

**Ventura County Community College District**

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**Associate Dean**

**Diversity, Equity, Inclusion & Accessibility and Professional Development**

**Dr. Chris Ballard**

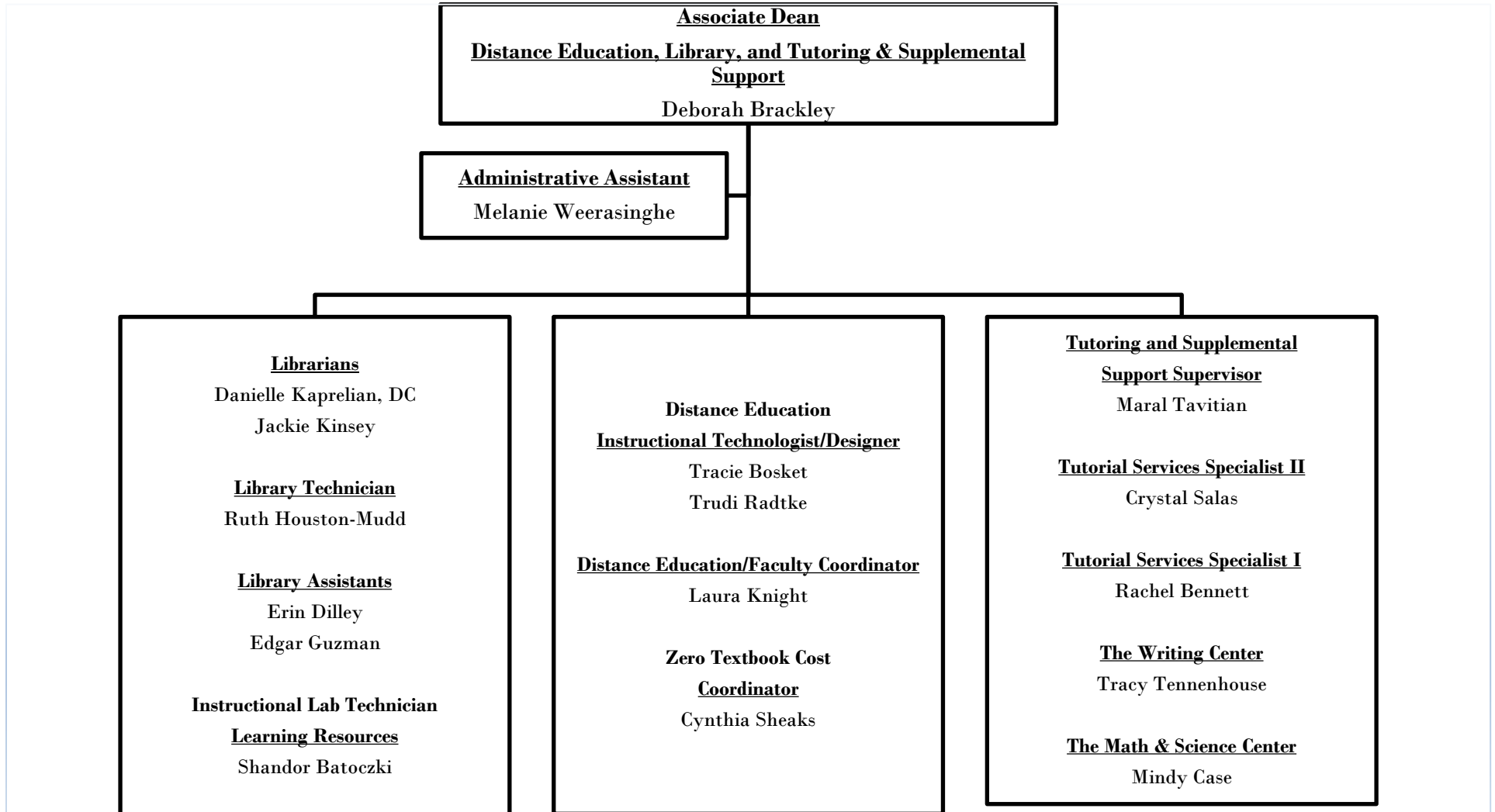
**Administrative Assistant**

**Melanie Weerasinghe**

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**Roland Petrello, Dean of Student Learning (Acting)**  
Physical Sciences & Career Education

