

APPENDIX E

Department Committees



Department of Agronomy

Crop Soil and Environmental Sciences

MEMORANDUM

To: Faculty and Staff

From: Craig. Beyrouthy

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Craig Beyrouthy".

Date: September 12, 2008

Re: Agronomy Committee Membership for 2008-2009

Attached is the listing of departmental committee membership for faculty and staff.

Although committee work takes time, this is the opportunity where faculty and staff truly impact the quality and direction of our programs and the environment in which we work. Departmental action occurs at the committee level.

All committees should provide periodic reports at staff meetings to give faculty and staff updates of progress as well as recommendations requiring approval, some by the full staff, others by the faculty only.

In addition to these committees, the extension, soil science, and crop science groups should consistently meet throughout the year to discuss issues such as enhancing professional collaborations within and external to Purdue, developing closer research and educational connections with stakeholders, prioritizing future hiring needs, participating in the University strategic plan, and improving educational opportunities for our undergraduate and graduate students.

Your participation on these committees will help provide the creative ideas that will advance Purdue Agronomy to a level of preeminence. Thank you in advance for contributing to the department in this manner.

ATTACHMENT

**Agronomy Department Committees
2008-2009**

**AGRY CENTER FOR RESEARCH
AND EDUCATION**

J. Beaty, Ch.
S. Abney (BTNY)
T. Bauman (BTNY)
C. Beyrouly
C. Gerber
J. Fankhauser
M. Tuinstra
C. Woloshuk (BTNY)
R. Nielsen
T. Vyn

ASA INDIANA REP

James Camberato

AWARDS: NATIONAL/STATE

Cliff Johnston, Ch.
Cale Bigelow
James Camberato
Melba Crawford
Bob Nielsen
Dan Szymanski

**CSREES STEERING REVIEW
COORDINATING COMMITTEE**

Craig Beyrouly
Joe Anderson
Laura Bowling
James Camberato
Melba Crawford
Gebisa Ejeta
Rich Grant
Brad Joern
Phillip Owens
Zac Reicher
Darrell Schulze
Paul Schwab
Lee Schweitzer
George Van Scoyoc
Jeff Volenec
Sandy Spitznagle

**CSREES GRAND CHALLENGES
GROUP (White Paper**

Coordinators)

Climate Change – Melba Crawford,
Rich Grant, Dev Niyogi

Renewable Energy – Jeff Volenec,
Sylvie Brouder

Landscape Management – Cale
Bigelow, Eileen Kladviko, Tony Vyn

International Ag – Gebisa Ejeta,
Darrell Schulze

Persistent Pollutants in the

Environment – Linda Lee, Paul
Schwab

Plant Breeding & Genetics – Herb
Ohm, Ron Turco, Cliff Weil,
Allen LeRoy

CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

Herb Ohm, Ch.
Dev Niyogi
Lori Unruh Snyder
George Van Scoyoc
Grad Student Rep
Undergrad Student Rep
Dawn Foushi, Schedule Deputy

**DEPARTMENT HEAD
ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

Craig Beyrouly, Ch.
Cliff Weil, At large
James Camberato
Brad Joern
Paul Schwab
Lee Schweitzer
Lori Snyder
Ron Turco
Jeff Volenec

**DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI,
HONORARY DEGREE,
AGRONOMY OUTSTANDING
ALUMNI**

Paul Schwab, Ch.
Kyle Bymaster

Eileen Kladviko

Tony Vyn
Sandy Spitznagle

**GRADUATE PRELIMINARY EXAM
OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE**

Melba Crawford
Paul Schwab
Mitch Tuinstra
Tony Vyn

GRADUATE COMMITTEE

Jeff Volenec, Ch. (until Mar. 1, 2009)
Ron Turco, Ch (after Mar. 1, 2009)
Laura Bowling
Yiwei Jiang
Brad Joern
Eileen Kladviko
Mitch Tuinstra
Grad Student Rep.
Karen Clymer, Grad Secretary

LIBRARY REPRESENTATIVE

D. Schulze

PUBLICITY

a. Alumni Newsletter
Spring and Fall Issues
Kelly Delp, Ch.
Craig Beyrouly
Sandy Spitznagle

b. ASA Newsletter, Connections,..
Kelly Delp
Sandy Spitznagle

c. Display case Lilly Hall (2nd floor)
Kelly Delp
Dan Weisenberger

d. Main office displays (2nd floor)
Connie Foster

e. Departmental Web Page
Kelly Delp, Coordinator
Cindy Boone

PURDUE ASA RECEPTION

Craig Beyrouly
Sandy Spitznagle

SAFETY

Judy Lindell, Ch.
Jim Beaty
Marianne Bischoff
Darrell Schulze

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEES

Committee will review all graduate
and undergraduate scholarships
including the following:

-Agronomy student activity fund

- **Keim Family Scholarship**
- **Kohnke Undergraduate fund**
- **M.O. Pence Undergraduate/-
Graduate**
- **Scarseth Graduate Student
Scholarship**

Lee Schweitzer, Ch.
Melba Crawford
Sherry Fulk-Bringman
Jianxin Ma
Gary Steinhardt
Karen Clymer, secretary
Patsy King

