

UNC Faculty Assembly Update

Jan Hannig
Chair of the UNC-CH Faculty Assembly Delegation

UNC CH Delegation

Kim Brownley	Delegate <i>Psychiatry</i>	2025
Mimi Chapman	Chair of the Faculty <i>Social Work</i>	2023
Anthony Hackney	Delegate <i>Exercise and Sports Sciences</i>	2023
Jan Hannig	Delegate and Delegation Chair <i>Statistics and OR</i>	2024
Andy Hessick	Alternate <i>Law</i>	2023
Sorin Mitran	Alternate <i>Mathematics</i>	2023
Arlene Seña-Soberano	Delegate <i>Infectious Diseases</i>	2025

UNC System

Official name	Enrollment	Carnegie Classification
Appalachian State University	19,280	master's university
East Carolina University	28,651	doctoral/research university
Elizabeth City State University	1,772	baccalaureate college
Fayetteville State University	6,551	master's university
North Carolina A&T State University	12,556	doctoral/research university
North Carolina Central University	8,011	master's university
North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics	680	<i>residential high school</i>
North Carolina State University	36,304	doctoral/research university (R1)
University of North Carolina at Asheville	3,600	baccalaureate college
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	29,877	doctoral/research university (R1)
University of North Carolina at Charlotte	29,615	doctoral/research university
University of North Carolina at Greensboro	20,196	doctoral/research university
University of North Carolina at Pembroke	7,698	master's university
University of North Carolina School of the Arts	1,086	<i>special-focus institution</i>
University of North Carolina Wilmington	17,499	doctoral/research university
Western Carolina University	12,167	master's university
Winston-Salem State University	5,124	baccalaureate college

UNC Assembly

- New Assembly Chair: Wade Maki (UNC Greensboro)
- Assembly meets once a month
- Committees
 - *Faculty Assembly Executive Committee*
 - *Historically Minority-Serving Institutions Committee*
 - *Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Committee*
 - *Communications Committee*
 - *Educational Policy Committee*
 - *Faculty Welfare Committee*
 - *Governance/Strategic Planning Committee*
 - *Finance Committee*

UNC Assembly

- Represent Faculty Voice
- We have very different experiences
- UNC President rarely attends (His chief of staff does attend)
- New directions and concerns of the system are shared with the assembly.
- A lot of focus on undergraduate teaching

The mission of the UNC Faculty Assembly is to advise the UNC System President, System Office, and Board of Governors by advocating for the faculty across all campuses in the development of sound policies and practices for world class university education.

Current Areas of Concern

- Declining Enrollments
- **New System Budgeting Model**
- System Strategic Plan Refresh
- Return on Investment Study
- Faculty welfare (retention, tenure)

New System Funding Model

Metric Weighting

- Metrics are weighted based on each goal having equal weight

Goal Weight	Goal	Metric	Metric Weight
25%	Increase Undergraduate Student Success	Four-Year Graduation Rate	12.5%
		Undergraduate degree efficiency	12.5%
25%	Increase Affordability	First Time Student Debt at Graduation	16.25%
		Transfer Student Debt at Graduation	8.75%
25%	Improve University Productivity	Education and Related Expenses per Degree	25%
25%	Campus-Selected Goal	Campus-Selected Metric	25%

*Note: Since campus-selected goal cannot be implemented until Year 2 (and incorporated into 2024 Short Session request), the three core goals will each have a weight of 33% in the initial year of implementation.

The stated goal is to increase funding for smaller campuses

Initiatives

- Project Kitty Hawk
 - On-line course delivery system (\$97m in state funding)
 - Undergraduate focus
- <https://www.northcarolina.edu/project-kitty-hawk/>
- Common Course Numbering
 - *The UNC System Office shall, in consultation with faculty and staff from the constituent institutions, establish and maintain a common course numbering system for undergraduate lower division courses, which shall be mapped to the unique course numbers used at each respective institution of higher education.*
- <https://www.northcarolina.edu/university-of-north-carolina-common-numbering-system-unc-cns/>