

Engineering Graduate Education Committee (EGEC) – 2025-2026

Chair: Lisa Romkey | Vice-Chair: Daniel Posen

APPOINTMENT TYPE	NAME	CONSTITUENCY	EMAIL	TERM	EXPIRES
Teaching Staff (8)	Cheng, Hai-Ling (Margaret)	Biomedical Engineering	hailing.cheng@utoronto.ca	3 years	Jun 30, 2026
	Diller, Eric	Mechanical & Industrial Engineering	ediller@mie.utoronto.ca	3 years	Jun 30, 2027
	Groth, Clinton	Aerospace Studies	groth@utias.utoronto.ca	3 years	Jun 30, 2026
	Howe, Jane	Materials Science & Engineering	jane.howe@utoronto.ca	3 years	Jun 30, 2026
	Liscidini, Antonio	Electrical & Computer Engineering	antonio.liscidini@utoronto.ca	3 years	Jun 30, 2026
	Posen, Daniel	Civil & Mineral Engineering	acgrad.civmin@utoronto.ca	3 years	Jun 30, 2027
	Ramachandran, Arun	Chemical Engineering & Applied Chemistry	arun.ramchandran@utoronto.ca	3 years	Jun 30, 2028
	Romkey, Lisa	Transdisciplinary Engineering Education & Practice	lisa.romkey@utoronto.ca	3 years	Jun 30, 2028
Members-at-Large (4)	Avikpe, Ferdinand (Reke)	Graduate Student (PhD BME Y3)	ferdinand.avikpe@mail.utoronto.ca	1 year	Jun 30, 2026
	Kelly, Colleen	Non-Academic Staff (Graduate Counsellor)	civ.gradprograms@utoronto.ca	3 years	Jun 30, 2026
	Moni, Moniruzzaman	Alumni/ae (PhD Civil 2T4)	moni98ce@gmail.com	3 years	Jun 30, 2028
	Sam Chee, Sharini / Singh, Aryan ¹	Graduate Students (MAsc BME Y2) / (MAsc BME Y2)	sharini.samchee@mail.utoronto.ca / aryan.singh@utoronto.ca	1 year	Jun 30, 2026
Ex-officio (2)	Steeves, Craig ²	(Acting) Vice-Dean Graduate Studies	craig.steeves@utoronto.ca	Ongoing	--
	Draper, Stark	Vice-Dean Research	stark.draper@utoronto.ca	Ongoing	--
Recording Secretary (Non-voting)	Duong, David	Faculty Graduate Coordinator, Vice-Dean Graduate Office	d.duong@utoronto.ca	Ongoing	Periodically

With respect to graduate studies, EGEC is responsible for the following. See Council Bylaws for a list of exclusions.

1. New graduate courses, minor and major course changes and minor and major program changes
2. Graduate Degree Level Expectations (GDLEs)
3. Faculty-originated, graduate-supervisor awards and University-level nominations
 - a. Scholarships and awards
 - b. Faculty-originated scholarships/awards
 - c. Post-doc University-level nominations
4. Faculty-level implementation of SGS policies and best practice, e.g., admissions, student supervisory committees, supervision, stipends, assessment and grading in courses
5. Professional development
6. Petitions and appeals of graduate students taking 500-level courses - limited to personal matters, e. g. extensions, missed exams (academic matters being adjudicated by the Examinations Committee)

Term: Jul 1 of each academic year until Jun 30 of that academic year.

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¹ Members-at-Large: Sharini Sam Chee and Aryan Singh will share this role and alternate attendance.

² Ex officio: Craig Steeves is acting for Julie Audet, Vice-Dean, Graduate Studies, from July 1-December 31, 2025.