1.3.4.1 Library and Technology Services Faculty Committee

The Library and Technology Services Faculty Committee represents the faculty in advising, recommending, and developing strategic priorities for Library and Technology Services (LTS). The committee collaborates with LTS leadership and staff, with particular focus on:

- the development of the university's libraries as a resource for the academic community to serve the needs of students and faculty;
- aligning Center for Innovation in Teaching and Learning programming, consultation services and pedagogical support with areas of faculty interest and need;
- ensuring that the uses of academic technologies (including, for example, instructional technologies, research computing, online learning and communication tools, academic software) offered by Lehigh University maintain the quality and vision of Lehigh’s broader educational mission and standards;
- representing the perspectives of the faculty in LTS strategic planning and strategic plan implementation.

The Committee consists of six-seven tenured or tenure-track faculty members: one each elected from the colleges of Business and Economics, Education, Health, and Engineering and Applied Science; and one elected from each of the three divisions in the College of Arts and Sciences. There are two ex officio non-voting members: the Vice Provost and the Associate Vice Provost for Library and Technology Services. Each of the six-seven elected faculty members may serve a maximum of two consecutive three-year terms. The ex officio members and ad hoc advisors serve by virtue of their position. One of the faculty members serves as chair for a one-year term. Each spring, the board elects a chair-elect who serves as vice-chair for the ensuing academic year. Both the chair and the chair-elect take office on July 1. The Associate Vice Provost of LTS serves as secretary to the subcommittee. The Library and Technology Services Faculty Committee will present regular reports to the Faculty Senate. Formerly the Library Users' Committee