

2021-2022 STUDENT-FACULTY COMMITTEE OPTIONS

- **Admissions Committee (JD)** — 2 Student Representatives (*3Ls only*)
- **Budget Advisory Committee** — 2 Student Representatives
- **Career Services Committee** — 2 Student Representatives
- **Clerkships Committee** — 1 Student Representative
- **Convocation Committee** — 2 Student Representatives (*1 JD & 1 LLM*)
- **Curriculum and Adjunct Appointments** — 2 Student Representatives
- **Executive Committee** — 2 Student Representatives
- **Externship Steering Committee** — 1 Student Representative
- **Inclusion and Diversity Committee*** — 3 Student Representatives
- **Library Committee** — 1 Student Representative
- **Personnel Committee (Academic)*** — 2 Student Representatives
- **Personnel Committee (Clinical)*** — 2 Student Representatives
- **Personnel Committee (Lawyering)*** — 2 Student Representatives
- **Preparation For Academic Careers** — 2 Student Representatives
- **Student Intellectual Life** — 2 Student Representatives
- **Sustainability Committee** — 2 Student Representatives

** Denotes committees whose appointments are made jointly by SBA and the All-ALSA Selection Committee; see committee description for more information.*

COMMITTEE DESCRIPTIONS

Admissions Committee (JD)

- This committee sets policy for law school admissions. The committee reviews admission policy and recruitment particularly with respect to minority students. The committee aids in the deliberative process on close cases and in considering applicants who may bring unique talents to the community. The committee will review many confidential documents that are part of the application process. It is best that the students not be enrolled at the time of the admitted students' entrance. Therefore, the two students on this committee can only be from the 3L class.

Budget Advisory Committee

- This advisory committee reviews and makes suggestions to the Dean regarding the proposed budget before the Dean presents the budget to the Board of Trustees.

Career Services Committee

- The committee makes recommendations to the Office of Career Services regarding job placement practices.

Clerkships Committee

- The purpose of this committee is to assist students in obtaining judicial clerkships and to promote the application for judicial clerkships. This committee also assists in creating positive relationships between NYU School of Law and the judiciary.

Convocation Committee

- The students sit on this committee to help plan the convocation and make recommendations regarding the convocation speaker(s), setting the program, and selecting a location. The committee is responsible for selecting the student speaker(s).

Curriculum And Adjunct Appointments

- The committee has three specific responsibilities: (1) approving proposed new courses; (2) approving new adjunct faculty; and (3) promoting improvements in the overall curriculum. Students will be involved in all parts of the application process from screening resumes to asking questions of candidates during the interview process

Executive Committee

- This committee sets and amends academic regulations, subject to faculty review. This includes issues such as the credits required or allowed in specific areas, computer exam taking, etc. Finally, the committee is responsible for selecting student honorees and graduation awards.

Externship Steering Committee

- The Externship Steering Committee reviews, approves, and oversees the Law School's credit-bearing experiential learning opportunities.

Inclusion And Diversity Committee*

- The committee examines policy issues at the school and should create ways to increase diversity at NYU Law. *For this committee, one student representative will be chosen by the SBA and two student representatives will be chosen by an all-ALSA Selection Board comprised of representatives from APALSA, BALSAs, CoLR, DALSA, LaLSA, Law Women, MELSA, OUTLaw, SALSAs, and WoCC. Candidates interested in being considered by the all-ALSA Selection Board should indicate so in their personal statement and rank this committee in their top two choices.*

Library Committee

- The Library committee convenes on an as-needed basis to review the library's resources, space, budget, faculty, and other questions of resource allocation and strategy.

Personnel Committee (Academic)*

- Students sit in advisory (non-voting) positions on this committee. The committee is responsible for making recommendations for appointments, promotions, and tenure of the academic faculty. Students on this committee will be a part of screening possible new additions to the NYU Law faculty and will actively

participate in interviewing candidates for open positions. It is imperative that students on this committee are enthusiastic about NYU Law as they are acting in the double role of “selling” the school to the possible candidates, and “screening” the new applicants. *For this committee, one student representative will be chosen by the SBA and one student representative will be chosen by an all-ALSA Selection Board comprised of representatives from APALSA, BALSAs, CoLR, DALSA, LaLSA, Law Women, MELSA, OUTLaw, SALSA, and WoCC. Candidates interested in being considered by the all-ALSA Selection Board should indicate so in their personal statement and rank this committee in their top two choices.*

Personnel Committee (Clinical)

- Students sit in advisory (non-voting) positions on this committee. The committee is responsible for making recommendations for appointments of Clinical faculty. Students on this committee have been invited to sit in on the presentations of possible appointments in the past. *For this committee, one student representative will be chosen by the SBA and one student representative will be chosen by an all-ALSA Selection Board comprised of representatives from APALSA, BALSAs, CoLR, DALSA, LaLSA, Law Women, MELSA, OUTLaw, SALSA, and WoCC. Candidates interested in being considered by the all-ALSA Selection Board should indicate so in their personal statement and rank this committee in their top two choices.*

Personnel Committee (Lawyering)

- The committee makes recommendations with respect to the continuation of current Lawyering faculty and makes suggestions for new hires. The committee is responsible for reviewing the student evaluations. *For this committee, one student representative will be chosen by the SBA and one student representative will be chosen by an all-ALSA Selection Board comprised of representatives from APALSA, BALSAs, CoLR, DALSA, LaLSA, Law Women, MELSA, OUTLaw, SALSA, and WoCC. Candidates interested in being considered by the all-ALSA Selection Board should indicate so in their personal statement and rank this committee in their top two choices.*

Preparation For Academic Careers

- The committee makes recommendations regarding the programming, counseling and other services provided to NYU law students and alumni considering careers in legal academia.

Student Intellectual Life

- The Student Intellectual Life committee reviews, approves, and provides oversight for student group-sponsored symposia and colloquia.

Sustainability Committee

- This committee makes recommendations with respect to sustainability initiatives and programming at the law school.