

University of Idaho

NEW FACULTY AND ADMINISTRATORS, 2019-20

This listing includes new members of the faculty/administration for the beginning of the fall semester taking place on or before **August 30, 2019** and was compiled by the Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President as provided in the *Faculty Staff Handbook 1540E*. Faculty whose employment occurs after this date will be acknowledged on the 2020-21 listing.

NEW ADMINISTRATION

COLLIER, Robert; Department Head, Animal & Veterinary Science; College of Agricultural & Life Sciences; Ph.D., 1976, University of Illinois.

GAWLIK, Terry; Athletic Director

GREEN, C. Scott; President

HILLER, John; Department Head, Physics; College of Science; Ph.D., 1980, University of Maryland

RITTS, Bradley; Associate Vice President for Research; Office of Research and Economic Development; Ph.D., 1998, Stanford University.

RUSSELL, John; Associate Director of the Center for Advanced Energy Studies; Office of Research and Economic Development; Ph.D., 2012, University of Illinois at Chicago.

ZENNER FORD, Chandra; Executive Special Assistant to the President for Strategic Initiatives

INTERNAL CHANGES – ADMINISTRATION

BAKER, Russell (Rusty); Associate Director of Research, WWAMI

BARTON, Ben; Department Chair, Psychology & Communication Studies, College of Letters, Arts & Social Sciences

CAISLEY, Robert; Department Chair, Theatre Arts, College of Letters, Arts & Social Sciences

FUERST, Peter; Associate Director of Curriculum, WWAMI Medical Education Program

GRIEB, Terry; Faculty Chair

HENRICH, Kristin; Associate Dean, General Library

HUNTER, Ben; Dean, General Library

KIRCHMEIER, Barbara; Faculty Vice Chair

LAW, Joe; Department Chair, Department of Electrical & Computer Engineering, Engineering

McKELLAR, Michael; Director of Industrial Technology, College of Engineering, Idaho Falls

McINTOSH, Chris; Department Head, Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology, College of Agricultural and Life Sciences

PIMENTEL, David; Associate Dean of Faculty Development, Moscow, College of Law

RYU, Dojin; co-Director, Bi-State School of Food Sciences, College of Agricultural and Life Sciences

SAMMARRUCA, Francesca; Faculty Secretary

SIELERT, Vanessa; Director, Lionel Hampton School of Music, College of Letters, Arts and Social Science

SMITH, Alistair; Interim Associate Dean of Research and Graduate Studies, College of Natural Resources

INTERNAL CHANGES – FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

SKINNER, Kate; Assistant Professor, Lionel Hampton School of Music; D.A., 2017, University of Northern Colorado

NEW FACULTY

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL AND LIFE SCIENCES

BLANCH, Leslee; Senior Instructor-Associate Extension Educator, Eastern District; B.S., 1987, University of California at Davis

BOONE, Karie; Assistant Professor-Extension Educator, Southern District; Ph.D., 2018, Colorado State University

BOROWIEC, Marek; Assistant Professor, Department of Plant Sciences; Ph.D., 2016, University of California-Davis

CALLISTER, David; Assistant Professor-Extension Educator, Eastern District; M.S., 1993, Washington State University

CANTLEY, Catherine; Clinical Assistant Professor, School of Food Science; M.S., 2007, Purdue University

CHEN, Shiyi; Assistant Research Professor, School of Family & Consumer Sciences; Ph.D., 2019, Florida State University

CHEN, Yimin; Assistant Research Professor, School of Family & Consumer Sciences; Ph.D., 2017, University of Illinois at Chicago

DETJENS, Alison; Instructor, Department of Soil & Water Systems; M.S., 2016, Washington State University

FLUER, Sara; Senior Instructor-Associate Extension Educator, Northern District; M.S., 2019, University of Idaho

HAMILTON, Chris; Assistant Professor, Department of Entomology, Plant Pathology and Nematology; Ph.D., 2015, Auburn University

HAUGER, Lu (Lauren); Instructor-Associate Extension Educator, Southern District; M.A., 2018, University of Colorado, Denver

LEWALLEN, Chelsey; Instructor, School of Family & Consumer Sciences; M.S., 2015, University of Idaho

MARTINEZ, Sindy; Senior Instructor-Associate Extension Educator, 4-H Youth Development, Southern District; B.S., 2014, Boise State University

NOMEE, Shaina; Senior Instructor-Associate Extension Educator, 4-H Youth Development, Northern District; B.S., 2017, University of Idaho

PATTERSON, Ronald; Associate Professor-Extension Educator, Eastern District; M.S., 1994, University of Idaho

POPOVA, Inna; Assistant Professor, Department of Soil and Water Systems; Ph.D., 2008, University of North Dakota

RIDOUT, Mary; Assistant Professor-Extension Educator, Southern District; Ph.D., 2014, University of Idaho

SCHOTT, Linda; Research Assistant Professor-Extension Specialist, Department of Soil and Water Systems; Ph.D., 2018, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

SHAFIAN, Sanaz; Assistant Professor, Department of Soil and Water Systems; Ph.D., 2014, Texas Tech University

