

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY  
IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK  
THE UNIVERSITY SENATE

**January 31, 2017**

**Rules of University Conduct**

**University Judicial Board**

The Executive Committee of the University Senate has appointed Robert S. Kass, Hosack Professor of Pharmacology and Alumni Professor of Pharmacology, to the University Judicial Board, the five-member University-wide hearing panel that hears charges of violations under the Rules of University Conduct and provides sanctions.

The membership of the University Judicial Board is set out in **§445c** of the Rules of University Conduct.

**§445 Administrative and Judicial Personnel**

***c. University Judicial Board***

The Executive Committee of the University Senate shall at its first meeting each year appoint or fill vacancies in a University Judicial Board consisting of five members, one of whom shall be a student, one of whom shall be a faculty member, and one of whom shall be a staff member, as defined in Section 441i. Each of these three groups—students, faculty, and staff—is eligible for the two remaining seats, but none of the groups may occupy both of those seats, and thereby form a majority of the Board. The members shall be chosen after consultation with the three groups. The Executive Committee shall designate the chair of the Board, as well as an alternate chair, and shall also appoint a pool of alternate board members. Appointments to the board shall be for a term of three years, and shall be staggered to ensure continuity. The members of the University Judicial Board shall be persons from within the University, and no person otherwise concerned with disciplinary procedures may be appointed to the Board. Once confirmed by the Executive Committee, members of the University Judicial Board pool will be trained in the Rules of University Conduct and the precedents for adjudications and sanctions.

**§441. Definitions**

- i. *Staff* means members of the administration, administrative staff, research staff, library staff, or supporting staff, and includes all non-instructional officers, is as follows: administrative staff, research staff, library staff, or supporting staff, and includes all non-instructional officers.

## University Judicial Board Members

1. **Philip Andriole**, Student, School of Law [Student]
  - Philip Andriole is Vice Chair of the University Judicial Board
2. **Jeffrey W. Kysar**, Professor of Mechanical Engineering, Fu Foundation School of Engineering and Applied Science [Faculty]
3. **Danny Li**, Student, Columbia College [Student]
4. **Christopher Small**, Lamont Research Professor, Lamont Doherty Earth Observatory [Noninstructional Officers - Research Officers]
5. **Paige West**, Tow Professor of Anthropology, Barnard College [Faculty]
  - Paige West is Chair of the University Judicial Board

## Alternates

**Ian Beilin**, Research Collections and Services Librarian [Noninstructional Officers—Librarians]

**Christopher Connelly**, Student, School of Law [Student]

**Tara Das**, Government Information Librarian [Noninstructional Officers—Librarians]

**Tony Dechario**, Student, School of General Studies [Student]

**Robert S. Kass**, Hosack Professor of Pharmacology and Alumni Professor of Pharmacology, Columbia University Medical Center [Faculty]

**Kelsey Smith**, Student, Barnard College [Student]

**Michael Thivierge**, Director, Human Resources [Noninstructional Officers--Administrative Staff]

**Sony Jean-Michel Thornton**, Client Manager, Human Resources [Noninstructional Officers—Administrative Staff]

**William A. Zajc**, I. I. Rabi Professor of Physics, Arts and Sciences [Faculty]