2016-17 UIW Media Resource Guide

The 2016-17 University of the Incarnate Word (UIW) Media Resource Guide lists members of the faculty and administration at the University of the Incarnate Word (UIW) who have agreed to speak to the media on a variety of issues and current events with which they have expertise.

Procedure for Contacting University Resources and Accessing Campus

All initial communication MUST be directed to the Office of Communications and Marketing. This guide is to help you identify experts for your needs. The Office of Communications and Marketing will facilitate contact with these resources.

It is imperative that all members of the news media interested in attending events, capturing images on campus or arranging interviews contact the Office of Communications and Marketing at (210) 829-6001 or pr@uiwtx.edu prior to contacting resources or arriving on campus. Though a private institution, UIW provides the news media reasonable access to campus. However, the university may regulate media access in order not to disrupt teaching or research, to protect the health and safety of students and staff, to protect the privacy of students and others who reside on campus, and to comply with state and federal laws on student and personnel data. These guidelines pertain to media access to property owned or controlled by UIW; these pertain to any individual or group conducting interviews, making audio or video recordings, or taking photographs for dissemination to the public via commercial or non-commercial news and information outlets, including the internet.

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Open Records/Public Information

For information on UIW’s Open Records/Public Information policy and procedures, visit http://www.uiw.edu/police/openrecords.html

Title IX

For information on UIW Title IX compliance, visit http://www.uiw.edu/titleix/

The UIW Media Resource Guide is also available online at http://www.uiw.edu/pr/mediaguide.html.

To submit updates or corrections, contact Brance Arnold at bdarnold@uiwtx.edu.

Please consult our website for updates and additional information about the university or call the Office of Communications and Marketing. Thank you.

Mailing Address:

For more information or to contact an expert, contact the Office of Communications and Marketing at (210) 829-6001.
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ADMISSIONS

Dean Jennielle Strother

ATHLETICS


COLLEGE OF ARTS, HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Associate Provost & Dean Dr. Kevin Vichcales
Language/ Fine Arts/ Humanities/ Social Sciences/ History

DREEBEN SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Associate Provost & Dean Dr. Denise Staudt
Dean Dan Ochoa, UIW Preparatory Programs

FEIK SCHOOL OF PHARMACY

Founding Dean Dr. Arcelia Johnson-Fannin
Pharmacy Library

H-E-B SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND ADMINISTRATION

Dean Dr. Forrest Aven

OFFICE OF GRADUATE STUDIES & RESEARCH

Dean Dr. Osman Ozturgut

ROSENBERG SCHOOL OF OPTOMETRY

Dean Dr. Timothy Wingert
Optometry Library

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Key Administrators

Dr. Denise Doyle – Acting President
Dr. Doyle holds a J.C.D., Ph.D., M.A., and B.A. in canon law and a B.A. in English literature.
- Management of UIW and two high schools operated by UIW, Incarnate Word High School and St. Anthony Catholic High School
- Catholic higher education
- Catholic health care
- Futures forecasting
- New program development and accreditation
- Governance for nonprofits
- Board Development

Dr. Kathleen Light – Provost
Dr. Light holds an Ed.D. in adult and continuing education, M.S.N. in parent-child nursing, and B.S.N.
- Academic and student affairs

Sr. Kathleen Coughlin, CCVI – Vice President for Institutional Advancement
Sr. Kathleen holds an M.H.A. in hospital administration and B.S.N. in nursing.
- Development
- Alumni relations
- Grants
- Fundraising
- Marketing and communications
- Printing services
- Capital Campaign aspects
- New projects

Douglas Endsley – Vice President for Finance and Technology
Mr. Endsley holds an M.B.A., an M.P.A. in personnel management and a B.A. in political science.
- Technology and the financial stability of UIW and the two high schools managed by UIW

Dr. David M. Jurenovich – Vice President for Student Services and Enrollment Management
Dr. Jurenovich holds a Ph.D. in guidance and counseling, M.B.A., M.S. in counseling and college student personnel, and B.A. in psychology.
- Admissions
- Financial assistance
- Campus life
- Athletics
- Student success
- Registrar

