

UNIVERSITY LEADERSHIP 2021-22



The American
University of Paris



Doris Daughney

AUP Board Chair & Executive Committee

Toronto, Canada & Paris, France

Former roles

Trustee since 2012

Vice Chair | The Arts Arena Paris

Director | RONA Inc.

Chairman & CEO | BC Pavilion Corporation

Board Member | Saxon Financial; Industrial Alliance Insurance

Chair of the Board | The Vancouver Opera Association

Chair & Board Member | The Vancouver Stock Exchange; The Children's Arts Umbrella

Education

Wilfred Laurier University | BA

University of Toronto | MA



Achim Klüber | AUP '77

AUP Board Vice-Chair & Executive Committee

Bad Hamburg vor der Höhe, Germany

Former roles

Trustee since 2014

Investor/Independent Director/Senior Advisor | Capitalmind

Managing Director/Executive Director | Europe Arab Bank

Head of Corporate & Transaction Banking Europe | BNP Paribas

Managing Director | The Royal Bank of Scotland; Deutsche Bank

Education

The American University of Paris | BA, 1977

Albert Ludwig Universitat, Freiburg Germany | MA, 1981



Barbara Reno

AUP Board Secretary & Executive Committee

Jupiter, Florida & New York City

Trustee since 2014

Former roles

Managing Executive | Chief Executives Organization;
The Conference Board Europe

Senior Vice President/VP | Simon & Schuster; Merrill
Lynch; Chase Manhattan

Legislative Aide & Press Secretary | US Congress

Research Analyst | The Pentagon; The University of
Texas at Arlington

Instructor, Political Science | Angelo State University

Chair of the Board & Board Member | FWA of New
York & FWA Foundation

Board Member | Overseas Education Fund; BENS

Education

Baylor University | BA, 1968; MA, 1971

Columbia Business School | MBA, 1988

Financial Times | NED Diploma, 2014



John E. Klein

AUP Board Treasurer & Executive Committee

Washington, DC

Trustee since 2016

Former roles

President | Randolph College

Executive Vice Chancellor | Washington University in
St. Louis

President & Chief Executive Officer | Bunge North
America

Director | Energizer Holdings

Education

Princeton University | BA, 1967

University of Michigan Law School | JD, 1971



Richard G. Asthalter

AUP Executive Committee

Bradford, New Hampshire & Paris, France

Trustee since 2009

Senior Counsel | Sullivan & Cromwell
Secretary & Board Member | The American Hospital of Paris

Former roles

President & Board Member | American Chamber of Commerce in France
Avocat Honoraire | Barreau de Paris

Chevalier de la Légion d'Honneur

Education

Yale University | BA, 1968
University of Oxford | M Litt, 1968
Yale Law School | JD, 1971



Martin Avidan | AUP '80

Greenwich, Connecticut

Trustee since 2021

Managing Director | NATIXIS (Groupe BPCE)
Committee member | NATIXIS Americas Retirement Committee

Former roles

Portfolio Manager/Director of Liability Management | CGA Investment Management
Branch Manager/ Senior Corporate Banker | Credit Lyonnais
FX Trader/Credit Department Manager | CITIBANK

Secretary & Board member | AUP Foundation

Education

Thunderbird School of Global Management at Arizona State University | MBA, 1981
The American College in Paris | BA, 1980
University of California at Los Angeles | 1975-1978

Chartered Financial Analyst



Euan Baird

Paris, France & New York City

Trustee since 2015

Former roles

Chairman, President & CEO | Schlumberger
Non-Executive Chairman & Director | Rolls Royce Holdings
Director | Société Générale

Trustee | Carnegie Institution for Science; The American University of Cairo

Education

Cambridge University | MA, 1960
Heriot-Watt University | DSc, 1999



Elizabeth Ballantine

AUP Board Vice-Chair, 2017-2020

McLean, Virginia

Trustee since 2010

Independent Director | Principal Financial Group & Principal Mutual Funds
Board Member | Yale University Art Gallery

