



Academic Affairs Leadership – Spring 2026

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**College of Education & Behavioral Sciences**

Department of American Sign Language & Interpreting Studies

Department of Applied Psychology & Counselor Education

Department of Applied Statistics & Research Methods

Department of Leadership, Policy, & Development

Department of School Psychology

School of Psychological Sciences

School of Special Education

School of Teacher Education

Center for Urban Education

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**Associate Dean: Jingzi (Ginny) Huang**

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Director: Hasan Zaghlawan

Director: Deborah Romero

Director: Rosanne Fulton

## **College of Humanities & Social Sciences**

Department of Anthropology  
Department of Chicana/o & Latinx Studies (CLAS)  
Department of Communication & Journalism  
Department of Criminology & Criminal Justice  
Department of Economics  
Department of English  
Department of Geography, GIS, & Sustainability  
Department of History  
Department of Philosophy  
Department of Political Science & International Affairs  
Department of Sociology  
Department of World Languages & Cultures  
Africana Studies Program  
Gender Studies Program  
Honors & Interdisciplinary Studies

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Chair: Aaron Haberman  
Chair: Jeffrey Brown  
Chair: Brook Blair  
Chair: Harmony Newman  
Chair: Erin Noelliste  
Chair: George Junne  
Chair: Chris Talbot  
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## **Monfort College of Business**

Department of Accounting & CIS  
Department of Finance  
Department of Management  
Department of Marketing

**Dean: Steven Elias**  
**Interim Associate Dean: Daniel Brannon**

Interim Chair: Milan Larson  
Chair: Michael Martin  
Chair: Isaac Wanasika  
Chair: Jim Reardon

## **College of Natural & Health Sciences**

Department of Communication Sciences & Disorders  
Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry  
Department of Earth & Atmospheric Sciences  
Department of Rehabilitation & Human Services  
Department of Physics & Astronomy  
Department of Biological Sciences  
Department of Kinesiology, Nutrition & Dietetics  
Department of Mathematical Sciences  
School of Nursing  
Colorado School of Public Health at UNC  
Science Education

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Chair: Erin Moser  
Chair: Charles Kuehn  
Chair: Scott Franklin  
Chair: David Hydock  
Chair: Jodie Novak  
Director: Melissa Henry  
Director: Patricia Valverde  
Unit Lead: Cynthia Galovich

## **College of Performing & Visual Arts**

School of Art & Design  
School of Music  
School of Theatre Arts & Dance

**Dean: Cristina Goletti**  
**Associate Dean: Melissa Malde**

Director: Donna Goodwin  
Director: Carissa Reddick  
Director: Anne Toewe

**College of Osteopathic Medicine**

Admissions & Student Affairs  
Clinical Education & Graduate Medical Education  
Preclinical Education

**Founding Dean: Beth Longenecker****Associate Dean: Pierre Banks**  
**Associate Dean: David Ross**  
**Associate Dean: Sanjeev Choudhary****University Libraries**

Archives & Special Collections  
User & Delivery Services  
Teaching & Learning  
Scholarly Communication  
Collections & Discovery

**Dean: Sheila Yeh**  
**Interim Associate Dean: Jennifer Mayer**

Department Head: Jay Trask  
Department Head: Sarah Vaughn  
Interim Department Head: Rachel Dineen  
Interim Department Head: Nicole Webber  
Department Head: Jennifer Leffler

**Enrollment Services**

Office of Admissions  
Office of Financial Aid  
Office of the Bursar  
Office of the Registrar  
Extended Campus, Program Operations

**Associate Vice President: Pete Lien**

Director: *Vacant*  
Director: Lisa Schuller  
University Bursar: Geri Landwehr  
University Registrar: Charles Couch  
Director: Ann O'Connor

**Undergraduate Studies**

Airforce & Army ROTC  
Liberal Arts Council

**Dean: Stephani Etheridge-Woodson**

Liaison: Stephani Etheridge-Woodson  
Chair: Heidi Muller

**Student Academic Success**

Student Academic Success  
Center for Human Enrichment  
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Student Athlete Academic Success  
Tutorial Services  
McNair Scholars Program

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Director: Krista Caufman

**Research & Graduate School****Graduate School**

**Office of Research & Sponsored Programs**  
Sponsored Programs  
Research Compliance

**Associate Dean: Cindy Wesley**

**Interim AVP for Research: Mit McGlaughlin**  
Director: Brian Cullum  
Director: Laura Martin

**Academic Effectiveness**

Instructional Design & Development  
Office of Assessment  
State Authorization

**Assistant Provost: Kim Black**

Director: Kathy Zellers  
Director: Chad Bebee  
Compliance Officer: Jake Henderson

**Office of Global Engagement**

Intensive English Program  
International Student & Scholar Services  
Custom International Programs

**Interim Director: Kara LaSota**

Director: Jingzi (Ginny) Huang  
Director: Kara LaSota  
Assistant Director: Kate Persson