**Administrative Assistant (CTE)**  
(11 Months)  
Elizabeth Nielsen

**Administrative Assistant (Division)**  
Michelle Tuyub

**CAREER CENTER**

**MESA**

**CTE**

**ASTRONOMY, COMPUTER SCIENCE,  
ENGINEERING, AND PHYSICS**

**EARTH SCIENCES & CHEMISTRY**

**Placement Project  
Specialist**  
Lizette Lomelicruz  
VACANT

**Program Coordinator II**  
Kristen Robinson

**Grant Director**  
Michael Hoffman

**Astronomy/Physics  
Department Chair/Instructor**  
Rick Edwards

**Computer Science/  
Engineering  
Department Chair/Instructor**  
Scarlet Relle (Engineering)

**Chemistry  
Department Chair**  
Tiffany Pawluk

**Earth Sciences  
Department Chair**  
Tiffany Pawluk

**Career Services  
Specialist**  
VACANT

**Program Coordinator II**  
Michael Trainor

**Program Coordinator I**  
Jessica Martinez

**Astronomy/Physics  
Instructor**  
Nicholas Ferraro  
Sunita Humagain  
Erik Reese

**Computer Science/  
Engineering Instructors**  
Esmaail Nikjeh (CS)  
VACANT

**Chemistry**  
Vincent Mark Crisostomo  
Deanna Franke  
Steve Joiner  
Robert Keil  
Jennifer Mallory  
Tiffany Pawluk

**Environmental  
Science**  
Brian Swartz

**Geography/GIS**  
Francisco Mata  
VACANT

**Student Services Assistant**  
Martha MacNeill

**STEMO Impacto  
Counselor**  
VACANT

**Instructional Lab Tech II/  
Physical & Applied  
Sciences**  
Micah Tischler

**Instructional Lab Tech II/  
Chemistry**  
Armando Acevedo  
Chris Scardino

**Geology**  
Julia Domenech

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**DEAN OF STUDENT LEARNING**  
Arts, Communication Studies & Media  
Elizabeth David

**Administrative Assistant**  
Victoria Collie

**FINE. MEDIA ARTS & PERFORMING ARTS**

Nathan Bowen, Department Chair/Instructor, Performing Arts  
Erika Lizée, Department Chair/Instructor, Fine Arts

**COMMUNICATION STUDIES**

**Art Instructors**

Erika Lizée  
Cynthia Minet  
Gerry Zucca

**Art History Instructor**

Lydia Etman

**Dance Instructors**

Beth McGill  
Robert Salas

**Drama/Theatre Arts  
Instructors**

Suzanne Fagan  
John Loprieno  
Haleh Risdana

**Music Instructors**

Nathan Bowen  
David Castillo

**Photography Instructor**

**Film/TV & Media Arts  
Instructors**

Nicole Block  
Candace Larson  
Lauren Snowden

**Game Design Instructor**

Johnathan Bair

**Graphics/Multimedia/  
Instructor**

Clare Sadnik

**Instructional Lab Tech I/  
Ceramics  
(10 Months)**

Emilie Carroll

**Instructional Lab Tech I/  
Photography**

Karin Johansson

**PAC Technical Director**

Ariana Burrell (PT)

**PAC Technician II**

VACANT

**PAC Technician I**

Melissa Lay

**PAC Assistant**

Krista Lederer

**Film, TV and Media  
Engineer**

Michael Rintoul

**Communications Studies  
Instructors**

August Benassi III  
Allison Bowman  
Anasheh Gharabighi  
Oli Loeffler  
Jill McCall  
Rolland Petrello  
Neal Stewart  
Jamie Whittington-Studer

**Journalism Instructor**

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**Dean of Student Learning**  
**ANCT, TZ, Health & Life Sciences**  
Carol Higashida