SKIBIEL, Amy; Assistant Professor, Department of Animal and Vet Science; Ph.D., 2012, Auburn University

USABEL, Nicasio; Assistant Professor-Extension Educator, Southern District; M. Ed., 2012, University of Idaho

VAUGHAN, Chandra; Instructor-Associate Extension Educator; Central District; B.S., 2017, University of Idaho

VERBURG-HAMLETT, Janna; Clinical Assistant Professor, Food Science, M.S., 2016, Washington State University

COLLEGE OF ART AND ARCHITECTURE

BARAKAT, Hala; Assistant Professor; Architecture; MUCD, 2018, University of South Florida

GRIFFITH, David; Assistant Research Professor, Bioregional Planning; Ph.D., 2016, University of Idaho

JOHNSON, Aaron; Assistant Professor, Art & Design; MFA, 2011, University of Idaho

McCLEARY, Lauren; Assistant Professor, Art & Design; MFA, 2009, Washington State University

WOODS, Lindsay; Assistant Research Professor; Ph.D., 2018, University of Idaho

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

DONG, Lei; Assistant Professor, Department of Accounting; Ph.D., 2014, Washington State University

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, HEALTH AND HUMAN SCIENCES

CHEATHAM, Scott; Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Movement Sciences; Ph.D., 2016, Nova Southeastern University

LUDWIG, Christopher; Assistant Professor, Department of Movement Sciences; Ed.D., 2014, University of the Pacific

MILLER, Elizabeth; Instructor, Department of Movement Sciences; Ed.D., 2001, University of Idaho

SMITLEY, Matthew; Assistant Professor, Department of Movement Sciences; 2019, University of Idaho

COLLEGE OF LAW

CARNEY, Michael; Clinical Assistant Professor; J.D., 2010, University of Missouri

COLLEGE OF LETTERS, ARTS, AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

BAUMANN, Dianne; Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology and Anthropology; Ph.D., 2019, University of Washington

BRANDT, Michael; Clinical Assistant Professor, Theater Arts Department; M.F.A., 2017, University of Idaho

CAMPBELL, Sarah; Assistant Professor, Theater Arts Department; Ph.D., 2018, Indiana University

CIESLIK-MISKIMEN, Caitlin; Assistant Professor, School of Journalism and Mass Media; Ph.D., 2019, University of Wisconsin-Madison

JONES, Patrick; Clinical Assistant Professor, Lionel Hampton School of Music; D.M.A, 2004, University of Minnesota

KLEMENT, David; Assistant Professor, Lionel Hampton School of Music; D.M.A., 2018, University of Northern Colorado

KOLPAN, Katherine; Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology and Anthropology; Ph.D., 2017, University of Florida

LARTI, Eneida; Assistant Professor, Lionel Hampton School of Music; Ph.D., 2011, University of Colorado, Boulder

McBRAYER, Markie; Assistant Professor, Department of Politics and Philosophy; Ph.D., 2018, University of Houston

SWEET, Dawn; Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology and Communication Studies; Ph.D., 2008, Rutgers University

THIELE, Mark; Assistant Professor, Lionel Hampton School of Music; M.A., 2001, University of Michigan

YOUNGVORST, Lucas; Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology and Communication Studies; Ph.D., 2018, University of Minnesota

COLLEGE OF NATURAL RESOURCES

AUSBAND, David; Research Assistant Professor, Department of Fish and Wildlife Sciences; Ph.D., 2015, University of Montana

CAI, Lili; Assistant Professor, Department of Forest, Rangeland and Fire Sciences; Ph.D., 2019, Mississippi State University

ENGELS, Mary; Assistant Professor, Department of Natural Resources and Society; Ph.D., 2019, University of Idaho

WALLEN, Kenneth; Assistant Professor, Department of Natural Resources and Society; Ph.D., 2017, Texas A&M University

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE

ANDRASI, Alina; Instructor, Department of Chemistry; Ph.D., 2007, Carnegie Mellon University

BULL, James; Professor, Department of Biological Sciences; Ph.D., 1977, University of Utah

CHABYSHEVA, Sophia; Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Physics; Ph.D., 2009, Southern Methodist University

PATEL, Jadish; Research Assistant Professor, Department of Biological Sciences; Ph.D., 2012, University of Genova, Italy

AMERICAN LANGUAGE AND CULTURE PROGRAM

HANLEY, Kalynn; Instructor; M.A., 2016, The Pennsylvania State University

COUNSELING AND TESTING CENTER

HANSEN, Keith; Clinical Assistant Professor; Psy.D., 2007, George Fox University

HUFFAKER, Laena; Clinical Assistant Professor; Ph.D. 2017, Washington State University

UNIVERSITY LIBRARY

SEIFERLIE-VALENCIA, Marco; Assistant Professor, Library; M.S., 2013, University of Michigan

WWAMI

DAY, Summer; Clinical Assistant Professor; M.D., 2012, University of Washington

GEIDL, Ramona; Clinical Assistant Professor; M.D., 1998, University of Nevada