

# Moorpark College Administration, Faculty, and Staff

## THE COLLEGE COMMUNITY

Moorpark College faculty and staff are committed to providing quality instruction and service to each and every Moorpark College student. Our primary goal is to help students achieve their educational goals. Although not everyone who works at the College is listed, nearly every office is noted. Call the general campus number (805-378-1400) with any questions or visit the College webpage: [www.moorparkcollege.edu](http://www.moorparkcollege.edu).

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**Departments**

- **ACCESS**

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- **Athletics**

Department Chair: ***Matt Crater***

- **Behavioral Sciences**

Department Chair: ***Danielle Vieira***

Curriculum Representative: ***Hugo Hernandez***

- **Business/Accounting/CNSE/Hospitality**

Department Chair/Curriculum Representative: ***Ruth Bennington***

- **Child Development/Education**

Department Chair: ***Cynthia Sheaks-McGowan***

Curriculum Representative: ***Shannon Coulter***

- **Child Development Center**

Child Development Center Supervisor: ***Johanna Pimentel***

- **Chemistry/Earth Sciences**

Department Chair/Curriculum Representative: ***Tiffany Pawluk***

- **Communication Studies/Media Arts**

Department Chair: ***Rolland Petrello***

Curriculum Representative: ***Candice Larson***

- **Counseling and Guidance**

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- **EATM**

Department Chair: **Brenda Woodhouse**

- **English/ESL/Humanities**

Department Chair: **Sydney Sims**

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- **Extended Opportunity Program Services (EOPS)**

Coordinator: **Marnie Melendez**

- **Fine/Performing Arts**

Department Chair: **Nathan Bowen**

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- **Health Sciences**

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Nursing Coordinator/Curriculum Representative: **Christina Lee**

- **Kinesiology/Health Education/ICA**

Department Chair/Curriculum Representative: **Adam Black**

- **Life Sciences/Anthropology**

Department Chair of Life Sciences/Curriculum Representative: **Audrey Chen**

Department of Anthropology: **Rachel Messinger**

- **Mathematics**

Department Chair: **Phillip Abramoff**

Curriculum Representative: **Renee Butler**

- **Physics/Astronomy/Engineering/CS**

Department Chair of Astronomy/Physics: **Rick Edwards**

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Curriculum Committee Co-Chair: **Scarlet Relle**

- **Social Sciences**

Department Chair/Curriculum Representative: **Hugo Hernandez**

- **World Languages/Library**

Department Chair: **Helga Winkler**

Curriculum Representative: **Perry Bennett**

**A**

Aguilar, Micaela (Mickey) (2012)

Office Assistant

Alfonso, Raul (2021)

Maintenance Assistant II

Alivandivafa, Lisette (2019)

Administrative Assistant

Almazan, Edgar (2008)

Custodian

Alonzo, Anaisa (2012)

Financial Aid Specialist

Anter, Dave (2013)

Registrar

Artero, James (2013)

Instructional Lab Tech II-Physical and Applied Sciences

Aukerman, Brad (2019)

Admission and Records Technician

Aurora, Rosleen (2020)