Former roles

Adjunct Professor | The George Washington University
Board Member | Association of Governing Boards of Colleges & Universities
Chair of the Board & Trustee Emeritus | Grinnell College
Chair of the Board & Trustee | National Cathedral School

Education

Sorbonne / University of Paris | *Diplôme d'études de la civilisation française*, 1967
Yale University | BA, 1971; MSL, 1981; PhD, 1986



Andrew Batinovich | AUP '80

Hillsborough, California

Trustee since 2007

Director | Sunstone Hotel Investors Inc (NYSE:SHO)

Senior Advisor | Almanac Realty Investors

Senior Director | PREP Property Holdings; L3 Capital

Former roles

President & CEO | Glenborough LLC

President & CEO | Glenborough Realty Trust
(NYSE:GLB)

Education

The American University of Paris | BA, 1980



Elliott Burdette | AUP '70

Dallas, Texas

Trustee since 2015

Managing Director | Glast Phillips & Murray

Former roles

Managing Partner | Burdette & Rice

Partner | Capelle & Burdette

Education

The University of Texas at Austin | BA, 1974

The American University of Paris | 1970

Southern Methodist University School of Law | JD,
1981



Melanie Cissone | AUP '80

New York City & Phoenix, Arizona

Trustee since 2021

Freelance Writer

Owner and CEO | YTTM

Partner | JSR Capital, Inc.

Board Member | Friends of Grayton; Deer Lake State Parks

Former roles

Senior Vice President | Target Capital Management

Board Member | Cultural Arts Alliance; 34557 Corporation

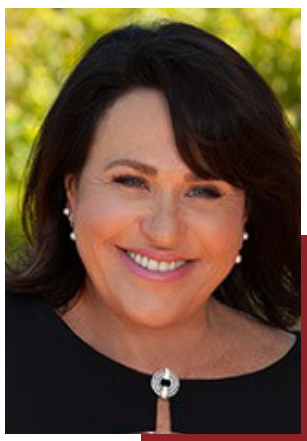
Treasurer & Board Member | Redfish Lane Association

Co-Organizer, North American Alumni Association | The American College in Paris

Education

The American University of Paris | 1980

Temple University | BA, 1983



Béatrice Cointreau

Paris, France & Los Angeles, California

Trustee since 2020

CEO, MD, Owner | byBC Ventures & Admirable Family Vineyards

Board Member | Women of the Vine & Spirits & WOTVS Foundation; IMPAK Finance; UBS-La Maison de Gestion

Former roles

CEO & MD | Champagne Gosset & Cognac Frapin

Board Member & Manager | Groupe Renaud-Cointreau

Board Member | Le Cordon Bleu

Chevalier de l'Ordre du Mérite Agricole

Chevalier de la Légion d'Honneur

Education

Université Paris II Panthéon-Assas | MA, 1984

Institut Supérieur de Gestion | MA, 1988

Cornell Johnson Graduate School of Management | MBA, 1986

Institut Supérieur de Gestion | MA, 1988

Université de Bordeaux, ISIPCA, INSEAD



Margaret Conklin

New York City

Trustee since 2021

President & Board Member | American Friends of the National Portrait Gallery

Executive Committee & Board Member | Mark Morris Dance Group; French American Cultural Exchange

Advisory Board Member | Center for Public Research and Leadership, Columbia Law School

