



Voting Instructions for the 2019 Governing Council Teaching Staff Election - Constituency IC

For purposes of Governing Council elections, “**Teaching Staff**” employees of the University who hold the academic rank of Professor; Associate Professor; Assistant Professor; Professor, Teaching Stream; Associate Professor, Teaching Stream; Assistant Professor, Teaching Stream; Lecturer and Senior Lecturer; Tutor and Senior Tutor; Assistant Professor (Conditional); Assistant Professor, Teaching Stream (Conditional); Sessional Lecturer I, Sessional Lecturer II, Sessional Lecturer III, Athletics Instructor and Senior Athletics Instructor but does not include any part-time lecturer who is registered as a student. For this purpose, “Lecturer” also includes Associates in the Faculty of Dentistry.

Constituency IC includes all teaching staff members in the Faculty of Arts and Science who hold their major appointments in the Departments of Astronomy and Astrophysics, Cell and Systems Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Earth Sciences, Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, Mathematics, Physics, Psychology, Statistical Sciences, the Canadian Institute for Theoretical Astrophysics.

Please read the instructions and the candidates’ statements provided below before voting.

1. All Teaching Staff registered in the Human Resources Information System (HRIS) must vote on-line at the website listed below.

<https://uoft.me/GC2019TSCONSTIC>

2. **Voting commences at 9:00 a.m. on Monday, February 4, 2019, and concludes on Friday, February 15, 2019 at 5:00 p.m.**
3. You may vote for only one (1) candidate out of the four (4) candidates.
4. To access the on-line ballot, you must enter your personnel number and date of birth¹.
5. Verification of your eligibility to vote in the Teaching Staff election will be determined by records provided by the HRIS.
6. Once the system has recognized you as a valid voter, you will be directed to the Teaching Staff ballot.

¹ Please note that your personnel number and your vote are stored separately in order to protect confidentiality.

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7. Once you have accessed the ballot, you **MUST** cast your vote. If you log-on and then exit the ballot without voting, you will not be able to re-access the ballot.
8. If you do not select a candidate, a warning message will inform you that a selection has not been made. If you choose to cast a blank vote, the ballot will be accepted as submitted.
9. After your vote is registered, you cannot access the ballot a second time.

Candidates' Statements

Mario Grech

Mario Grech is a Business Executive, Professor, Entrepreneur, Philanthropist and Cofounder/Director-Department of Computer Science Innovation Lab. My private sector experiences, in high technology firms, startups, advisory boards and philanthropic initiatives have intersected with academia throughout my career. In my current academic role I teach highly rated, experientially driven entrepreneurship courses as well as create programs to commercialize UofT research furthering the institution's and Canada's reputation as a global innovation leader. These experiences provide unique perspectives and insights that enable me to impact the strategic, business, academic and governance matters that the UofT will address. www.cs.toronto.edu/~mario/

William (Bill) Ju

Bill obtained both his Master's degree (M.Sc.) in Physiology and his Doctorate (Ph.D.) in the department of Laboratory Medicine and Pathobiology, from the University of Toronto. His graduate research involved the examination of the cellular and molecular pathways underlying motivation, learning and memory, as well as neurodegeneration. His post-doctoral fellowship further extended these interests, and he investigated the central roles that receptor trafficking and stabilization plays in the brain and their influences on health and disease states. Bill joined the Human Biology Program in 2009 as a full time lecturer and was promoted to Associate Professor, Teaching Stream in 2015.

Mark Lautens

I currently serve on the Governing Council, including the Executive Committee, Academic Board and Planning & Budget, and seek a second term. I bring the perspective of a highly engaged researcher in the sciences to the attention of the Administration and Governors appointed from outside the university. I view my role as advocating for those dedicated to excellence in research and education.

I have written a series of OpEds in the G&M, supporting increased federal research funding, more support of graduate students and better opportunities for early career and leading researchers. I plan to continue my #educateadvocate efforts going forward.

<http://www.chem.utoronto.ca/staff/ML/index.php>

Nick Rule

Nick Rule is an Associate Professor in the Psychology Department and the Canada Research Chair in Social Perception and Cognition. Since beginning at UofT in 2010, he has received multiple international awards, served one year as Acting Chair of Psychology, and served three years as Associate Chair of Undergraduate Studies. He is the Senior Associate Editor at the Journal of Experimental Social Psychology and has held various leadership roles in the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, the primary professional organization in his field. As a Science Leadership Fellow, he regularly represents the University and his field in the popular media.

<http://psych.utoronto.ca/users/rule>

If you are ready to vote, please click:

<https://uoft.me/GC2019TSCONSTIC>

Thank you for participating in this Governing Council Election