**Administrative Assistant**  
Michelle Weng

**Health Sciences Department**

**Administrative Assistant**  
Marcela Hernandez

**Office Assistant**  
Crystal Wirth

**Nursing Coordinator**  
Christina Lee

**Nursing Instructors**  
Tammy Bathke  
Michelle Dieterich  
Milagros Ebuén-Tabije  
Jamee Maxey  
Heidi Merickel  
Olga Myshina  
Carrie Ragsdale  
Katina Walia

**Radiologic Technology  
Instructor**  
Chan Phu

**Nuclear Medicine Director**  
Armine Torabyan

**Instructional Lab  
Tech II/Nursing**  
(10 Months)  
Jessica Barbee (FT)  
Maura Dahlquist (PT)

**Allied Health Coordinator/  
EMT Instructor**  
John Everlove

**EMT Instructor**  
Carrie Pollack

**Programs**  
EMT  
Health Sciences  
Nutrition Science  
Paramedic Studies

**Life Sciences**  
**Department Chairs/Instructors**

Audrey Chen, Chair (Biology)  
Rachel Messinger, Asst. Chair (Anthropology)

**Life Science Instructors**

**ANTHROPOLOGY**  
Ashley Barbier  
Andrew Kinkella

**BIOLOGY**  
Jazmir Hernandez  
Jorge Iniguez  
Jana Johnson  
Alison Koontz  
Norman Marten  
Beth Miller  
Eric Shargo  
Melia Tabbakhian  
Sean Wilcox

**BIOLOGY/BIOTECHNOLOGY**  
Hovik Gasparyan  
Mark Sandberg

**Instructional Lab Tech II/Biology**  
Edwin Leung  
Lan Nguyen  
Mary Swenson

**Teaching Zoo**  
**Zoo Operations Supervisor**  
Alisa Johnson

**Teaching Zoo**  
**Zoo Development Coordinator**  
Mara Rodriguez

**Teaching Zoo**  
**Zoo Operations Assistants**  
Andrea Alcantar  
Tianna Tapia  
Jennifer Warden

**Teaching Zoo**  
**Zoo Enrichment Technician**  
(12 months, 20%)  
Trent Barnhart

**Teaching Zoo**  
**Instructional Lab Tech II/  
Reg Vet Tech (PT)**  
(12 months, 47.5%)  
Becca Behrens  
Cynthia Ziegler

**Animal Care and Training  
Instructors**  
Gary Mui, DC  
Lindsay Palmer  
Amanda Stansbury

**Instructional Lab Tech II/  
ANCT**  
Trish Jackman

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**ACCESS, EOPS/CARE/CalWORKS/NEXT UP,**  
**Dreamers, PACE, Raider Central and Veterans**  
Dr. Marnie Melendez, Dean of Student Learning

**Administrative Assistant**  
Christie Rossi

**ACCESS**

**ACCESS Coordinator**  
Shyan Diaz-Brown

**Learning Disability Specialists**

Sile Bassi  
Matthew Cassaro

**ACCESS Counselor**

Silva Arzunyan  
Jolie Herzig  
Beau Whitson

**ACCESS**

**Alternate Media Specialist**

Shirley Ruiz

**Disability Services Specialist/Interpreter**

Rachel Gordon

**Disability Services Technician**

Obalid Younan

**Student Services Assistant**

Amber Diaz (DSPS)  
Bonnie Lara

**Student Success & Support Specialist II**

Ayla Mirjafarli

**EOPS/CARE/CalWORKS/NEXT UP**

**Coordinator**  
Angelica Rodriguez

**Counselors**

Greg Balam  
Fidel Gonzalez  
Jacqueline Gonzalez Belmontes  
Veronica Ramirez

**Counseling Services Specialist (Bil)**

Haida Jimenez-Martinez  
VACANT

**CalWORKS**

**Placement Project Specialist**  
VACANT

**EOPS/CARE Technician**

Patricia Cienfuegos

**Basic Needs/Dreamers**

**Basic Needs Specialist**  
Khatira Tarvirdian

**Counselor (Dreamers)**  
VACANT

**Black Student Success**

**Counselor**  
Phil Michael

**PACE/Veterans**

**Counselor (PACE)**  
Eddie Beltran

**Counselor (Veterans)**  
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**Counseling Services Specialist (PACE/Veterans)**

