

# NASAA NATIONAL ASSEMBLY of STATE ARTS AGENCIES

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## 2024 Standing Committees

Standing committees deal with matters that involve an annual and continuous flow of work, such as financial oversight, fundraising, planning and board nominations.

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

**\*Donna Collins, ED-OH, Chair**  
\*Karen Hanan, ED-WA, 1st Vice Chair  
\*Carla Du Pree, Former Vice CH-MD, 2nd Vice Chair  
\*David Platts, ED-SC, Treasurer  
\*LaVon Bracy Davis, CM-FL, Secretary  
\*Omari Rush, Former CH-MI, Immediate Past Chair  
Staff: Pam Breaux

### AUDIT COMMITTEE

**\*Karl Blischke, ED-PA, Chair**  
\*Alice Bioff, Native Village of Koyuk, CM-AK  
Vicki Bourns, ED-UT  
Rachel Clifton, ED-WY  
\*Gabriella Huggins, at-large  
Cassie Mason, DD-NH  
Christi Stonecipher, CM-ND  
George Tzougros, ED-WI  
Randall Vaughn, CM-KY  
Staff: Sylvia Prickett

### DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

**\*Gene Meneray, CM-LA, co-chair**  
**\*David Schmitz, ED-IA, co-chair**  
Chris Cathers, ED-KY  
\*Sean Chandler, Aaniiih, CM-MT  
Christine Costello, DD-CO  
\*Michael Donovan, ED-MO  
\*Christian Gaines, ED-WESTAF  
\*Tasida Kelch, ED-VI  
Elliott Knight, ED-AL  
Nola Ruth, CM-MO  
Amber Sharples, ED-OK  
Encarnación Teruel, DD-IL  
Staff: Laura Smith

### GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE

**\*Karen Hanan, ED-WA, Chair**  
\*Michael Bobbitt, ED-MA  
\*Mary Bordeaux, Sicangu Oglala Lakota, at-large  
Joshua Davis-Ruperto, ED-IL  
\*Sue Gens, ED-MN  
Gary Gibbs, ED-TX  
\*Ivonne Chand O'Neal, at-large  
Staff: Pam Breaux

### NOMINATING COMMITTEE

**Julie Vigeland, Former CH-OR, Chair**  
Chandra Boyd, DD-OK  
Amy Cunningham, DD-VT  
\*Michael Donovan, ED-MO  
\*Xela Garcia, CM-WI  
\*Sue Gens, ED-MN  
Michelle Laflamme-Childs, ED-NM  
David Lewis, ED-MS  
Mike Markey, ED-NE  
\*Gene Meneray, CM-LA  
Kara Milner, CM-RI  
Larry Morrissey, DD-MS  
Shawn Oban, CH-ND  
Kristin Pleasanton, DD-DE  
Justin Raffa, CH-WA  
David Slatery, DD-MA  
Encarnación Teruel, DD-IL  
Staff: Laura Smith

## **PLANNING & BUDGET COMMITTEE**

***\*David Platts, ED-SC, Chair***

\*Ruben Alvarez, CM-AZ

\*Michael Donovan, ED-MO

\*Deonté Griffin-Quick, at-large

David Holland, DD-WESTAF

Miah Michaelson, ED-IN

Brian Rogers, ED-OR

Sandy Shaughnessy, ED-FL

Kate Van Steenhuyse, DD-KS

Staff: Kelly Barsdate & Sylvia Prickett

## **2024 Task Forces and Working Groups**

Task forces accomplish specific goals and are dissolved when the work is done. Additional task forces or working groups may be established throughout the year.

## **PEOPLE OF COLOR AFFINITY GROUP LEADERSHIP TEAM**

***\*Carla Du Pree, Former Vice CH-MD, Co-chair and Advisor***

***Abigail Gómez, Former CH-VA, Co-chair***

***Encarnación Teruel, DD-IL, Co-chair***

Dara Silver, Senior Program Director, North Carolina Arts Council, Member

Jean Tokuda Irwin, Arts Education Program Manager, Utah Division of Arts & Museums, Member

Matrex Kilgore, Program Administrator, Texas Commission on the Arts, Member

Staff: Marisa Summers

## **NATIONAL LEADERSHIP AWARDS TASK FORCE**

***\*LaVon Bracy Davis, CM-FL, Chair***

Jeff Bell, ED-NC

Amber Danielson, CH-IA

Karen Ewald, ED-HI

Jenna Green, ED-WV

Susan Evans McClure, ED-VT

Patrick Ralston, ED-AR

Nola Ruth, CM-MO

Allison Tratner, ED-NJ

Reggie Van Lee, CH-DC

Alison Watson, ED-MI

Craig Watson, CM-ME

Kevin Yoshida, CM-CO

Staff: Laura Smith and Katie Hughes

\*2024 NASAA Board Member