

2018 Executive Committee Candidate

Selina Heppell (at OSU since 2001), Professor of Fisheries Science ~ Department Head, Fisheries and Wildlife, 2016-present; Interim Department Head, Fisheries and Wildlife, 2015; Associate Department Head, Fisheries and Wildlife, 2013-14 – College of Agricultural Sciences.

FACULTY SENATE SERVICE: Agricultural Sciences Faculty Senator, 2017-present, 2012-14.

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES SERVICE: Curriculum Committee and Diversity Committee.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE: Academics Working Group (2016-17); Graduate Student Funding/ Financial Support Committee (2016-17); Food from the Sea Working Group (2015-present); Marine Studies Initiative: Learning Modules Working Group (2014-15); and Dean's Blue Ribbon Panel on College Restructuring, College of Agricultural Sciences (2010).

SEARCH COMMITTEES (*at the level of department head and above*): Director of Communications, College of Agricultural Sciences (2018); Marine Mammal Institute Director (2018); and Department Head, Applied Economics (2017).

Candidate Statement: I started at OSU as an Assistant Professor in 2001. As the first woman department head of Fisheries and Wildlife, I am a strong proponent of our university's commitment to diversity and inclusion. I would like to learn more about how the university works and provide input on implementation of our new Strategic Plan and faculty unionization. I am a strong supporter of shared governance and would like to find more ways to communicate our Senate activities with faculty, instructors and advisors.