Financial Aid Specialist

**B**

Barajas-Galindo, Osbaldo (2019)  
Grounds Maintenance Worker

Barcenas, Ana (2018)  
Curriculum Technician

Batoczki, Shandor (2020)  
Library assistant

Behar, Alisa (2021)  
Teaching Zoo Operations Supervisor

Bentrup, Richard (2014)  
Custodian

Beveridge, Jennifer (2021)  
Senior Accounting Technician

Biggie, Deborah (2006)  
Child Development Assistant

Bosket, Tracie (2015)  
Instructional Technologist Designer

Boyd, Katharine (2007)  
Administrative Assistant

Brackley, Deborah (2015)  
Tutoring and Supplemental Support Supervisor

Burland, Bryan (2017)  
Instructional Lab Technician II/Chemistry

Burns, Jeremiah (2018)  
Electrician

Burrell, Ariana (2018)  
Performing Arts Center Technical Director

Bykov, Lauren (2021)  
Instructional Lab Technician II- Nursing

## C

Campbell, Guy (1989)  
Information Technology Support Specialist II

Caranica, Stephanie (2017)  
Student Success and Support Specialist II

Carroll, Emilie (2020)  
Instructional Lab Technician I- Ceramics

Chacon, Gabby (2017)  
Administrative Assistant

Chang-Sanders, Linda (2008)  
Administrative Assistant

Chau, Lindy (2006)  
Bursar

Chea, Lisa (2016)  
Research Analyst

Ciuffardi, Kimberly (2015)  
Child Development Assitant

Collie, Victor (2022)  
Administrative Assistant

Colvin, Leanne (1986)  
Administrative Assistant

Colvin, Scott (2000)  
Maintenance and Operations Supervisor

Conley, Johnny (2018)  
Program Director II

Corrigan, Linda (2012)  
Placement Project Specialist

Cortez, Emily (2021)  
Admissions and Records Technician

Courter, Alan (2012)  
Academic Data Specialist

Csellak, Melanie (2021)  
Student Success & Support Specialist II

## **D**

Derderian, Brian (2015)  
Information Technology Support Specialist III

Diaz, Amber (2022)  
Student Services Assistant- Disability Services

Diaz-Brown, Shyan (2018)  
Disability Services Specialist/Interpreter

Dilley, Erin (2020)  
Library Assistant

Dobson, Lynda (2015)  
College Services Specialist

Dodds, Jason (2013)  
Custodian

Downes, Kathleen (2017)  
Assistant Registrar

## **E**

Elhussini, Allam (2001)  
Accounting Technician

## F

Farley, Charlotte (2006)  
Custodian

Figueroa, Frank (2010)  
Custodian

Finrock, Pete (2001)  
Grounds Equipment Operator

Flores, Policarpio (2015)  
Grounds Maintenance Worker

Freedman, Geoffrey (2015)  
Warehouse Operator

Fullner, Brandon (2019)  
Senior Accounting Technician

## G

Gabino, Robert (1997)  
Custodian

Galvez, Alberto (2015)  
Grounds Maintenance Worker

Galvez, Hugo (2019)  
Grounds Maintenance Worker

Garcia, Jesus (2022)  
Athletic Equipment Manager

Gomez, Angelina (2003)  
Child Development Associates

Gonzalez, Alejandra (Alex) (2016)  
Counselor Assistant

Gonzalez, Carlos Romo (2016)  
Custodian

Gonzalez, Kristy (2021)  
Technical Data Specialist

Gonzalez, Sergio (2020)  
Program Director I – Dual Enrollment

Gonzalez, Gerardo (2008)  
Grounds Maintenance Worker

Grimes, Michael (2014)  
TV/Radio Production Specialist

Grove, Deanna (2014)  
Counselor Services Specialist

Guerrero, Emmanuel (2019)  
Tutorial Services Specialist II

## H

Hancock, Tori (2015)  
Child Development Assistant

Harold, Tara (2021)  
Admissions & Records Technician

Hermann, Adele (2017)  
Senior Research Analyst

Hernandez, Marcela (2007)  
Administrative Assistant

Hernandez, Rebecca (2019)  
Business Office Assistant I (Seasonal)

Hinojosa, Jesus (2021)  
Custodian

Hoffman, Michael (2019)  
Career Education Grant Director

Houston-Mudd, Ruth (2019)  
Library Technician

Hurtado, Ramiro (2016)  
Warehouse Assistant

## I

Idefonso, Alejandra (2019)  
Student Outreach Specialist

## J

Johansson, Karin (2012)  
Instructional Lab Technician I - Photography

Johnson, Tim (2012)  
Custodian

Judy, Jason (2018)  
Locksmith

## K

Kay, Aaron (2020)  
Information Technology Support Specialist II

Klein, Debi (2022)  
Director, Institutional Advancement and Community Engagement; Public Information Officer

