Candidates



Dr. Robert Bishop

Dr. Robert H. Bishop, P.E. is the Dean of Engineering at USF and professor in the Department of Electrical Engineering. He has been in academia for 29 years including 20 years in leadership positions. Prior to academia, he was a member of the technical staff at the MIT Charles Stark Draper Laboratory. He is a Fellow of the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics and a Fellow of the American Astronautical Association. Dr. Bishop joined the USF FCU Supervisory Committee in 2017. Currently, he is an active member of the Board of Directors and serves on the Information Technology Committee.



Dr. Dwayne Smith

Dr. Smith has been at USF since the Fall of 2000, coming here after holding academic appointments at Tulane University and the University of North Carolina – Charlotte. He came to USF as Professor and Chair of the Department of Criminology, and was named Vice Provost in 2005, then Senior Vice Provost in 2008. In 2013, he was also appointed as Dean of the Office of Graduate Studies. Dr. Smith has served as a Board member for the past 3 years. Prior to that, he served as an Associate Board member for 1 year, and a member of the Supervisory Committee for 4 years.



Willie Stokes

A retired USF employee, Mr. Stokes was employed within the Division of Human Resources. During his 17-year career he gained experience in the areas of human resources management, budgeting, and records management. He has been a member of the USF FCU Board of Directors for 21 years serving as Chair for 4 years, Vice Chair, Treasurer and on various Committees. Prior to being elected to the Board, he served for 5 years on the Supervisory Committee, the last two as Committee Chair. Before coming to USF, Mr. Stokes served as a military officer for 22 years, retiring at the rank of Major.