Brandi Rieger

**Office Assistant**  
Benjamin Scotti

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**A&R, Counseling, Student Success Center and Student Support**  
Jodi Dickey, Dean of Student Learning

**Administrative Assistant**  
Simranjeet Anand

**ADMISSIONS & RECORDS**

**Registrar**  
Dave Anter

**Assistant Registrar**  
Kathleen Downes

**Admissions & Records Technicians**

Brad Aukerman  
Emily Cortez  
Tara Harold  
Kelly Little  
Kristina Medeiros  
Jorge Membreno  
Lucas Page

**Counseling Services Specialist**  
Alex Yepez

**Evening/Night Attendant**  
Leslie Mills

**Student Services Assistant**  
**Welcome Center**  
Angelica Ramos Navarro

**GENERAL COUNSELING AND  
UNIVERSITY TRANSFER CENTER**  
**Department Chair/Counselor**

Ashley Lajoie

**Counselors**

Daniel Aguilar  
Lydia Basmajian  
Amber Bayardo  
Pablo Diaz  
Cristina Garcia  
Ashley Lajoie  
Letrisha Mai  
Laura Mason  
Nicholas McLouth  
Kellie Porto-Garcia  
Giselle Ramirez  
Marc J Roaquin  
Karent Rodriguez-Henriquez  
Rosa Sanchez  
Trulie Thompson  
Samantha Wang  
Samantha Zaldivar

**Counseling Services Specialists**

DeAnna Grove  
Brandi Rieger  
Noemi Rodriguez  
Alex Yepez

**Student Success and Support Specialist II**  
Leo Sun

**Student Services Assistant**  
Kimberly Murdock

**DUAL ENROLLMENT/OUTREACH**

**Program Director I**  
Laura Maldonado

**Student Outreach Specialists**  
Melanie Csellak  
Jennifer Mota

**Student Success and Support Specialist II  
(Dual Enrollment)**  
Gary Garcia

**STUDENT SUCCESS CENTER**

**GUIDED PATHWAYS/STUDENT  
SUCCESS AND SUPPORT**

**Program Director II**  
VACANT

**Student Success and Support  
Supervisor**  
Claudia Sitlington

**Student Success & Support Specialists II**

Nazareth Bautista  
Juan Sanchez  
Alicia Valdez

**Administrative Assistant (80%)**  
Phillip Koscak

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**Health Education, Intercollegiate Athletics, Kinesiology & Mathematics**  
Dr. Matt Calfin, Dean of Student Learning

**Administrative Assistant**  
Angela Yttri  
(Intercollegiate Athletics)

**Administrative Assistant**  
Haley Garcia  
(Health Education/Kinesiology/Math)

**Athletics Director**  
Lindsay Samaniego

**Health Education/Intercollegiate  
Athletics/Kinesiology  
Department Chair/Instructor**  
Michael Stuart

**Mathematics  
Department Chair/Instructor**  
Phillip Abramoff

**Athletics Trainers**  
Erica Fyfe  
Cherisse Meichtry  
Mariel Stegmeir

**Equipment Managers**  
Raul Couoh-Dominguez  
Robert Mascarenas

**ATHLETIC COACHES**

**Baseball**  
Zach Miller (PT)

**Football**  
Michael Stuart

**Men's Volleyball**  
Aaron Hedland (PT)

**Men's Basketball**  
Keith Higgins (PT)

**Women's Golf**  
Daniel Tustin (PT)

**Beach Volleyball/  
Women's Volleyball**  
Adam Black

**Women's Basketball**  
Kenneth Plummer

**Men's Soccer**  
Jacob Gwin (PT)

**Men's Wrestling**  
Lindley Kistler (PT)

**Men's & Women's  
Cross Country/Track**  
Tracye Kephart

**Women's Soccer**  
Kai Werring (PT)

**Women's Wrestling**  
Miles Minton (PT)

**Women's Flag Football**

**Women's Softball**  
Delaney Diaz (PT)

**Health Education/Intercollegiate  
Athletics/Kinesiology  
Instructors**  
Adam Black  
Tracye Kephart  
Jeffrey Kreil  
Kenneth Plummer  
Sherry Ruter

