

AMAG Charter

The purpose of the Academic Mobility Advisory Group (AMAG) is to serve in an advisory role for campus mobility initiatives, including the expansion and upgrade of campus wireless (WiFi), cellular DAS services, and the infrastructure and services needed to support the growing mobile application environment.

- AMAG will advise the CITES executive leadership and provide advice and review to the Provost.
- The group will document its advice as part of an open campus process that informs and appropriately consults the deans, directors, department heads and campus community.
- The chair and the CITES executive leadership will review the progress of the group with the Provost on a regular basis.

Campus Wireless Expansion Project

- The AMAG membership will set priorities and provide governance for the three-year Campus Wireless Expansion Project milestones and schedule.
- Given the time frame for this project, it is anticipated the group will initially meet twice a month. As the project gets established and the conversion priorities are set, the group will likely meet every other month, as necessary.
- Each college or unit will most likely want to establish its own priority list and approaches to expanding campus wireless within their buildings. CITES will be able to provide help in assessing “unit readiness” needed to make the conversion (e.g., appropriate data network facilities). AMAG will first review and vet priorities that go across all colleges and units, regarding who is expanded in what order over the life of the project. During implementation, AMAG will review and advise on issues that may affect meeting wireless expansion deadlines, especially those that depend on prioritization or time frames determined by others.
- AMAG will provide guidance on managing the scope of locations being added/upgraded within campus buildings and ensuring the project remains within budget.
- The group will advise the CITES executive leadership on where additional resource or priority changes may be required to address special cases.
- AMAG will play a key role in advising the CITES executive leadership and Provost if there are significant changes to the timing or requirements for the Campus Wireless Expansion Project over time.

Cellular DAS Services

- The AMAG will provide guidance and input to the Campus DAS initiative to improve cellular service across campus.

Mobile Application Environment and Infrastructure

- The AMAG will provide guidance in determining what infrastructure and services are needed to support the growing mobile application environment.

AMAG Membership

The Academic Mobility Advisory Group (AMAG) is made up of assistant and associate deans, directors, and administrators who make IT decisions for their respective units.

Members

- Craig L. Flowers, Director of Computing Services, College of Veterinary Medicine; AMAG chair
- Roberto Aldunate, Assistant Dean and Director of IT, College of AHS
- Michael Bohlmann, Director of IT, College of Media
- David Gerstenecker, Director of IT, College of ACES
- Gabe Gibson, Director of Technical Services, College of LAS
- Erik Hege, Assistant Dean for Infrastructure, School of Library and Information Science
- Jeremy Jones, IT Assistant Manager, College of Education
- Marty Kaufmann, Assistant Athletic Director, Division of Intercollegiate Athletics
- James Quisenberry, Associate Director of Housing for Technology Services, Student Affairs
- Chuck Thompson, Assistant Dean and CIO, College of Engineering
- Matt Tomaszewski, Associate Provost for Capital Planning, Office of the Provost

Ex-Officio Members

- Mitchell Dickey, Student
- David Dowler, Associate Director for Construction Services, F&S
- Troy Gagne, Senior Project Manager, CITES
- Greg Gulick, Deputy CIO and Executive Director, CITES
- Paul Lucas, Director Management and Planning, CITES
- Brian Mertz, Senior Client Relationship Consultant, CITES
- Beth Scheid, Associate Director, CITES
- Tracy Smith, Associate Director of Networking, CITES
- James Sims, Engineer, Capital Planning, F&S