic Success & Bar Strategy (chair); Academic Standards; Curriculum	Academic Success & Bar Passage (chair); Curriculum; Florida Bar Committee on Student Education & Bar Passage	Academic Standards
Tim	McLendon	Adjunct Teaching, International Programs (chair)	Curriculum, International Programs (chair)	International Programs (chair); Adjunct Teaching	Adjunct Teaching; International Programs	Adjunct Teaching (chair); International Programs
Silvia	Menendez	Non-Tenure-Track Appointments & Promotions, Semester in Practice Modifications	JD Admissions (spring), Academic Success and Bar Passage Strategy (spring), Honor Code (spring)	Non-Tenure Track Appointments & Promotion (chair)	Adjunct Teaching (chair); Faculty Council; Site Visit Preparation	Curriculum; Ad Hoc Assessments & Outcomes/ABA 315 (chair)

Thin	Nguyen				Curriculum	Admissions; Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL
Jane	O'Connell	Non-Tenure-Track Appointments & Promotions, Semester in Practice Modifications	Non-Tenure-Track Appointments & Promotions, Academic Success and Bar Passage Strategy	Faculty Development; Appointments (ex officio); Ad Hoc Tax Reading Group (ex officio)	Non-Tenure Track Appointments, Retention, & Promotions (chair); Site Visit Preparation	Admissions
Madeline	Sligh					Admissions
Paige	Snelgro	Adjunct Teaching, Bar Exam Support	Judicial Clerkships, Academic Success and Bar Passage Strategy, Bar Exam Support (co-chair)	Visiting	Academic Success & Bar Passage; Non-Tenure Track Appointments, Retention, & Promotions	Academic Success & Bar Preparation; Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL
Stacey	Steinberg	Curriculum, JLPP Advisor, Inns of Court Faculty Liaison	Curriculum, JLPP Advisor	Non-Tenure Track Appointments & Promotion; Faculty Council (voted)	Admissions (chair); Faculty Council	Admissions (chair); Faculty Council
Derek	Wheeler	JD Admissions, Tax Moot Court Advisor	JD Admissions, Non Tenure-Track Appointments & Promotions, Tax Moot Court Advisor	Community Engagement; Ad Hoc Public Interest; Tax Moot Court Advisor	Faculty Senate Representatives; Tax Moot Court Advisor	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL (chair); Tax Mpot Court Advisor
Sarah	Wolking	Non Tenure-Track Appointments & Promotions, Trial Team Co-Advisor	Faculty Council, Non Tenure-Track Appointments & Promotions (chair), Faculty Senate, Trial Team Co-Advisor	JD Admissions; Trial Team Advisor; Faculty Senate Representative	Academic Standards (chair); Trial Team Advisor	Faculty Council (& Rep to Site Visit Working Group); Trial Team Advisor
<b>Non Voting (ex officio)</b>						
Esteban	Alvarez					Judicial Clerkships
Gia	Arney	Curriculum	Curriculum	Curriculum; Tax Reading Group/Appointments	Academic Success & Bar Passage	Academic Success & Bar Passage
Natasha	Carbajal				Academic Success & Bar Passage	Academic Success & Bar Passage
Meagan	Dickson				Pro Bono Advisors to Student Organizations	Pro Bono Advisors to Student Organizations

Ritzzy	Ettinger	Bar Exam Support, Students of Concern	Bar Exam Support, Students of Concern	Community Engagement	Academic Success & Bar Passage	Academic Success & Bar Passage
Leslie	Greewood			JD Admissions/LLM Admissions; International Programs	Admissions	Admissions
Suzy	Heinbockel					Promotion & Tenure
Liz	Hilkin	Faculty Development, Requests for Legal Assistance	Faculty Development, Requests for Legal Assistance	Faculty Development, Requests for Legal Assistance	Faculty Development; Requests for Legal Assistance	Tenure-Track Appointments; Ad Hoc Assessments & Outcomes/ABA 315
Emily	Jackson	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL	Academic Success & Bar Passage	Academic Success & Bar Passage
Joe	Mandernach				Admissions	Admissions
Ruth	McIlhenny	Faculty Development	Faculty Development	Faculty Development	Curriculum; Appointments; Site Visit Preparation	Curriculum; Adjunct Teaching; Tenure-Track Appointments
Jennifer	McIntyre				Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL	Strategic Planning/Distance Learning/MSL
Brian	Mitchell	Bar Exam Support, Students of Concern (chair)	Bar Exam Support, Students of Concern (chair)	Community Engagement; Order of the Coif Liaison	Academic Standards; Honor Code; Order of the Coif Staff Liaison	Academic Standards; Honor Code; Order of the Coif Staff Liaison
Patricia	Morgan	Adjunct Teaching	Adjunct Teaching	Adjunct Teaching	Adjunct Teaching	Adjunct Teaching
Layne	Prebor				International Programs; Admissions	International Programs; Admissions
Janice	Shaw	Judicial Clerkships, Semester in Practice Modifications, Florida Bar Committee on Student Evaluation & Bar Passage, Pro Bono Advisor to Student Organizations	Judicial Clerkships, Florida Bar Committee on Student Evaluation & Bar Passage, Co-Pro Bono Advisor to Student Organizations	Judicial Clerkships, Florida Bar Committee on Student Evaluation & Bar Passage; Pro-Bono Advisor to Student Organizations; Ad Hoc Public Interest Committee	Pro Bono Advisors to Student Organizations	Judicial Clerkships; Pro Bono Advisors to Student Organizations