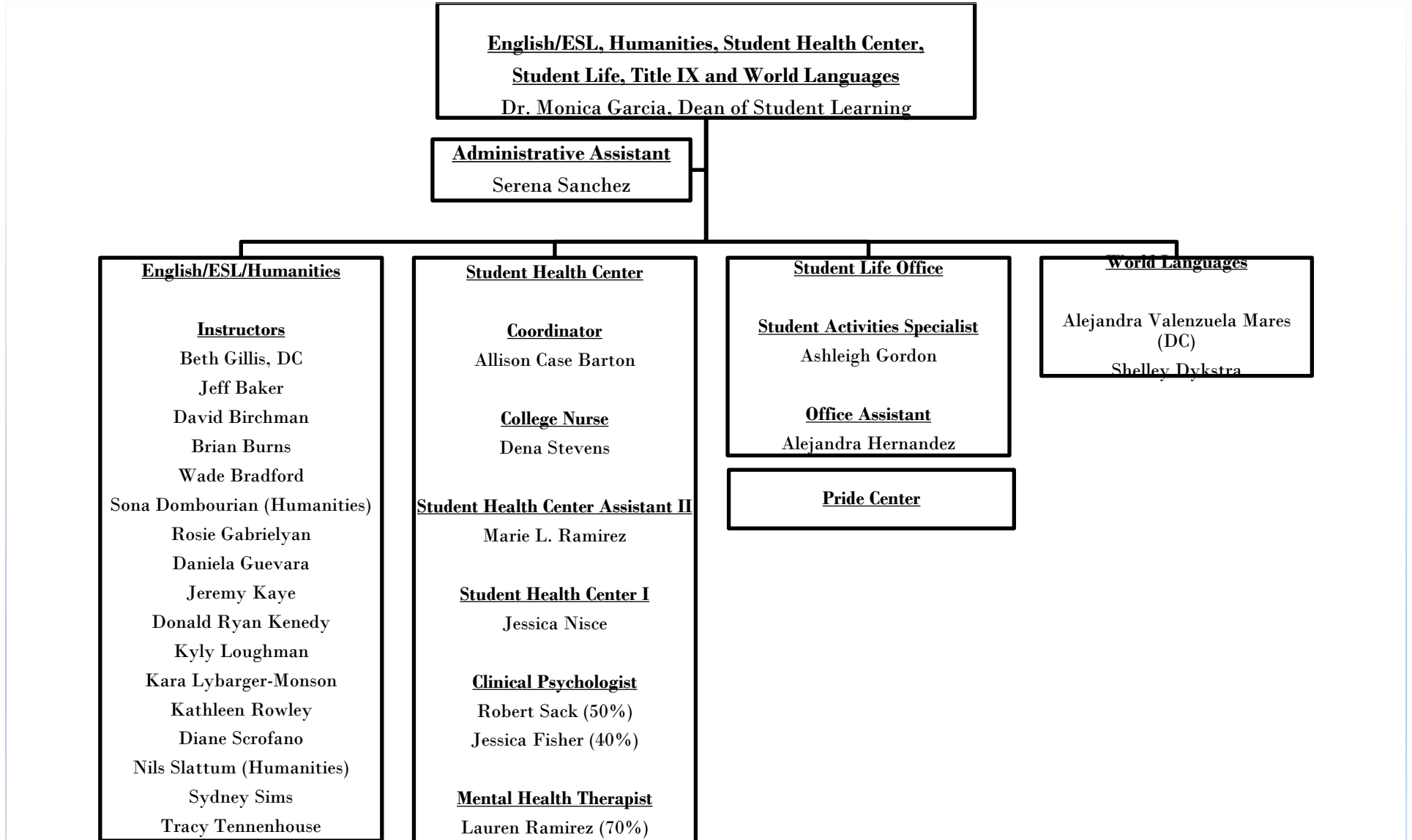
**Mathematics Instructors**  
Kevin Balas  
Doreen Renee Butler  
Mindy Case  
Christopher Copeland  
Laurel Drane  
Marcos Enriquez  
Claudia Gutierrez  
Vahe Kachadoorian  
Michael Nava  
Diana Nguyen  
Tom Ogimachi  
Brendan Purdy  
Cynthia Reed  
Daniel Rubinstein  
Tammy Terzian  
Katrina Topolinski  
Rena Weiss



