

Academic Technology Advisory Committee (ATAC)
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The Academic Technology Advisory Committee (ATAC) is a representative body of faculty serving in an advisory capacity to the President and Cabinet on the adoption, integration, and maintenance of Academic Technologies and related infrastructure.

The purpose of the ATAC is to:

- Provide a representative faculty voice for development and refinement of Academic Technologies and related infrastructure at WOU.
- Explore how technology may be used to support the university's core themes of *Student Success* and *Academic Excellence*.
- Inform the development of the Academic Technology Master Plan, and provide feedback regarding its implementation.
- Recommend (and prioritize) solutions and refinements to the Academic Technology ecosystem that:
 - take into account University-wide impacts, dependencies, and available resources.
 - are informed by ongoing assessment of past initiatives.
 - are fully aligned with the Academic Technology Master Plan, the IT Master Plan, the university Strategic Plan, and fulfillment of the University Mission.

Membership

The ATAC is co-chaired by the Directors of University Computing Services and the Center for Academic Innovation.

- The makeup of the committee and method used for their appointment will be developed in consultation with Faculty Senate.
- Faculty Senate will be encouraged to identify potential members based on their knowledge and understanding of contemporary and emerging information technology.

Meetings

Meetings are held monthly throughout the academic year and once in the summer.