University Committees are standing committees formed by the university to assist with the governing and decision-making processes of the university. Student representatives on these and other committees are appointed on a annual basis by the Student Government Association. Student committee members play the valuable role of sharing student perspectives on university decisions and serving as a voice for other students. Student representatives work alongside faculty and staff to assist with decision-making that impacts the university's future and the achievement of campus-wide goals and initiatives.

**Admissions Committee (2 students)**
The Admissions Committee's purpose is the development and review of admission criteria and admission policies. The Admissions Committee, or a subgroup thereof, consults on admission decisions regarding student applicants who do not meet the University's automatic acceptance criteria.

**Athletic Advisory Board (2 students)**
The Athletic Advisory Board serves as an adviser to the University President through the Administrative Vice President on matters pertaining to the Department of Intercollegiate Athletics. It acts in a timely manner as: (1) a sounding board on issues and decisions; (2) a source of new ideas from outside the Athletic Department and the University; (3) a source of insight regarding the impact of decisions on student athletes, alumni and friends. It also provides regular communication to and from all constituencies it represents.

**Board of Undergraduate Studies (3 students)**
The Board of Undergraduate Studies (BUGS) monitors the implementation of the University Core and is responsible for overseeing faculty votes on proposed changes to the University Core. It assists in overseeing the assessment of student academic achievement in the University Core and special academic programs such as University Scholars and HAB. The Board ensures that resources exist to accommodate the requirement of new undergraduate courses, majors, minors and programs or revisions to existing undergraduate courses, majors, minors and programs when the requirements draw upon resources in other colleges. It makes certain that undergraduate courses, majors, minors and programs support the Mission of the University. BUGS initiates and recommends improvements to University Grading, such as standards for Honors, standards for Dean’s List, university grading designations, and standards for graduation. BUGS works towards resolving redundancies across colleges. It initiates revisions and recommends improvements to the Undergraduate University Catalog.

**Campus Safety Committee (1 student)**
The Safety Committee represents the perspective of the entire university and serves as an advising and recommending body on matters of campus safety that broadly impact the campus and our campus community members. The Safety Committee will identify and recommend prioritized actions to enhance campus safety and to provide for
continuous improvement in safety awareness and safety results. Members will also make recommendations and act to develop and continue a culture of safety.

**Commencement Committee (5 students)**
The Commencement Committee is responsible for planning and implementing the Commencement Exercises. This committee does not select the commencement speaker - see Public Honors Committee.

**Disability Services Committee**
The Disability Services Committee seeks to ensure that all students with disabilities can freely and actively participate in all facets of university life.

**Financial Aid and Scholarship Committee (2 students)**
The Financial Aid and Scholarship Committee has as its purpose the development and review of financial aid and scholarship polices and the selection of candidates to receive scholarships. The committee serves in an advisory capacity to the Office of Financial Aid.

**Library Committee (2 students)**
The Library Committee receives and recommends new or revisions to existing Library policies. It receives and reviews periodic reports prepared by the Associate Provost and CIO for Information Technologies, the University Library Director and the Executive Director of Technology Services on its operations and makes recommendations based on these reports. The Library Committee advises the Associate Provost and CIO for Information Technologies on budgetary matters, and at the request of the Provost/Chief Academic Officer or Associate Provost and CIO for Information Technologies participates in the evaluation of Library operations.

**Parking Committee (1 student)**
The Parking Committee is responsible for making recommendations to the Provost for: overall policies and procedures for the regulation of parking on campus; fees to be charged for parking; areas on or contiguous to campus on which parking spaces may be created; alternatives to handling parking when construction of University facilities eliminates existing parking spaces; procedures for ensuring that all stakeholders, students, faculty, staff and visitors (e.g. basketball premium seat holders) receive and understand clear communication regarding normal parking processes and necessary changes to those process for special events (e.g. men’s basketball games on class nights).

**Public Honors (2 students)**
The purpose of this committee is to recommend to the University President individuals, organizations and corporations who, through their lives and accomplishments exemplify the spirit, the values and the Mission of Xavier University, and therefore, and deserving of public recognition by the university. This committee is responsible for the selection of the Commencement Speaker.
Technology Committee (1 student)
The University Technology Committee advises with regard to the broad-based planning that integrates the academic and administrative technology needs of the University. The committee provides guidance in matters of budgeting for technology and educating the University community about technology. Its decisions and recommendations reflect the University’s academic and administrative needs and its strategic plan. Proposals for major projects are initiated by the University’s departments and are forwarded to the Academic Technology Committee, and Administrative IT committee as appropriate. The University Technology Committee will evaluate proposed initiatives to ensure optimal benefits from resources allocated to technology at the University. The committee will review and recommend university wide policies related to the utilization and implementation of information technology resources and systems. The committee will review the strategic technological directions of the University.

University Calendar Committee (1 student)
The University Calendar Committee formulates and recommends the academic year calendar, proposes polices and processes for scheduling of University programs and events, and works to ensure proper and timely dissemination of all University calendars and scheduled events. Committee members must be available on Wednesdays at 3:30pm.

University Harassment Hearing Board (3 students)
This Board hears matters in which a complaint of harassment (including sexual harassment) is filed against an employee and it is considered to be of the most serious nature. This Board is composed of students, faculty and administrators with sanctioning authority up to and including dismissal from the University. The Board will make decisions based on information presented at a hearing. Each member of the Board will receive training annually.

University Planning & Resourcing Council (2 students)
The UPRC serves as an intricate role in the university as the responsible body for creating the annual budget. There is additionally a subcommittee related to space and recommending allocations and decisions for all space-related questions at the highest level. This appointment is a two year term and is recommended for uprising Junior students to consider applying. Committee members must be available to meet Mondays from 10:30am-noon.

UPRC Subcommittee on Space (2 students)
The UPRC Subcommittee on Space is an advisory committee to the University Planning and Resource Council (UPRC) that assists UPRC in making informed and timely decisions regarding the allocation and repurposing of existing space. Students representatives are considered important voting members of this committee. Committee members must be available to meet every other week for 90 minutes.