Koehler, Brian (2022)  
Performing Arts Center Technician II

Korinke, Kimberly (2004)  
Financial Aid Officer

Koscak, Philip (2020)  
Administrative Assistant

Kostezak, Stephanie (2016)  
Administrative Assistant

## L

Lafave, Andrew (2020)  
Research Analyst

Landeros Pinedo, Roberto (2013)  
Custodian

Lara, Bonnie (1999)  
Student Services Assistant

Lay, Melissa (2019)  
Performing Arts Center, Technician I

Lederer, Krista (2007)  
Performing Arts Assistant

Lee, Everett (2015)  
Grounds Maintenance Worker

Leung, Edwin (2019)  
Instructional Laboratory Technician II/Biology

Little, Kelly (2016)  
Admissions and Records Technician

Lopez, Eric (2006)  
Custodial Supervisor II

Luna, Ramona (2007)  
Financial Aid Specialist

Luther, Dennis (2018)  
Custodian

## M

Magallanes, Armando (2010)  
HVAC & R Technician

Magallanes, Joseph (2016)  
Custodian

Malbas, Crystal (2014)  
Office Assistant

Marcum, Cassy (2019)  
Counselor Assistant

Martin, Maria (2006)  
Admissions and Records Technician

Mascarenas, Robert (2019)  
Physical Education- Athletic Equipment Manager

Mattson, Paul (2008)  
Evening and Weekend Activities Attendant

McCloskey, Kristen (2019)  
Administrative Assistant

McClure, Monica (2016)  
Custodian

McMichael, Dan (1998)  
Director of College Information Technology

Medeiros, Kristina (2022)  
Admissions & Records Technician

Meichtry, Cherisse (2006)  
Athletic Trainer

## **N**

Navarro, Francisco (2013)  
Custodian

Nguyen, Lan (2006)  
Instructional Laboratory Technician II/Biology

Nickerson, Lauren (2018)  
Instructional Lab Technician II/RVT

Nicoll, Valerie (2010)  
Counselor Assistant

Nielsen, Elizabeth (2013)  
Administrative Assistant

Nisce, Jessica (2021)  
Student Health Center Assistant I

## O

Osuna, Cynthia (2016)  
Sr. Administrative Assistant

## P

Palmer, Lory (2008)  
Instructional Lab Technician II/RVT

Park, Celine (2017)  
Project Placement Specialist

Perez-Medeiros, Maria (2007)  
Scholarship Technician

Perry, Michele (2008)  
College Fiscal Services Supervisor

Petrash, Kelly (2016)  
Senior Accounting Technician

Pette III, Hosey (2008)  
Lead Custodian

Pielaet, Dina (2020)  
Marketing, Communications & Web Design Coordinator

Pimentel, Johanna (2015)  
Child Development Center Supervisor

## **R**

Ramirez, Marie (2008)  
Student Health Center Assistant II

Ramirez, Solano, Cyndy (2016)  
Child Development Associate

Ramirez, Xilen (2019)  
Student Success and Support Specialist II

Ramirez Pack, Teanna (2022)  
Child Development Assistant

Reeder, Scott (2008)  
Custodian

Resendiz, Linda (2015)  
Executive Assistant

Reves, Ian (2020)  
Carpenter

Rieger, Brandi (2012)  
Counselor Assistant

Roberts, Vanessa (2019)  
Financial Aid Specialist

Robinson, Kristen (2017)  
Student Activities Specialist

Rodriguez, Mara (1994)  
Zoo Development Coordinator

Romero, Kris (2013)  
Zoo Operations Assistant

Rossi, Christie (2016)  
Administrative Assistant

Roth, Nathan (2016)  
Maintenance Worker II

Ruvalcaba, Yesenia (2021)  
EOPS/CARE Technician

## **S**

Sanchez, Graciela V. (1996)  
Financial Aid Specialist (Bilingual)

Sanchez, Krystle (2016)  
Admissions and Records Technician

Sayles, Gregory (2011)  
Plumber

Sena, Melanie (2006)  
Child Development Associates

Sherman, Brian (2008)  
Sprinkler Repair Technician

Sinutko, John (2003)  
Director of Facilities, Maintenance, and Operations

Small, Ivan (2000)  
Information Technology Support Specialist II

Smithson, John (2016)  
Electrician

Spinneberg, Matthew (2016)  
Instructional Assistant/ Assistive Tech. Center

Stansbury, Amanda (2021)  
Instructional Lab Tech I (EATM)

