

Facilities Services

Administrative History Data

Last revised: December 23, 2021 (Richard Dancy)

Dates: 1967–
Predecessor: Function within General Services
Successor: n/a
Fonds: [F-11, Facilities Services fonds](#)

<u>Year</u>	<u>Department name</u>	<u>Reports to</u>	<u>Chief officer</u>
1963 1964	[Function within General Services]	Office of the President [P. McTaggart-Cowan]	Arthur Gordon Orr, Superintendent of Engineering Services Arthur Gordon Orr, Manager of General Services
1965 1966			
1967 1968 1969 1970 1971 1972 1973 1974 1975 1976 1977 1978 1979 1980 1981 1982 1983 1984 1985	Physical Plant and Planning	General Services [A.G. Orr] VP Administration [G. Suart]	William De Vries, Director
1986 1987		Executive Director Administrative Service	
1988 1989 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999	Facilities Management	[W. De Vries] ¹ VP Administration [W. De Vries] VP Finance and Administration [R. Ward]	Rick Johnson, Director

<u>Year</u>	<u>Department name</u>		<u>Reports to</u>	<u>Chief officer</u>
2000	(i) Campus Planning and Development;	(ii) Operations ²	AVP Administration [R. Johnson]	Lee Gavel, Director of Campus Planning and Development Sam Dahabieh, Director of Operations
2001				
2002				
2003		Facilities Management	VP Finance and Administration [P. Hibbitts]	Sam Dahabieh, Director of Facilities Management
2004				
2005				
2006	Facilities Services ³			Lee Gavel, Chief Facilities Officer and University Architect ³
2007				
2008				
2009				
2010				
2011				
2012				Larry Waddell, Chief Facilities Officer
2013				
2014				
2015			VP Finance and Administration [M. Pochurko]	
2016				
2017				
2018				
2019				
2020				
2021				

Notes

¹ In 1986, the Director of Physical Plant and Planning, William De Vries, was appointed Executive Director, Administrative Services. De Vries appears on the org charts in both positions until 1988 with the appointment of Rick Johnson to Director of Physical Plant and Plant. De Vries' title changed to VP Administration in 1991.

² In 2000, the Director of Facilities Management (Rick Johnson) was appointed Associate Vice-President Administration. The facilities portfolio was split into separate units for (i) Campus Planning and Development headed by Lee Gavel and (ii) Operations, headed by Sam Dahabieh. Facilities Management reappears on the org charts in place of Operations from 2003-2006.

³ In September 2006, Lee Gavel (previously Director of Campus Planning and Development) was appointed Chief Facilities Officer and University Architect with overall responsibility for the new Facilities Services portfolio, now reorganized into three main divisions: (i) Facilities Administration; (ii) Facilities Development; and (iii) Facilities Operations. Sam Dahabieh remained as Director of the Operations unit until his retirement ca. 2012-13.