

ASU's ABI Facilities Use Committee

**2008 Membership of the Committee:**

Dr. Carole Cramer, co-chair	[ABI Executive Director]
Dr. Greg Phillips, co-chair	[Dean, Colleges of Ag, Engineering, and Sciences/Math; ABI faculty PI]
Dr. Susan Hanrahan	[Dean, College of Nursing & Health Professions]
Dr. Elizabeth Hood	[Assoc. VC for Research and Tech Transfer; ABI faculty PI]
Dr. Lynita Cooksey	[Assoc. VC for Academic Affairs (and biologist)]
Dr. Anne Grippo	[Professor, ABI faculty PI not involved with entrepreneurship]
Dr. Larry Cornett	[UAMS Assoc. Dean of Medicine, former director of statewide ABI; serves as outside member with knowledge of ABI mandates]
Mr. Al Stoverink	[Assoc. VC Facilities; ex officio]

**Committee charge:** As ABI grows and facilitates greater interactions and more complex relationships with researchers, departments, colleges, specific projects, and with industry, it is important to provide oversight and transparency to ensure that use and access to ABI laboratory space and specialized facilities and instrumentation is consistent with ABI mandates and ASU. However, "laboratory flex space" has been maintained in each research cluster to enable researchers from outside ABI that have specific project needs to access space and instrumentation. In addition, as part of ABI's mandate to facilitate knowledge-based economic development, we have developed mechanisms that enable companies or company employees to access ABI facilities in partnership with ABI faculty PIs, researchers and entrepreneurs under appropriate memoranda of understanding and facilities use agreements. The role of this committee is to review and approve/recommend modifications/reject applications for ABI space and facilities use and to review and approve G&A cost structures for facility access fees where appropriate.