

Wartburg College New Faculty & Staff – Fall 2016

New Faculty



Dr. Michaeleen Gerken Golay

Assistant Professor of Biology

Ph.D., natural resource ecology and management, Iowa State University (2013);
M.S., natural resource ecology and management, Iowa State University (2005);
B.S./B.A., environmental science/English, University of Iowa (2003)

Recent employment: Assistant professor of biology and natural sciences and director of the division of math, science, and computer programs at Silver Lake College of the Holy Family.



Dr. Rita Jensen

Visiting Professor of Education

Ph.D., education, Iowa State University (1988); M.A.Ed., education of the gifted, University of Northern Iowa (1982); B.S., elementary education, Calvin College (1978); B.A., English, Cornerstone University (1978)

Recent employment: Self-employed consultant, writer, and editor; regional vice president of academic affairs at Argosy University.



Ryan Pautsch

Visiting Assistant Professor of Business Administration

M.B.A., University of Northern Iowa (2008); B.A., finance, University of Northern Iowa (2001)

Recent employment: Commercial loan officer at Veridian Credit Union; adjunct instructor at Hawkeye Community College.



Dr. José Reyes-Tomassini

Visiting Assistant Professor of Biology

Ph.D., marine estuarine and environmental sciences, University of Maryland (2009);
M.S., physiology, University of Puerto Rico School of Medicine (2001); B.S., biology, University of Puerto Rico (1998)

Recent employment: Fisheries biologist for National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration in Washington state.



Linde Roelofse

Visiting Assistant Professor of Business

Ph.D., strategy and innovation, Newcastle University, (expected 2016); M.B.A., strategic management, University of Iowa (2005); B.A., psychology, University of Iowa (2001)

Recent employment: President/CEO of Economic Evolutions, LLC; international educator at Drake University, University of Northern Iowa, and Newcastle University.



Dr. Kyle Schenkewitz

Visiting Assistant Professor of Religion

Ph.D., historical theology, Saint Louis University (2014); M.T.S., emphasis in early Christianity, Chandler School of Theology at Emory University (2008); M.A., philosophy, University of Southern Mississippi (2006); B.A., biblical studies, William Carey University (2002)

Recent employment: Youth minister; instructor at St. Louis University.



Dr. Lorinda Sheeler

Visiting Associate Professor of Public Health

Ph.D., biological sciences, Texas Tech University (2002); M.S., biological sciences, Texas Tech University (1996); B.S., zoology, Auburn University (1993)

Recent employment: Director of assessment and evaluation and associate professor at the School of Physician Assistant Studies at South College; adjunct assistant professor at University of Tennessee College of Veterinary Medicine.



Christopher Wilson

Lecturer in Journalism and Communication

M.A., mass communications, California State University Northridge (2015); B.A., English, University of Minnesota (2006)

Recent employment: Instructor of record at California State University Northridge.

New Staff

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS



Jordan Batey

Interlibrary Loan and Evening Supervisor, Vogel Library



Johanna Kramer-Weston
Art Gallery Director and Exhibition Manager



Amy Moorman
Archivist, Vogel Library



Mary Reding
Circulation Services Supervisor, Vogel Library



Wesley Teal
Technical Services Supervisor, Vogel Library

ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT



Ieshia Brown '14
Coordinator for Academic & Multicultural Student Services, Pathways



Joni McDonough

Administrative Assistant, Marketing & Communication and ITS



Karen Miller

Administrative Assistant, Enrollment Management



Molly O'Hara

Office Coordinator, Global Admissions



Nicole Willis

Academic Success Associate, Pathways



Brian Zaun

Regional Assistant Director, Admissions

FINANCE & ADMINISTRATION



Hailee Bossard
Maintenance, The W



Brandon Everding '16
Special Events Assistant, Dining Services



Katrina Hammond
Cleaning Staff, Maintenance



Judith Henry
Cook, Dining Services



Kris Notestine
Cook, Dining Services



Jane Pepperling
Cook, Dining Services



Todd Rogers
Maintenance



Paige Stanbrough
Baker, Dining Services



Lisa Trees
Human Resources & Payroll Assistant



Tammy Wedeking
Cashier and Assistant, Dining Services

INSTITUTIONAL ADVANCEMENT



Joseph Barloon

Digital Media Producer, Marketing & Communication



Hope Elbert

Office Coordinator, Alumni & Parent Relations and Annual Giving



Vicki Foelske

Gift Processor, Advancement



Barb Litterer

Data Manager, Advancement



Drew Mick

KnightCaller Program Manager, Alumni



Alan Simmer '07
Campaign Communications Associate, Advancement

PRESIDENT'S OFFICE



Gregory Bodensteiner
Head Women's Golf Coach, Athletics



Ryan Chapman
Head Cross Country Coach and Assistant Track Coach, Athletics



Rachel Cassens
Assistant Training Fellow



Christopher Gustas '11
Head Men's & Women's Tennis Coach and Equipment Manager, Athletics



Abby Meirick '15
Assistant Sports Information Director, Athletics



Joy Skinner
Administrative Assistant to the President

STUDENT LIFE



Dean Cockerham
Part-time Security Officer



Danielle Harms
Director of Outreach & Project Development



Allyson Mann
Area Coordinator, Residential Life



Shannon Michael
Office Coordinator, Student Life



Sylvan Moreau
Full-time Security Officer



George Suter
Part-time Security Officer



Jesse Thomas
Area Coordinator, Residential Life



Laurie Winters
Part-time Security Officer

New or Added Responsibilities

Whitney Baker

Area Coordinator, Residential Life

Formerly: Pathways Associate for Writing/Reading/Speaking Lab

Stephanie Boeding

Communications Specialist, Marketing & Communication

Formerly: Communications Coordinator, Alumni

Gloria Campbell

College-Sponsored Programs Administrator, Academic Affairs

Formerly: Associate Professor of Business Administration

Laura Davis

Office Coordinator, Maintenance

Formerly: Mensa Manager and Student Employment Coordinator, Dining Services

Kory Figura

Mail Center Coordinator

Formerly: Office Coordinator, Global Admissions

Ruth Hein

Office Coordinator, Science Center

Formerly: Office Manager, Operations & Maintenance

Kasandra Kahler

Assistant Director, Global Admissions

Formerly: Area Coordinator, Residential Life

Sheila Kittleson

Director of The W and Senior Women's Administrator for Athletics

Formerly: Director of The W

Chris Knudson

Interim Senior Director of Marketing & Communication

Formerly: Director of Creative Strategy, Marketing & Communication

Scott Leisinger

Vice President of Institutional Advancement (now oversees Marketing & Communication Division)

Arthur McLey

Carpenter, Operations & Maintenance

Formerly: Security Officer

Adrian Norris

Counselor, Admissions

Formerly: Assistant Football Coach, Athletics

Fred Ribich

Accreditation Support Associate, Academic Affairs

Formerly: Director of Institutional Research, Enrollment Management

Janeen Stewart

Executive Administrator for the President's Office and Secretary to the Board of Regents

Formerly: Assistant to the President for Special Projects