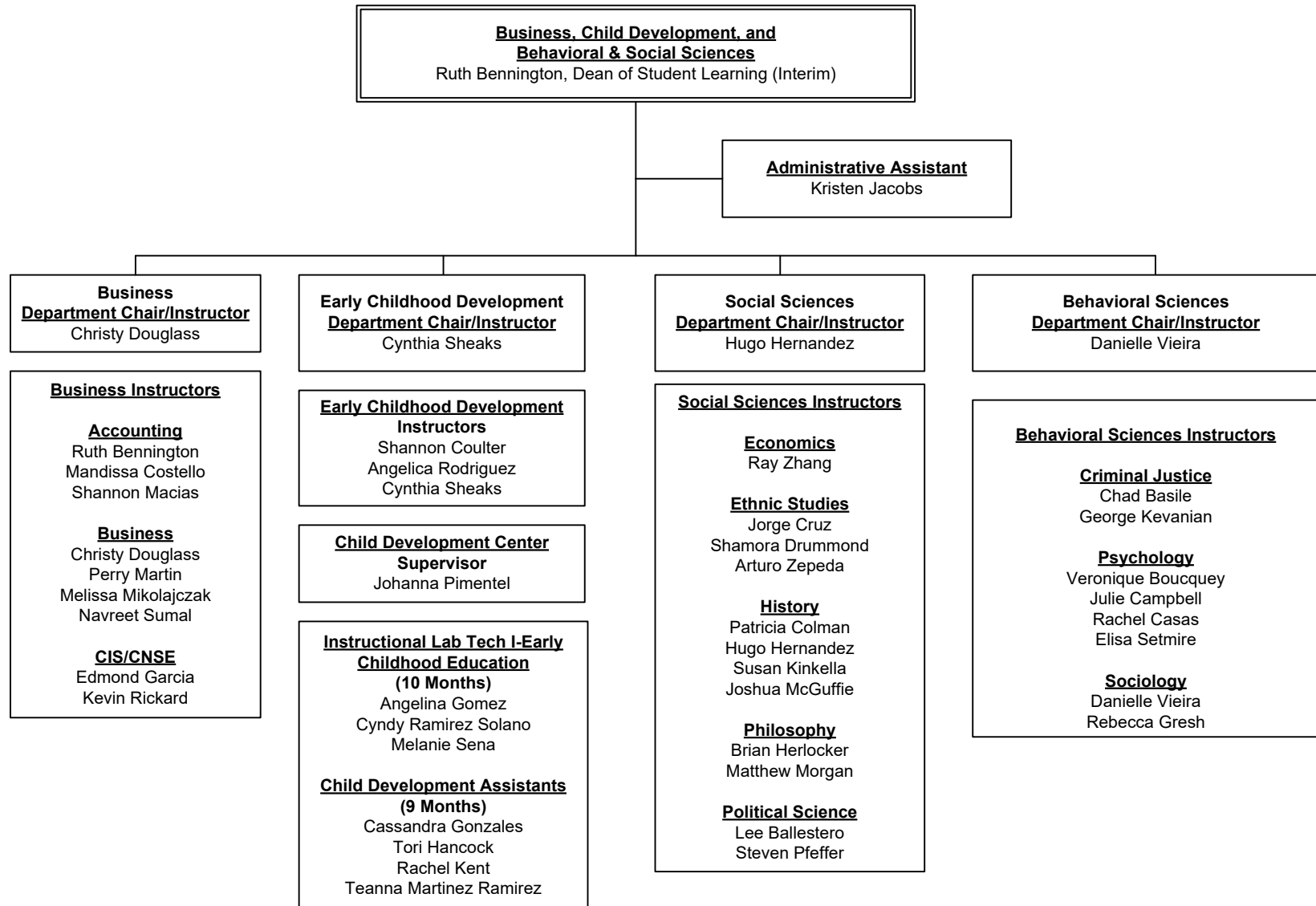
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