Dr. Cyndi Wilson Porter – Vice President for the School of Professional Studies
Dr. Porter holds a Ph.D., M.S. and a B.A. in chemistry.
- Online education
- Adult education
- Military education, both active duty and veteran
- Chemical education

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Marcos Fragoso, Vice President for International Affairs
Mr. Fragoso holds an M.B.A. and a B.B.A. in business administration.
- International initiatives
- Reciprocal educational agreements
- Study abroad programs
- Germany and Mexico Campuses
- Sister schools in Argentina, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Chile, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Hong Kong, Iraq, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Macau, Mexico, Mongolia, New Zealand, Lithuania, Panama, Pakistan, Philippines, Poland, Russia, Saudi Arabia, South Korea, Spain, Switzerland, Taiwan, Thailand, The Netherlands, Turkey, United Kingdom, Vietnam

Sr. Walter Maher, CCVI, Vice President for University Mission & Ministry
Sr. Walter holds an M.A. in marriage and family therapy; an M.A. in library science; and a B.A. in history and English.
- Mission
- Identity
- Ministry

Lisa Bazley, Vice President for Information Resources
Ms. Bazley holds an M.B.A. in management and finance and a B.S.B.A. in accounting and information systems.
- J.E. & L.E. Mabee Library
- Business of information technology for higher education
- Information technology organizations, structure, service portfolios and budgets for higher education institutions
- Optimizing higher education business operations and advancing student services with smart technology choices
- Provisioning technology for college and universities
- Information resources

Cynthia Escamilla, General Counsel
Mrs. Escamilla holds a J.D. as well as a B.S. in advertising.
- Human resources
- Directs all legal matters that pertain to the university and the two high schools managed by UIW, including facilities, personnel and students

Vincent Rodriguez, Chief of Staff
Mr. Rodriguez holds an M.A. in journalism, a B.A. in journalism with a minor in geography; and an Executive Education Program certificate.
- Directs day-to-day operations of the President's Office
- Primarily point of assistance and principal professional aide to the President
- Manages communications flow of the President's Office

Lou Fox, Assistant to the President and Community Relations
Mr. Fox holds a Master of Public Administration; a Senior Executive Certificate from the JFK School of Government at Harvard University; a B.S. in public administration; and an associates degree in pre-business.
- Government in general
- Local government issues
- Counsels the president on governmental and business matters as they pertain to UIW,
such as infrastructure improvements and the development of extension campuses
• Instructor of management theory and practice in the H-E-B School of Business and Administration

Dr. Ramona Parker, President of the Faculty Senate and School of Osteopathic Medicine
Assistant Dean – Med./ Interpersonal Education
Dr. Parker holds a Ph.D. in nursing, an MS in nursing, and a B.S. in nursing.
• Serves as liaison between faculty and administration as president of the Faculty Senate

Dr. Glenn Edward James, Associate Provost and Director of Institutional Effectiveness
Dr. James holds a Ph.D. and M.S. in applied mathematics, an M.A. in national security and strategic studies, and a B.S. in mathematical sciences.
• Accreditation
• Chaos Theory
• Mathematics
• Military topics
• Music ministry
• ACTS Ministry

Dr. Kevin Vichcales, Associate Provost and Dean of the College of Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences (CHASS)
Dr. Vichcales holds a Ph.D. in modern European history, an M.A. in modern European history and a B.A. in history and political science.
• Graduate education
• Higher education
• Environment and water issues
• Higher education
• Modern European history

Dr. Denise Staudt, Associate Provost and Dean of the Dreeben School of Education (DSE)
Dr. Staudt holds an Ed.D. in curriculum and instruction, an M.A. in education; and a B.A.T. in elementary education.
• Elementary education
• Assessment
• Technology integration

UIW Media Resources

Jenniele Strother, dean of enrollment
• College admission and selection
• Campus tours and visits
• College search – criteria to consider
• Freshman year – what to expect
• Financing college

Javier Lara, director of admissions systems & data management
• Admissions
• Enrollment

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French)
   • Contemporary Latin American Literature and Culture
   • Political Violence in Peru

