

NORTHWEST UNIVERSITY
2018-19 DEPARTMENT CHAIRS / PROGRAM LEADS

August 2018

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Dean Sarah Drivdahl

Department Chairs/Lead Professors/Academic Support

Associate of Arts:
AA Sarah Drivdahl
AA Health Science Eric Steinkamp
Communication Studies Department Chair Will Mari
Drama (minor, concentration) Chrystal Helmcke
English Department Chair Lenae Nofziger
Literature (minor, concentration) Jeremiah Webster
Writing (minor, concentration) Lenae Nofziger
History and Political Science Department Chair Andrew Kaufmann
History (major, minor) Joshua Meeks
Political Science (major, minor) Andrew Kaufmann
Interdisciplinary Studies (major) Ben Thomas
Languages and Linguistics Department Chair Suzan Kobashigawa
Music Department Chair Bill Owen
Natural Science and Mathematics Department Chair Eric Steinkamp
Biology (major) Eric Steinkamp
Environmental Science (major, minor) Eric Steinkamp
Exercise Science (major) Stephanie Kerr
Mathematics (major, minor) Millicent Thomas
Pre-Med (program) Tong Pineda
Philosophy (minor) Jack Wisemore

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Dean Teresa Gillespie

Department Chairs/Lead Professors/Academic Support

Business Administration Department Chair Todd Nelson
Business Administration (major) Todd Nelson
Accounting (major) Tom Sill
Information Technology (major) Teresa Gillespie
International Business (major) Tony Pizelo
Marketing (major) Jeremy Chambers
Management (major) Rowlanda Cawthon
Music Industry Business (major) Teresa Gillespie
Master of Business Administration Don Doty

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Dean Molly Quick

Department Chairs/Lead Professors/Academic Support

Educational Studies (major) Suzan Kobashigawa
Elementary Education (major & endorsement) Mary Ewart
Secondary Education (major) Paul Kress
Biology (endorsement) Eric Steinkamp
English/Language Arts (endorsement) Jeremiah Webster
English as a Second Language (endorsement) Suzan Kobashigawa
Health and Fitness (endorsement) Stephanie Kerr
Mathematics (endorsement) Millicent Thomas
Music (general, choral, instrumental endorsements) Naomi Fanshier
Theatre Arts (endorsement) Chrystal Helmcke
Social Studies (endorsement) Joshua Meeks
Master of Education Tom Alsbury
Master in Teaching Tom Alsbury

MATESOL.....Suzan Kobashigawa
District/School LeadershipTom Alsbury

COLLEGE OF MINISTRY

DeanJoshua Ziefle

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Biblical and Theological Studies Department Chair Kari Brodin
Biblical Languages (minor)..... Kari Brodin
Biblical Literature (major) Blaine Charette
Pastoral Ministries Department ChairSteve Mills
Children and Family Ministries (minor, major) Nick Steinloski
General Ministries (major).....Steve Mills
Intercultural Studies (major)
Pastoral Care (minor).....Steve Mills
Pastoral Ministries (major, minor)Steve Mills
Youth and Family Ministries (major, minor) Nick Steinloski
Master of Arts in Bible and TheologyRobert Stallman
Master of Arts in Ministry Leadership Robert Stallman

SCHOOL OF NURSING

Dean Carl Christensen
Associate Dean Erin-Joy Bjorge

Department Chairs/Lead Professors/Academic Support

Junior Year Lead Cheri Goit
Senior Year Lead..... Judy Anderson

COLLEGE OF SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

Dean Matt Nelson

Department Chairs/Lead Professors/Academic Support

Director for PsyD Leihua Edstrom
Psychology (Undergraduate) Department ChairKevin Leach
Master of Arts in Clinical Mental Health Counseling Brooke Lundquist
Master of Arts in International Care and Community Development..... Forrest Inslee

COLLEGE OF ADULT & PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

DeanJim Jessup

Department Chairs/Lead Professors/Academic Support

Associate of Arts Jim Jessup
Business Management Shannon Fletcher
Information Technology Teresa Gillespie
Interdisciplinary Studies Ben Thomas
Ministry Leadership Kevin Hall
Psychology (CAPS)..... Kimberly D'Angelo
Organizational Leadership Jim Jessup
Organizational Management Shannon Fletcher
Public Safety Administration Bill Cooper
R.N. to B.S.N. Merry van Zoeren
Master of Arts in Bible and Theology (CAPS) Kevin Hall
Master in Ministry Kevin Hall
Master of Business Administration (CAPS)..... Teresa Gillespie
Master of Arts in Clinical Mental Health CounselingRobert Campbell
Master of Education (CAPS).....Molly Quick
Master of Arts in Teaching English to Speakers of Other LanguagesSuzan Kobashigawa
Master of Science in Nursing Merry van Zoeren

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Center for Calling and Theological Formation Joshua Ziefle
Center for Leadership Studies Earl Creps
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Business Leadership and Consulting Rowlanda Cawthon
Higher Education Leadership..... Ben Thomas
Leading Ministry Organizations David Hymes
MA in Leadership Studies..... Joshua Ziefle
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