Stegmeir, Mariel (2018)  
College Trainer

Stofka, Rowella (2016)  
Financial Aid Specialist

Stroud, Rebecca (2022)  
Administrative Assistant

Swenson, Mary (2005)  
Instructional Lab Technician II/Biology

## T

Timmons, Steve (2006)  
Grounds Supervisor

Torres, Raul O. (2018)  
Career Services Specialist

Tran, Dean (2019)  
Academic Data Specialist

Trejo, Alicia (2021)  
Financial Aid Specialist

Tu, Myhanh (2002)  
Instructional Lab Technician II/Chemistry

## U

Uichanco, Robert (2021)  
Instructional Lab Technician II- Nursing

Urenda, Maria (2008)  
Financial Aid Specialist

## W

Watters, Kim (1999)  
Technical Data Specialist

Weeransinghe, Melanie (2021)  
Administrative Assistant

Wilson, Cynthia (1998)  
Zoo Enrichment Technician

Wolfe, John (2012)  
Information Technology Support Specialist III

## Y

Yao, Lynne-Nora (2001)  
Business Office Assistant I

Yepez, Alex (2021)  
Counselor Services Specialist

Yoshida, Taiki (2020)  
Zoo Operations Assistant

Younan, Obalid (1999)  
Disability Services Technician

## Z

Zamora, Oscar (2021)  
Custodian

## A

Abramoff, Phil (2001)  
Professor, Mathematics  
B.S., Marquette University, Wisconsin  
M.A., M.S., Michigan State University

Aguilar, Daniel (2016)  
Associate Professor, Counseling  
B.A., California State University, Los Angeles  
M.Ed., University of California, Los Angeles

Allison, Case-Barton (2021)  
Coordinator, Student Health Center  
B.S.N., California State University, Chico  
M.P.H., Walden University

Alnaji, Loay (2017)  
Associate Professor, Computer Science  
B.A., Yarmouk University  
M.S., California State University, Fresno  
DBA, Argosy University, Los Angeles

Arzunyan, Silva (2016)  
Associate Professor, DSPS (ACCESS)  
B.A., California State University, Los Angeles  
M.A., Azusa Pacific University, Azusa

Ashton, Michael (2020)  
Assistant Dean,  
A.S., Portland Community College  
B.S., University of Phoenix  
M.B.A., Marylhurst University

## **B**

Baca, Josepha (2021)  
Dean, Student Learning  
B.A., University of California, Berkeley  
M.B.A., California Lutheran University  
M.Ed., University of California, Santa Barbara  
Ph.D., University of California, Santa Barbara

Bair, Johnathan (2019)  
Associate Professor, Multimedia/Game Design  
B.S., The Art Institute of California, Los Angeles

Baker, Jeffrey (2000)

Professor, English

B.A., Indiana University of Pennsylvania

M.A., Ph.D., Purdue University

Baker, John (1990)

Professor, Anthropology

B.A., Pepperdine University

Ph.D., University of Hamburg

Balam, Gregory (2014)

Assistant Professor, Counseling

B.A., California State University, Northridge

M.S., California Lutheran University

Balas, Kevin (2016)

Associate Professor, Mathematics

B.A., California State University, Northridge

M.S., California State University, Northridge

Ballestero, Lee (2007)

Professor, Political Science

B.A., California State University, San Marcos

M.A., University of California, Riverside

M.A., Ph.D., University of California, Irvine

Barbier, Ashley (2014)

Associate Professor, Anthropology

B.A., University of South Carolina

M.A., University of Hawaii at Manoa

Ph.D., University of Hawaii at Manoa

Basile, Chad (2015)

Associate Professor, Criminal Justice

B.S., University of California, Davis

J.D., Monterey College of Law, Monterey

Basmajian, Lydia (2011)

Associate Professor, Counselor

A.A., Los Angeles Valley College

B.A., M.S., California State University, Northridge

Bassi, Sile (2007)

Professor, Learning Disabilities

B.S., California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo

M.A., California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo

Beltran, Eddie (2016)

Associate Professor, Counseling

B.S., California Lutheran University

M.S., California Lutheran University

Ed.D, California Lutheran University

Benassi III, August (2008)

Professor, Communication Studies

B.S., Bradley University

M.A., Illinois State University

Bennett, Darrell (Perry) (2004)

Professor, Modern Languages

B.A., McGill University, Quebec, Canada

M.A., A.B.D., University of California, Santa Barbara

Bennington, Ruth (2015)

Associate Professor, Accounting

Bachelor of Civil Law, University College Dublin, Ireland

M.B.A., Woodbury University

Bespalov, Oleg (2018)

