

Nominee Statements for Elected Committees

To support faculty in making informed decisions in their vote for representatives, faculty interested in serving on any elected faculty committee are asked to provide responses to the following questions below (see Section 10.2.1.3 in the Faculty Handbook).

The respondent's email (jperkins@unca.edu) was recorded on submission of this form.

Name of Nominee *

James Perkins

Please select the committee for which you were nominated. *

Faculty Committee on Hearings ▼

What is your current position and length of service at UNC Asheville? (25 word maximum) *

I'm currently Chair and Associate Professor in the Department of Physics and Astronomy. Next year will be my 14th year at UNC Asheville which includes two years as Lecturer before beginning the Tenure Track.

Why are you interested in serving in this position? (50 word maximum) *

Honestly, I volunteered to serve because no other Natural Science faculty had been nominated and I wanted to protect colleagues who might already be overburdened with other service or scholarly endeavors. However, I take the processes of faculty service, conciliation, and confidentiality very seriously, and will bring my best effort to serve in this role equitably applying the protections of faculty tenure.

Please describe any relevant interests or experience you would bring to this position. (50 word maximum) *

I'm currently a Chair, and have served as a coordinator of HUM 324 and a CTL Fellow. I served on Faculty Senate (IDC) from AY15-16 through 17-18. I am currently a member of the LAC Advisory Committee and the SFI Committee. I have served on multiple teaching award selection, Endowed Professorship selection, chancellor search, and tenure committees.

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