Turf Scholarship

Zac Reicher, Ch.
Cale Bigelow
Yiwei Jiang

SEMINARS

Departmental Seminars

Dev Niyogi, Ch.
Linda Lee
Faculty member, TBD
Faculty member, TBD
Connie Foster

STUDENT AND STAFF

DIVERSITY

Brad Joern, Ch.
Menelas Blucher
Branly Eugene
Candiss Williams
Phillip Owens
Kelly Delp
Sherry Fulk-Bringman

**STAFF RECOGNITION
COMMITTEES:**

a. Support Staff Week (4/ 22/2009)

Gebisa Ejeta, Chair
Dan Weisenberger
Lori Snyder
Sandy Spitznagle

**b. Staff Recognition Reception
(December)**

Gary Steinhardt, Ch.
Craig Beyroudy
Connie Foster
Sandy Spitznagle

**STUDENT OUTREACH
PROGRAMS & PLANT SCIENCE
WORKSHOP (4-H)**

Gary Steinhardt, Coordinator
Jim Beaty
Sherry Fulk-Bringman
Tom Housley
Judy Lindell

TEACHING COMMITTEE

Lee Schweitzer, Ch.
Karen Clymer, Undergrad Secretary
Dawn Foushi, Schedule Deputy

Placement Coordinator
Lee Schweitzer

**Professional Experience Program
Coordinator**
Lee Schweitzer

**Honors Committee - Honors
Research**
Paul Schwab
Lee Schweitzer
George Van Scoyoc

Student/Staff Fall Gathering
Sherry Fulk-Bringman

**TURF FIELD DAY
MIDWEST TURF EXPO**

Zac Reicher, Ch.
Jennifer Biehl
Cale Bigelow
Don Fassnacht
Glenn Hardebeck
Yiwei Jiang
Dan Weisenberger

WEB ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Kelly Delp, Ch.
Cindy Boone
Allen Leroy
Bob Nielsen
Tom Pluimer
Ken Scheeringa
Dan Weisenberger

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE COMMITTEES

Departmental Representatives

University Senate Representatives

Paul Schwab

Ag Faculty Committees

Area Promotions

Zac Reicher

Agenda and Policy

James Camberato

Curriculum and Student Relations

Lee Schweitzer

Grade Appeals Committee

Paul Schwab - NRES

Grievance Hearing Committee

Phillip Owens

Sylvie Brouder

Gebisa Ejeta

Scott Jackson

Dev Niyogi

Tony Vyn

Administrative Committees

College of Agriculture Awards

Cliff Johnston

Graduate Council in Agriculture

Jeff Volenec

Undergrad Recruitment & Retention

Lee Schweitzer

Honors Program

George Van Scoyoc

Leadership Development Certificate Program

Paul Schwab - NRES

Library Committee

Lee Schweitzer

Diversity Action Team in Agriculture

Darrell Schulze

Outcome Based Program Improvement Committee

Brad Joern

Undergrad Readmissions

Lee Schweitzer

Paul Schwab

AGRONOMY DEPARTMENT ADMINISTRATIVE ASSIGNMENTS

ASSISTANT DEPARTMENT HEAD - Jeff Volenec

Coordinate ARP project reporting. Coordinate use of multi-user lab space, instrument rooms, etc.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION REPRESENTATIVE - Sandy Spitznagle, Ch.; Craig Beyrouly

A/P MENTORING COMMITTEE

D. Weisenberger, Ch.; Jim Beaty, Suzanne Cunningham, Glenn Hardebeck, Judy Lindell, Patrick Rich

COLD STORAGE, Plant and Soils B-47, B-48, B-49 - Gebisa Ejeta, Co-chair; William Johnson, Co-Chair (BTNY)

- A. Advise the Department in all matters concerning cold storage utilization.
- B. Set policy for cold storage management in cooperation with Botany and Plant Pathology.

COMMENCEMENT - Sandy Spitznagle

DEPARTMENTAL SPACE COMMITTEE

Dan Weisenberger, Ch., Jim Camberato, Zac Reicher, Ed Stath, Craig Beyrouly, Jeff Volenec
Advisor department head on priorities for assignment of space.

EXTENSION COORDINATOR

Brad Joern, Chair

GREENHOUSE COMMITTEE - Joe Anderson, Allen LeRoy, Paul Schwab, Nolan Shumway (BTNY)

LIFE SCIENCE BUILDING DEPUTY - Ed Stath

LONG TERM SEED STORAGE FACILITY, PLANT AND SOILS B-27 - Gebisa Ejeta, coordinator, Allen Leroy

INVENTORY - Bill Smith, Ch., Jim Beaty (ACRE), Sherron Myers

PLANT AND SOILS SPACE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Joe Anderson, James Camberato, Herb Ohm, Cliff Weil, Guri Johal (BTNY)
Supervise use and care of facilities.

SHARED EQUIPMENT LABORATORIES - LILY 2-336 AND 2-352 - Joe Anderson, coordinator

TRANSPORTATION - Terry West, Ch.; Patsy King, Niki DeArmond recording secretary, and staff assigned vehicles.

- A. Act as contact with Transportation Service for repair and maintenance of departmental vehicles.
- B. Recommend priorities on replacements and kinds of vehicles to purchase.

UNITED WAY - Connie Foster, Sandy Spitznagle