

2024 Executive Committee Candidate

Rich G. Carter (at OSU since 2002), Professor of Chemistry ~ Chemistry Department – College of Science

FACULTY SENATE SERVICE: Science Faculty Senator, 2023-present; Promotion & Tenure Committee, 2023-present; Open Access Policy Working Group, 2012-13; Library Committee, 2010-13; and Task Force on Scholarly Communication, 2004-05

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE SERVICE: Promotion & Tenure Committee, 2018-19, 2010-12

UNIVERSITY SERVICE: Innovation Advocate, 2021-present and OSU Advantage Accelerator Advisory Board Member, 2017-present

CANDIDATE STATEMENT: I have been fortunate to engage with a wide cross section of the OSU community for 20+ years at OSU. It is the diversity of OSU that makes it a special place. I have worked on two successful initiatives that have passed through Faculty Senate – the 2013 Faculty Senate Open Access policy and the 2023 Changes to Promotion and Tenure guidelines to recognize innovation and entrepreneurship impact. I look forward to bringing that breadth of understanding to the Faculty Senate Executive Committee as I view shared governance as a critical component to a strong university.