 Objective
To advance the educational mission of the University, the Teaching and Learning committee guides strategy, direction and decision-making in the use and support of technologies that enhance teaching or enable learning. Members may be asked to help influence and vet decisions including sharing perspectives of colleagues and students as well as sharing innovative instructional experiences. Committee members should be engaged with academic thought leaders, consortiums, and professional groups to understand strategic directions of teaching and learning technologies and to identify opportunities for Yale University.

Responsibilities
The Teaching and Learning Committee advises ITS and the Office of the Provost on how to best advance Yale’s technology footprint in support of the educational mission. The Committee is responsible for receiving and synthesizing applicable program committee reports to inform annual strategic portfolio planning.

The Teaching and Learning Committee will be responsible for an annual activities and recommendations report, delivered to the Technology Initiatives Committee and University Officers, that:

- Proposes projects and services for teaching and learning
- Advances opportunities in educational technologies
- Provides interesting funding opportunities
- Suggests emerging teaching and learning technologies.

Composition
As a team, the Teaching and Learning Committee should demonstrate:

- Diversity of disciplinary backgrounds
- Varied perspectives
- Willingness to engage and transform.

ITS Staff Responsibilities
Staff provide the following support to the committee

- Agenda generation, preparation and distribution; meeting notes preparation and distribution
- Task tracking and reminders
- Miscellaneous activities.

Members
Co-Chair: Gary Kidney, Deputy CIO for Academic Solutions

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Sybil Alexandrov, Senior Lecturer in Spanish and Portuguese
Jenny Frederick, Co-Director, Center for Scientific Teaching
Ekaterina Ginzburg, Instructional Technology Specialist, School of Nursing
David Hirsch, Director of Academic IT Strategy
Tao Tao Holmes, Student
Emily Horning, Director of Undergraduate Research Education and Outreach, University Library
Rahul Kini, Student
Amanda Kowalski, Assistant Professor of Economics
Gabriel Olszewski, Registrar
Len Peters, University CIO and Associate VP (ex officio)
Pamela Schirmeister, Associate Dean, GSAS
Michael Schwartz, Associate Professor & Director of Medical Studies, Neurobiology
Lucas Swineford, Executive Director, Office of Dissemination & Online Education
Lauren Tilton, Chair, Graduate Student Assembly
Harvey Weiss, Professor of Near Eastern Archeology, Anthropology, and Forestry
Laura Wexler, Professor of American Studies, Women's Gender, & Sexuality Studies
Kurt Zilm, Professor of Chemistry & Chemical Engineering

Meeting Frequency
4 times per year