Former roles

Immigration Lawyer | *pro bono*, The Legal Aid Society

Managing Director | JP Morgan

Associate | Cleary, Gottlieb, Steen and Hamilton

Board of Visitors | Columbia College

Alumna Trustee | School Year Abroad

Education

Wellesley College | BA, 1979

Harvard Law School | JD *cum laude*, 1985



Sandra Craig

AUP Parent Class of 1996

Green Cove Springs, Florida & Paris, France

Trustee since 2009

Chair of the Board & Trustee | Photography Collections Preservation Project

Board Member | St. Stephen's School, Rome

Former roles

Attorney | Consolidated Edison of New York

Chair of the Board, President & Trustee | Newport Art Museum

Education

Manhattanville College | BA, 1971

St. John's University School of Law | JD, 1975



Krystian Czerniecki

Bad Homburg vor der Höhe, Germany

Trustee since 2020

Partner | Sullivan & Cromwell

Who's Who Legal | Chambers Europe & Chambers Global

IFLR 1000 | Ranking

Education

University of Toronto | BA, 1983

Cornell University | PhD, 1990

Columbia Law School | JD, 1995



Christina de Labouchère | AUP '86

Lauenen, Switzerland

Trustee since 2014

Co-Founder | Museum of Modern & Contemporary Art, Geneva

Co-Founder & Board Member | *Fondation pour Genève*

Board Member | The Klosters Forum

Former roles

Representative | Salzburg Festival, *Orchestre de la Suisse Romande*

Reporter | *Centre de Presse Monaco*

Education

The American University of Paris | BA, 1986

International University of Monaco | MBA, 1995



Madeleine Fabre

Paris, France

Trustee since 2017

Partner | Ginesté Magellan Paley-Vincent

Former roles

European Counsel | Fried Frank
Associate | Sullivan & Cromwell

Education

Université Paris II Panthéon-Assas | *Maîtrise de droit des affaires*
Université Paris XII | *DESS Fiscalité internationale*
Harvard Law School | ITP, 1997 and LLM, 1998



Eugene Glaser

Chair of the Board, AUP Foundation

New York City

Trustee since 2011

Former roles

President | Zweig/Glaser Advisors
President | Drexel Management Corporation

Grand Officier | *Confrerie des Chevaliers du Tastevin*

Education

New York University | BA, 1962

Certified Public Accountant



Raymond F. Henze III

AUP Parent Class of 2010

AUP Board Chairman, 2014-2020

Greenwich, Connecticut

Trustee since 2007

Former roles

Chairman | Global Private Equity & Real Estate, Trust Company of the West

President | Pacific Holding Corporation; Flexi-Van Corporation

Chairman of the Board & Trustee Emeritus | Williams College

Education

Williams College | BA, 1974

Williams College | Honorary Doctor of Laws



Lee Huebner

AUP President, 1995-1997

Washington, DC & Paris, France

Trustee since 1984

Airlie Professor of Media & Public Affairs | The George Washington University

Chair of the Board | *Le Centre pour les Études de Communications Internationales* (CECI)

Former roles

CEO | International Herald Tribune

President | The American University of Paris

Chevalier de la Legion d'Honneur

Education

Northwestern University | BA, 1962

Harvard University | MA, 1963; PhD, 1968



Giles Kemp

Orlando, Florida and Asse-le-Boisne, France

Trustee since 2015

Board Member | Thrive Networks; Occidental College; Phillips Exeter Academy

Co-Sponsor of SEEDS | an educational philanthropy program in Central Vietnam aiding 2,300 high school and college students

Former roles

Founder & President | Home Decorators Collection / Home Depot Direct

Chair of the Board & Manager | Swarthmore College

Education

Swarthmore College | BA, 1972

Harvard Business School | MBA, 1976



Corinne Mentzelopoulos

AUP Parent Class of 2017

Paris, France & Margaux, France

Trustee since 2009

Owner & Chief Executive Officer | SCA Château Margaux

Trustee | Salk Institute for Biological Studies

Board Member | Benaki Museum Athens

Officier de la Légion d'Honneur

Education

Sorbonne / University of Paris | BA, 1974

Sciences Po / Institut d'Études Politiques | MBA, 1977



Silver Miller | AUP '68

Fort Worth, Texas

Trustee since 2021

Corporate Consultant-Mining | SRK Mineral Industry Services

Former roles

President/VP | Lawrence Behr Wireless Communications; iPass

Senior Director | Nextel Communications

VP Technology | Wired Business

VP Business Development | One, Inc. Systems Integration

Principal/Director | Incepta; PrimeCo PCS (Verizon); US West

Faculty Lecturer & Consultant | Colorado School of Mines

Education

Colorado School of Mines | PhD, 1989

Technische Universität Berlin | *Diplom-Ingenieur, Bergbau* 1982

The American College in Paris | 1966-1968



Hon. Jeanne L. Phillips

Dallas, Texas

Trustee since 2017

Senior Vice President | Hunt Consolidated, Inc.