**To:** Faculty, Levin College of Law, University of Florida  
**From:** Sarah H. Wolking, Chair, Academic Standards Committee  
**Date:** April 28, 2026  
**Re:** Proposed Notice Requirement for Artificial Intelligence Use

Dear Colleagues:

At our next faculty meeting, the Academic Standards Committee will ask the faculty to adopt a temporary requirement that, in each course they teach, instructors provide students with notice of the rules and policies (if any) governing the use of artificial intelligence (AI) tools in that course. This proposal is intentionally neutral regarding both the form of disclosure and the substance of any policy. It does not require AI policies to be included in the syllabus, nor does it mandate any particular approach to AI use. Instructors would remain fully free to decide whether to permit, restrict, regulate, or decline to address AI use in their courses. The only requirement is that students receive clear notice of the instructor's expectations. The Committee has drafted the requirement to sunset after the 2026–2027 academic year so that the faculty may evaluate its implementation and determine whether it has achieved its goals of providing students with clarity and guidance while preserving faculty autonomy.

**Examples of notice:** Instructors may use any reasonable method to provide notice, including: discussing AI expectations during the first class meeting; distributing a separate AI policy document to students; including AI policy language in the course syllabus; or addressing AI use in assignment instructions for papers, projects, or final exams.

**Content of AI policies:** Instructors retain full discretion over the substance of their AI policies, including the option to impose no restrictions. The Academic Standards Committee will provide at least one sample policy (for example, a short whitelist of approved tools with implementation guidance) and is compiling examples of faculty policies to share as optional resources.

**Proposed language:** In each course offered at the College of Law, the instructor shall, by the end of the first class meeting of the semester, provide notice to students in that course of any rules and policies that apply to the use of artificial intelligence (AI) tools and systems for work in that course. Instructors are free to determine both the method of providing notice and the substance of AI rules and policies (if any). This provision shall take effect on the first day of the 2026-2027 fall-term semester and shall expire on June 1, 2027.

To: Law Faculty

From: Peter Molk, Group Chair, and Lee-ford Tritt, Tax Program Director

Re: Proposed Changes to Graduate Tax Program

Date: May 1, 2026

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Dear Faculty:

Pursuant to a charge from the Dean, a group of faculty and alumni have spent the year drafting a strategic plan for the Graduate Tax Program. In addition to working within the group, we have solicited input from current and former students and the broader tax faculty and alumni. Although the drafting process is still in-progress and the report will be presented when it is nearer a complete stage, three areas of change that require faculty approval have emerged that we would like to implement in the fall of 2026.

First, we seek to update the list of required courses to match more closely a set of courses that ensure a well-rounded minimum tax competency and that bring us more in line with competitor schools. We ask you to approve the following suite of required courses. For all Tax and International Tax LL.M. Candidates: each of Orientation, Corporate Taxation 1, Partnership Tax, U.S. International Tax 1, Tax Research Methods and Resources, and a tax policy class (tax policy requirement may be satisfied by a tax policy class, a tax seminar, or tax colloquium). For our non-International Tax LL.M. students, Civil Tax Procedure will also be required. In addition, for International Tax LL.M. Candidates and any student who has not taken a basic U.S. Income Tax Course, Taxation of Property Transactions will be required. International Tax LL.M. Candidates will continue to be required to take 13 credits in international tax related classes. Currently, our only required course is LAW 7911 Federal Tax Research, which will no longer be required for either degree.

Second, we ask that students must satisfy an events attendance requirement for graduation and that the Tax Program Director be given the authority to specify what events count toward that requirement and the attendance threshold that must be met. The Graduate Tax Program provides a comprehensive suite of events that offer meaningful academic and professional development opportunities, and student attendance would aid our external-facing reputation, but these events currently suffer from low student participation rates. Providing the Director with flexibility to specify which events are required as well as the attendance threshold allows the Director to consider requests from faculty who do not want increased student attendance at their events.

Third, we propose to address a current sequencing issue with the 7-Semester program. The program was originally intended for students to integrate LL.M. coursework during their third year and graduate with both the J.D. and the LL.M. at the end of the seventh semester. In practice, however, 7-Semester students have tended to concentrate enrollment in their remaining J.D.-required courses during their fifth and sixth semesters, enrolling in the bulk of the LL.M. coursework in the seventh semester. As a result, it is much harder for them to take courses that reflect the broad range of offerings in the LL.M. curriculum, not all of which is offered each semester. To address this issue, we propose (i) aligning admissions standards with those of the general Tax LL.M. program (ii) requiring students to complete 9 credits of LL.M. tax coursework in each of the fifth and sixth semesters (18 credits total), (iii) prohibiting students from graduating with the J.D. at the end of the sixth semester without approval from the Director, and (iv) prohibiting 7-Semester students from enrolling in the online section of a class if there is an in-person version being offered, without approval from the Director.