

## Staff Senate Biography

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School or Division: School of Medicine

Tenure at LSUHSC: 8 years

What do you hope the Staff Senate accomplishes and why are you a Senator?

I'm honored and excited to be elected to the newly initiated Staff Senate for many reasons. This body will be representing classified and unclassified staff from multiple schools, divisions and even cities!

I hope the Staff Senate can serve as both an advocate and a cheerleader. By being an advocate, I hope to be able to listen to colleagues' challenges and strive to address them through policy recommendations or programming that aids professional growth, well-being and feeling connected to the institutional mission. I also hope the Staff Senate can serve as a cheerleader by celebrating contributions made by staff and recognizing the vital role staff positions play in a higher education environment.

Why do you enjoy working at LSUHSC?

I really value collaboration and am able to see that firsthand within my department. The Office of Medical Education works closely with all learners – from medical students to residents and fellows, and faculty. We're able to see the entire lifecycle of a physician and how they progress into each phase. The ability to interact with so many departments has always been something I've really enjoyed. Collaboration and communication are core components of anything successful, and I hope to be able to use the skills applied within my day-to-day job to see similar success within Staff Senate.