President | Hunt Global Partnerships

Board Member | George W. Bush Presidential Center; Murphy USA; Turtle and Hughes

Trustee | Southern Methodist University

Former roles

US Permanent Representative to the Organization for Economic Cooperation & Development (OECD), Paris

Executive Director | 54th Presidential Inaugural Committee

Chairman | 55th Presidential Inaugural Committee

Education

Southern Methodist University | BA, 1976



Jane Ross
New York City

Trustee since 2010

International Educational Consultant

President | French Heritage Language Program

Vice Chair | Center for the Advancement of Languages, Education & Communities

Board Member | FACE Foundation; Interschool Orchestras of New York; Pianofest; School of Marine & Atmospheric Sciences

Former roles

Professor of English & History | Lycée Français NY

Associate Professor of English | Long Island University

Chevalier de la Légion d'Honneur

Chevalier de l'Ordre des Palmes Académiques

Education

Swarthmore College | BA, 1973

Hunter College | MA, 1980

New York University | PhD, 2018



Jacqueline Routier | AUP '94
Berlin, Germany

Trustee since 2020

Marketing Lead, Europe Middle East Africa (EMEA) | Facebook Germany

Former roles

Marketing & Communications Director | CytoSorbents Europe

Brand Strategist & Manager | Etsy Germany

Marketing Manager | German Red Cross; alfabet AG; The Coca-Cola Company

Conference Producer | Institute for International Research, London

Education

The American University of Paris | BA, 1994

European University, Munich | MBA, 1999



Hon. Craig Stapleton

Greenwich, Connecticut

Trustee since 2014

Senior Advisor | Stone Point Capital

Partner | St. Louis Cardinals Baseball Club

Director | Vivino

Trustee | National September 11 Memorial & Museum;
National Medal of Honor Museum; World War I
Commission

Board Member | United Way Tocqueville Foundation

Former roles

United States Ambassador to France

United States Ambassador to the Czech Republic

Commandeur de la Légion d'Honneur

Education

Harvard College | BA, 1967

Harvard Business School | MBA, 1970



Philippe Tartavull

Malibu, California

Trustee since 2018

Former roles

President & CEO | Xura, Inc; Hypercom Corporation;
Oberthur Card Systems

Education

École Nationale Supérieure de Pétroles et des Moteurs |
MS, 1982

Sorbonne / Institut d'Administration des Entreprises |
MBA, 1988

UCLA Anderson School of Management | Executive
Program, 1993

The Board of Trustees

The Board of Trustees is the governing body of AUP. Working closely with the President, it is responsible for assuring and approving the University's mission, strategic goals and objectives, and establishing policies related to programs and services. As part of its fiduciary responsibility and in conjunction with AUP bylaws, the Board exercises fiscal and budgetary oversight and sets the course for AUP's long-term development. Through its standing and ad hoc committees, it engages with the President and senior leadership team in matters related to academic affairs, business affairs, enrollment, advancement and student affairs. The Board is responsible for evaluating the performance of the President and plays an important role in fundraising and other activities to support the growth and development of the University.



Left to right: Mary McLean Evans, Marc Monthéard, Valérie Fodé, Celeste Schenck, William Fisher, Tim Rogers

The Leadership Team

AUP's five officers are members of the President's Leadership Team and manage AUP's administrative functions. Within each of their areas of responsibility – Academic Affairs; Finance and Administration; Student Services; Enrollment Management; and Presidential Initiatives – these senior administrators work to execute the University's strategic goals and initiatives. They bring years of professional experience to their roles.



Celeste M. Schenck

President

Nationality: American and French

Joined AUP in 1990

Educational Background

Ph.D. in Comparative Literature

Brown University

M.A. in Comparative Literature

Brown University

B.A. in English

Princeton University

The President is responsible for developing and realizing the University's strategic vision. In collaboration with the Board of Trustees and the rest of AUP's Leadership Team, President Schenck has for the past 13 years presided over the University's re-founding, including the full renovation of its campus and curriculum. She is responsible for establishing AUP's place on the global stage and, to that end, has served as president of the Association of American International Colleges and Universities (AAICU). In 2004, she cofounded AMICAL, a consortium of 29 American universities across Europe, the Middle East, Central Asia and North Africa that hold in common the mission of advancing teaching, learning and research through the collaborative development of member resources.