Dean, Student Learning,

B.A., La Salle University

M.B.A., La Salle University

Birchman, David (2001)

Professor, English

B.A., Western Washington State College

M.A., Reed College

Black, Adam (2017)

Associate Professor, Kinesiology

B.S., California State University, Northridge

M.S., California State University, Northridge

Block, Nicole (2016)

Associate Professor, FTMA

B.A., University of California, San Diego

M.A., California State University, Fullerton

Booth, Kathrine (2017)

Associate Professor, English

B.A., University of California, Santa Barbara

M.A., Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles

Ph.D., Queen Mary, University of London

Boucquey, Veronique (2017)

Associate Professor, Psychology

B.S., University of California, San Diego

M.S., University of California, Irvine

Ph.D., University of California, Irvine

Bowen, Nathan (2009)

Professor, Music

B.A., Brigham Young University

M.A., Ph.D., Queens College, City University of New York

Bowman, Allison (2016)

Associate Professor, Communication Studies

A.A., Moorpark College

B.A., Concordia University Irvine

M.A., California State University, Long Beach

Bradford, Wade (2010)

Professor, English

B.A., California State University, Northridge

M.A., California State University, Northridge

Brinkman IV, Chuck (1997)

Professor, Counselor

B.A., A.B.D., University of California, Santa Barbara

M.S., California State University, Northridge

Brown, Nenagh (1999)

Professor, History

B.A., Durham University

M.A., Ohio State University

Bryant, Sandy (2007)

Professor, Biology

B.S., University of Utah

Ph.D., University of Utah

Butler, Doreen Renee (2014)

Associate Professor, Mathematics

B.A., California State University, Northridge

M.A., California State University, Northridge

## C

Cabral, Robert (2020)

Dean, Student Learning,

B.A., University of California, Santa Barbara

M.A.O.M., Antioch University

M.S., Walden University

C.P.M., Stanford University

Callis, Stephen (1998)

Associate Professor, Photography

B.A., University of California, Santa Cruz

M.F.A., California Institute of the Arts

Camarena, Esmeralda (2020)

Assistant Professor, Counseling

B.A., California State University, Long Beach

M.S., California Lutheran University

Campbell, Julie (2005)

Professor, Psychology

B.S., California State University, Northridge

M.A., California State University, Northridge  
Ph.D., University of California, Santa Barbara

Case-Barton, Allison (2021)  
Coordinator, Student Health Center  
B.S.N., California State University, Chico  
M.P.H., Walden University

Cassaro, Matthew (2016)  
Associate Professor, Learning Disabilities Specialist  
B.A., California State University, Northridge  
M.Ed., California Lutheran University

Chen, Audrey (2011)  
Associate Professor, Biology  
B.S., University of California, Los Angeles  
Ph.D., Albany Medical College

Clark, Jennifer (2015)  
Vice President, Business Services  
B.A., University of California, San Diego  
M.Ed., University of California, Los Angeles  
M.B.A., California State University, Channel Islands  
Ed.D., Pepperdine University

Coleman-Hill, Tamarra (2017)  
Associate Professor, English  
B.A., California State University, Los Angeles  
M.A., DePaul University, Chicago, IL

Colman, Patricia (2005)  
Professor, History  
B.A., University of California, Santa Barbara  
M.A., University of California, Los Angeles  
M.A., California State University, Northridge

Copeland, Christopher (2016)  
Associate Professor, Mathematics  
B.A., Capital University, Columbus, OH

M.S., University of Dayton, Dayton, OH  
M.A., Otterbein University, Westerville, OH

Coulter, Shannon (2016)  
Associate Professor, Child Development  
B.A., California State University, Channel Islands  
M.A., California State University, Northridge

Courtney, Katherine (2002)  
Professor, Biology  
B.S., University of California, Davis  
M.A., University of California, Santa Cruz  
M.A., University of California, Santa Barbara

Crater, Matthew (2021)  
Assistant Professor, Athletic Director  
B.S., University of Montana-Western  
M.S., Fresno Pacific University

Crisostomo, Vincent (2011)  
Associate Professor, Chemistry  
B.S., University of the Philippines  
Ph.D., University of Connecticut

