Ombuds Committee

The Ombuds Committee is charged to help resolve internal conflicts and advocate for fair treatment.

The Ombuds Committee provides confidential, impartial, and informal conflict management assistance to members of the Department of Physics and Astronomy and can provide feedback to department leadership on trends and concerns within the community in a confidential manner or as agreed upon with individuals seeking help.

Functions include:
- listening to concerns without judgment
- developing options
- analyzing options
- strategizing
- gathering information about internal and external resources
- providing relevant and clarifying information
- informing department members about informal, formal, and administrative options for resolving conflicts, complaints, and disputes

General Resources, Policies, and Information:
Department Handbooks (graduate and undergraduate)
Faculty Rights, Responsibilities, and Conditions of Employment
University of Utah Regulations
University of Utah Student Handbook
Ethics and Compliance Hotline
Research Integrity and Compliance
Substance and Alcohol Awareness
SafeU
SupportU

University Centers/Offices:
Office for Equity and Diversity
Office of Equal Opportunity and Affirmative Action
Office of General Counsel
University Police and Security
Center for Childcare and Family Resources
Center for Disability and Access
Office of Inclusive Excellence
American Indian Resource Center
Veterans Support Center
LGBT Resource Center
Women’s Resource Center
Dream Center

Resources for Faculty and Staff:
Employee Assistance Program and Behavioral Health Coverage
Faculty Ombudsman
Office for Faculty
Division of Human Resources
Student Resources:
Dean of Students
Career and Professional Development Center
University Counseling Center
International Student and Scholar Services
Student Health Center
Center for Student Wellness
University Writing Center
Student Success Advocates (undergraduates)
TRIO Student Support Services (undergraduates)
Learning Success Center (undergraduates)
CSME College of Science Internship Program (undergraduates)