



Department Chair and Program Advisors, 2025-26

Department Chairs

Art and Art History: Susannah Biondo-Gemmell
Biology: Catherine Volle
Chemistry: Cindy Strong
Classical and Modern Languages: Tyler Carrington
Computer Science: Ajit Chavan
Economics and Business: Santhi Hejeebu and Todd Knoop
Education: Jill Heinrich
English and Creative Writing: Kirilka Stavreva
Geology: Rhawn Denniston
History: Philip Lucas
Kinesiology: Justus Hallam
Mathematics and Statistics: Ann Cannon and J. Fabián Candelaria
Music: Jama Stilwell
Philosophy: Genevieve Migely
Physics and Engineering: Niloofar Kamran
Politics: David Yamanishi
Psychology: Steven Neese
Religion: Steven Sacks
Sociology: Erin Davis
Theatre and Dance: Scott Olinger

Interdisciplinary Program Chairs

Archaeology: John Gruber-Miller
Biochemistry and Molecular Biology: Catherine Volle
Classical Studies: John Gruber-Miller
Environmental Studies: Rhawn Denniston
Race, Ethnicity, and Social Justice: Michael Mosier
Gender, Sexuality, and Women's Studies: John Gruber-Miller
International Relations: David Yamanishi
Latin American Studies: Michael Mosier
Medieval and Early Modern Studies: Michelle Herder
Russian Studies: vacant

Program Advisors

Off-Campus Programs

Off-Campus Studies: Devan Baty

Washington Center and Capitol Experience: Megan Goldberg

Professional Programs

Architecture: Christina Penn-Goetsch

Dimensions Center Program: Tori Barnes-Brus and Sophie Gillett, Co-Chairs

Law: Phil Lucas, Mary Olson, Meghan Yamanishi

Master of Arts in Teaching: Jill Heinrich

Pre-Health Professions: Sophie Gillett, Tori Barnes-Brus

Teacher Education: Jill Heinrich

Theology: Melea White

Co-Curricular Programs

Beta Omicron Distinguished Alumni Visitors Program: Jason Napoli

Center for the Literary Arts: Rebecca Entel

Honorary Society Advisors

Alpha Kappa Delta: Erin Davis

Delta Phi Alpha (German): Tyler Carrington

Omicron Delta Epsilon (Economics): Santhi Hejeebu

Pre-Law Honorary Society: Max Handler

Phi Beta Kappa: David Yamanishi

Pi Delta Phi (French): Devan Baty

Pi Kappa Lambda (Music): James Martin

Pi Sigma Alpha (Politics): David Yamanishi

Psi Chi National Honor Society (Psychology): Steven Neese

Sigma Delta Pi (Spanish): Alyssa Selmer

Sigma Gamma Epsilon (Geology): Emily Walsh