## D

Dadabhoy, Khushnur (2019)  
Dean, Student Learning,  
B.A., University of Bombay, India  
M.A., University of Wisconsin  
Ph.D., University of Colorado

Darwin, Robert (2006)  
Professor, Radiologic Technology  
B.S., Loma Linda University  
M.H.A., California State University, Los Angeles

Diaz, Pablo (2015)  
Associate Professor, Counselor

B.A., California State University, Monterey Bay

M.A., San Jose State University

Dickey, Jodi (2014)

Associate Professor, Counseling

B.A. San Jose State University

M.S., California State University, Northridge

Dieterich, Michelle (2013)

Associate Professor, Nursing

A.A., Moorpark College

B.S., California State University, Dominguez Hills

M.S., California State University, Dominguez Hills

Dombourian, Sona (2007)

Professor, English

B.A., California State University, Northridge

M.A., California State University, Northridge

Doyle, Stephen (1990)

Professor, Communication Studies

B.A., California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo

M.A., California State University, Los Angeles

Drane, Laurel (2019)

Assistant Professor, Mathematics

B.S., M.S., California State University, Channel Islands

## E

Edwards, Charles (Rick) (2018)

Assistant Professor, Astronomy/Physics

B.S., University of Memphis

M.S., Catholic University of America

Edwards, Rex (2002)

Professor, Economics

B.A., University of Texas, Austin

M.B.A., California State University, Dominguez Hills

Ph.D., University of Texas, Austin

Elliot, Brandon (2014)  
Associate Professor, Music  
B.A., California State University, Fullerton  
M.M., University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music

Enriquez, Marcos (2001)  
Professor, Mathematics  
B.A., California State University, Northridge  
M.S., California State University, Northridge

Etman, Lydia (2016)  
Associate Professor, Art History  
A.S., Moorpark College, Moorpark  
B.A., California State University, Channel Islands  
M.A., California State University, Northridge

## F

Fagan, Suzanne (2016)  
Associate Professor, Theatre Arts  
B.F.A., Ohio University, Athens, OH  
M.F.A., University of California, Los Angeles

Forbes, John (2022)  
Vice President, Academic Affair  
B.S., Taylor University  
M.A., California State University, Fresno  
Ed.D., University of California Davis; California State University, Fresno

Franke, Deanna (1994)  
Professor, Chemistry  
B.S., California Lutheran University  
Ph.D., University of California, Santa Barbara

## G

Gabrielyan, Roza (2020)  
Assistant Professor, English  
B.A., California State University, Northridge  
M.S., California State University, Northridge

Garcia, Cristina (2019)

Assistant Professor, Counselor

B.A., California State University, Northridge

M.S., California State University, Northridge

Garcia, Edmund (2001)

Professor, Computer Network Systems Engineering

B.S., California State University, Los Angeles

Garcia, Monica (2019)

Dean, Student Learning,

M.A., Pacific Oaks College, Pasadena

Gasparyan, Hovik (2020)

Assistant Professor, Biology

B.S., University of California, Los Angeles

Ph.D., University of California, Riverside

Gebru, Amanuel (2013)

Vice President, Student Support,

B.A., California State University, Long Beach

M.S., California State University, Long Beach

Ed.D., University of La Verne

Geisbauer, Carrie Lynn (2012)

Professor, Biological Sciences

B.S., University of Southern California

M.S., University of California, Los Angeles

Ph.D., University of California, Los Angeles

Gharabighi, Anasheh (2017)

Associate Professor, Communications Studies

B.A., California State University, Northridge

M.A., California State University, Northridge

Gillis-Smith, Elizabeth (2004)

Professor, English

B.A., Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo

M.A., California State University, Northridge

Gresh, Rebecca (2020)  
Assistant Professor, Sociology  
A.A., Miracosta College  
B.A., University of California, San Diego  
Ph.D., University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Guevara, Daniela (2019)  
Associate Professor, English  
B.A., California State University, Los Angeles  
M.A., California Polytechnic State University, Pomona  
M.S., California State University, Fullerton

Gutierrez, Claudia (2016)  
Associate Professor, Mathematics  
A.A., Fullerton College, Fullerton  
B.A., California State University, Fullerton  
M.A., California State University, Fullerton

## H

Herlocker, Brian (2017)  
Associate Professor, Philosophy  
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