**R765. Higher Education (Utah Board of), Administration.**

**R765-119. Utah Board of Higher Education Qualifications.**

**R765-119-1. Purpose.**

This rule establishes qualifications for appointment to the Utah Board of Higher Education.

**R765-119-2. Authority.**

This rule is authorized by Section 53B-1-405.

**R765-119-3. Definitions.**

"Board" means Utah Board of Higher Education.

**R765-119-4. Qualifications.**

In accordance with Section 53B-1-405, the board shall be made up of members with collective expertise and knowledge in the areas of business, industry, technical education, general education, and advanced education and research in finance, accounting, auditing, law, facilities, real estate, educational delivery models, workforce development, economic development, K-12 education, higher education, educational quality assessments, and financial aid. The board shall also have members with collective experience working with underrepresented students, first-generation college students, and underserved communities. Additionally, the board shall include members who are first-generation college students or have been members of a board of trustees, or both.

**R765-119-5. Board Composition.**

Nominees shall be sought from different areas of expertise and representative geography.

**R765-119-6. Time Commitment.**

Preference may be given to individuals who, along with being well-qualified, are available to devote considerable time per month to board service.

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