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- Sharon Reif (BH)
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- Cindy Thomas (Health)
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- Marji Warfield (CYF)
- Monika Mitra (Disability Representative)
- Dom Hodgkins (Methods Representative)
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- Cheryl Sweeney

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- Carole Carlson (Chair)
- Brenda Anderson
- Michael Appell
- Lawrence Bailis
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- Paul Beninger (Tufts MD/MBA, MBS/MBA)
- Jon Chilingerian
- Susan Curnan
- Joel Cutcher-Gershenfeld
- Lynn Davis (Nonvoting member)
- Norma DeMattos
- Steve Fournier
- Jody Hoffer Gittell
- Shirley Idelson (Hornstein)
- Sakshi Jain
- Student representative

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- Victoria Felson
- Ricardo Godoy
- Nader Habibi
- Sandra Jones
- Alain Lempereur
- Hannah Locke (Admissions rep)
- A.K. Nandakumar
- Dan L. Perlman
- Mary Poor
- Pratistha Joshi Rajkarnikar
- Rajesh Sampath
- Richard Schroeder
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- Alain Lempereur (chair)
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- Pamina Firchow
- Ted Johnson
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MPP Program
- Michael Doonan (Chair)*
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- Sangeeta Tyagi
- Shirley Idelson
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- Joan Dassin
- Gary Gaumer
- Sandra Jones
- Alain Lempereur
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- Don Shepard
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- Darren Zinner
- Cindy Thomas
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- Stuart Altman
- Carole Carlson
- Joel Cutcher-Gershenfeld
- Amy Dimattia
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INSTITUTES AND CENTERS

Schneider Institutes for Health Policy and Research – Stuart Altman and Constance Horgan, Co-directors
Institute on Healthcare Systems – Jennifer Perloff, Director
Institute for Behavioral Health - Constance Horgan, Director
Institute for Global Health and Development - A.K. Nandakumar, Director
Institute on Assets and Social Policy – Maria Madison, Director
Institute for Child, Youth and Family Policy - Dolores Acevedo-Garcia, Director
Center for Youth and Communities - Susan Curnan, Director
Lurie Institute for Disability Policy – Monika Mitra, Director
Sillerman Center for the Advancement of Philanthropy – Susan Eaton, Director
Center for Global Development and Sustainability – Laurence Simon, Director

OTHER HELLER COMMITTEES

Heller Awards
Deborah Garnick (Chair)
Previous 2 winners of Teaching, Mentoring, and Staff award
Andres Gomez (Admin)
Darren Zinner (ex-officio)
Heller Students -1 from each of six degree-granting programs - to be named in January
Heller Alum - to be named in January

Faculty Representative to the Heller Board of Advisors
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Professional Development – Staff Committee
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OTHER COMMITTEES

Tufts MD/MBA Steering Committee (at Tufts)
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Brenda Anderson

Heller/HSSP Faculty Executive Committee (Heller Representatives)
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Committee of Rabb School - Jody Hoffer Gittell
Committee on Academic Standards and Policy - Monika Mitra
Committee on Faculty, Rights, and Responsibilities - Cindy Thomas
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Academic Technology Advisory Committee – Darren Zinner

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