

**2019 Governing Council Elections
Teaching Staff Candidates' Statements**

Voting Period: Monday, February 4, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. to Friday, February 15, 2019 at 5:00 p.m.

Teaching Staff – Constituency IV

Jun Nogami

As of July 2019, I will stepping down after having been Chair of the Department of Materials Science and Engineering for ten years. I have also served on UTFA council since 2008. In both capacities, I have learned a great deal about the concerns of the University community. I have also worked with both UTFA and the University to develop new policies. If I have the opportunity to serve on Governing Council, I hope that I will be able to contribute to the benefit of the University and its faculty, staff and students.

<https://mse.utoronto.ca/faculty-staff/professors/nogami/>

Chirag Variawa

Prof. Chirag Variawa is a proud alumnus of UofT Engineering with a B.A.Sc. (MSE0T9) and Ph.D. (MIE1T4). During his graduate studies, he was elected to Governing Council (representing over 6000 students), and served on the Executive Committee, Academic Appeals Board, Search Committee for the President, and Co-Chaired the University Affairs Board. After serving for two terms, he graduated and worked at a large university in Boston, in engineering, and became a teaching fellow. Now, in his third year as a UofT Engineering faculty member, he hopes to serve again to build inclusive community, foster accessible collaboration, and promote academic rigour.

<https://news.engineering.utoronto.ca/tag/chirag-variawa/>

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David Zingg

David Zingg is in his 32nd year as a professor at the University of Toronto Institute for Aerospace Studies, where he was the Director from 2006-2016. His research areas include aerodynamics, computational fluid dynamics, and aerodynamic shape optimization. He held a Canada Research Chair from 2001-2015, was awarded a Guggenheim Fellowship in 2004, was the 2009 University of Toronto Faculty Award recipient, received the McCurdy Award from the Canadian Aeronautics and Space Institute in 2012, was awarded the 2016 J.J. Berry Smith Doctoral Supervision Award, and is a Fellow of the Canadian Academy of Engineering. URL: <http://goldfinger.utias.utoronto.ca/dwz/>