



Budget Advisory Committee (BAC)				
Intent: The intent of the Budget Advisory Committee (BAC) is to monitor budget resources and progress toward the achievement of the University’s strategic plan and related goals and objectives.				
Purpose: The purpose of the BAC is to review the University’s strategic plan and institutional metrics and data, and to identify budget resources required to support the plan.				
Objective: The objective of the BAC is to advise the President’s Cabinet on the status of the strategic plan and to provide the President’s Cabinet with a priority list of budget allocation recommendations for achieving the University’s strategic plan, supporting the University’s academic mission, and ensuring the University’s financial viability considering the on-going fiscal challenges and opportunities.				
Meetings: The meetings of the BAC shall be at least twice per year, one in the spring semester and one in the fall semester, with additional meetings scheduled as requested by the chair.				
Reference: Budget Advisory Committee Charter (Revised July 2026), www.csub.edu/bas/				
Membership				
Provost and Vice President of Academic Affairs, co-chair		Deborah Thien		
VP for Business & Admin Services and Chief Financial Officer, co-chair		Kristen Watson		
Senate Representatives:				
Chair of the Academic Senate		Melissa Danforth	CEE/CS	2026-2028
Chair of the Budget & Planning Committee (BPC)		Di Wu	Accounting/ Finance	2026-2027
Faculty Representatives:				
Alternate	1	Jing Wang	Finance/Accounting	2026-2028
	2	Dayanand Saini	Physics and Engineering	2025-2027
		John Tarjan	Management/Marketing	2026-2028
Administrative Contacts:		Natasha Hayes Ivonna Edkins AVP for BAS and Chief Budget Officer Confidential Administrative Support		

This roster reflects the Senate-appointed faculty members. For the complete committee roster, committee charge, and additional information, please contact the Division of Business and Administrative Services.