Mary McLean Evans

Vice President for Presidential Initiatives

Nationality: American

Joined AUP in 2017

Educational Background

Bachelor of Arts

Hamilton College

Currently based in the US, the Vice President for Presidential Initiatives works closely with the President and is charged with the planning and execution of external outreach and advancement initiatives, including alumni and parent relations and fundraising operations. The VP leads teams based in Paris and the US, spearheading strategic efforts to engage alumni and former students with the University via volunteer programs and virtual and in-person activities and events. The VP's role includes responsibility for building relationships with significant donors and prospects for capital support and fundraising priorities. The Office of Outreach and Advancement is also responsible for the cultivation and engagement of parents of current and former AUP students worldwide.



William Fisher

Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

Nationality: American

Joined AUP in 2018

Educational Background

Ph.D. in Anthropology

Columbia University

M.A. in Anthropology

Columbia University

M.I.A. in International Affairs

Columbia University

B.A. in Philosophy and History

Bucknell University

As the chief academic officer, the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs provides administrative and academic leadership, direction, and evaluation for all academic activities and faculty affairs at the University. The Provost oversees the faculty, academic departments, all undergraduate and graduate programs, the research centers, and all units of the Learning Commons including the library, the Academic Resource Center, the Teaching and Learning Center, and the Center for Academic, Career and Experiential Advising. The Provost also conducts the duties of the Office of President when the President is unable or unavailable.



Valérie Fodé

Executive Vice President for Finance and Administration

Nationality: French

Joined AUP in 2010

Educational Background

Certified Accountant

Management of Businesses & Administration

University Nancy II

The Executive Vice President for Finance and Administration serves as the chief financial officer and the chief administrative officer of the University. She works closely with all departments of the University to assure the safeguarding of all monies and assets belonging to the University. The EVP is responsible for campus real estate, technology, and ensuring the proper financial and operational functioning of the University, as well as its compliance with all applicable laws and regulations. She also supports the Board in its role of fiscal and strategic oversight.



Tim Rogers

Vice President and Director of Enrollment Management

Nationality: British

Joined AUP full time in 2014

*Educational
Background*

M.A. in Art History

University of Warwick

M.A. in Photographic Studies

University of Westminster

B.A. in American Studies and Art History

University of Hull

The Vice President and Director of Enrollment Management is responsible for the recruitment and admission of students to all undergraduate, graduate and summer programs at AUP. Encompassing both a team in Paris and a distributed team in the US, the Office of Admissions develops and executes marketing and recruitment strategies to attract appropriately qualified and motivated students, supported by a financial aid strategy that directs AUP's funding to students of the best fit. The University most commonly recruits students directly through face-to-face physical and virtual initiatives and an increasingly sophisticated approach to online and social media marketing.



Marc Monthéard

Vice President for Student Services and Security

Nationality: French

Joined AUP in 1987

*Educational
Background*

Doctorat ès Lettres

Paris IV-Sorbonne

M.A. Diplôme d'Etudes Approfondies

Paris IV-Sorbonne

Bachelor of Arts

Paris IV-Sorbonne

The Vice President for Student Services and Security oversees the Offices of Student Services and Student Development, which include Counseling, the Cultural Program, the Health Office, Residential Life, the Student Development Helpdesk, Student Immigration Services, and the Athletics Office. The VP's role is to ensure the best possible student experience on and off campus, including through student safety; compliance with French immigration laws; the AUP-run residential life program; services to ensure well-being and academic success; co-curricular and extracurricular activities that enrich the overall student experience; the University's holistic approach to education, which creates a learning environment conducive to personal growth; and assistance with both in-class learning and daily life as a global citizen in Paris.

Learn more about AUP's
leadership at
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