Dr. Michael Tallon, assistant professor of Spanish
   • Learning a foreign language
   • Foreign language anxiety
   • Foreign language education
   • Spanish as a heritage language
   • Close-up Magic

Fine Arts

Art

Miguel Cortinas, assistant professor of art
   • Painting and drawing
   • Prints

Music

Dr. Janice Dvorkin, associate professor of music therapy
   • Music therapy and special education
   • Therapy in medical settings, hospice and nursing homes
   • Autism therapy

Dr. Orit Eylon, assistant professor of voice (fluent in Hebrew, speaks some Italian, French and German)
   • Music/voice
   • Singing
   • Pedagogy
   • Performance practices

William Gokelman, professor of music; director of liturgical music
   • Choral music and piano
   • Liturgical music

Dr. Ken Metz, associate professor of music
   • Music composition and theory
   • Jazz

Dr. Brett A. Richardson, coordinator of music education/director of bands
   • Fundraising
   • Purpose of the marching band
   • Concert band
   • Music education

Jim Waller, assistant professor of music
   • Music industry studies,
   • Recording technology,
   • Jazz composition and arranging

Theatre Arts
Dr. Robert Ball, associate professor of theatre arts; chair
  • Theatre

Justin Bennett, assistant professor of theatre arts
  • Theatre technology and design

Sr. Germaine Corbin, CCVI, professor of theatre arts
  • Extended Run Players
  • Interviews with WWII veterans

Christopher McCollum, instructor of theatre arts (Bilingual German)
  • Scenic Design
  • Theatre Design

Dr. Mary Beth Swofford, associate professor of English and theatre arts
  • American theatre
  • Relationships

**Humanities**

Dr. Glenn Ambrose, assistant professor of religious studies
  • Roman Catholicism
  • Christian theology

Zenon Culverhouse, assistant professor of philosophy
  • Philosophy (specifically ancient Greek and Roman)
  • Classical Literature (specifically Greek and Roman)

Sr. Martha Ann Kirk, CCVI, Th.D., professor of religious studies
  • Women and religion
  • Spirituality and nonviolence
  • Religious movements for peace
  • Interfaith

Dr. Paul Lewis, assistant professor of philosophy
  • Social and political philosophy
  • Ethics and justice

Dr. Benjamin Miele, assistant professor of English (speaks Spanish, Latin, Ancient Greek)
  • Shakespeare
  • Early modern poetry
  • Drama
  • The Classics (Latin and Greek)
  • Renaissance literature and culture
  • Rhetorical theory and persuasive communication

Dr. Julie Miller, associate professor of religious studies
  • Catholic Church ethics
  • Sexual ethics and theology
  • Feminist theology

Dr. Jakob Rinderknecht, director of the pastoral institute (speaks German)
  • Ecumenism / Interfaith Issues, especially Roman Catholic engagements with others

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- Ecclesiology (study of the church) including church structures and history
- 16th Century Reformation
- Liturgy and Worship
- Monasticism and Religious Life

Dr. Horacio Vela, assistant professor of religious studies
- Hebrew Scriptures & Ancient Judaism
- New Testament
- Early Christianity
- Hispanic/Latino Religion and Theology
- Virgin of Guadalupe
- U.S. Hispanic Catholicism

Social Sciences

Dr. Roger Barnes, professor of sociology and criminal justice; chairman
- Prisons and death penalty
- Violence, crime and criminal justice
- Poverty

Ambassador Dr. James Creagan, professor of political science (part-time)
- Foreign policy
- International relations
- Latin American politics and trade
- Immigration

Dr. Scott Dittloff, associate professor of political science
- Politics
- Caribbean region

Dr. Maria Félix -Ortiz, associate professor of psychology
- Community psychology
- Drug abuse
- Homelessness
- Latino psychology and social issues

Dr. Phil Lampe, professor of sociology
- Hispanics in the U.S.
- Religion and family

History

Dr. Gilberto Hinojosa, professor emeritus of history (part-time)
- Mexico and Texas
- Mexican American history

Dr. Lopita Nath, associate professor and chair of history, coordinator of Asian Studies program (speaks Hindi, Assamese, Bengali, Nepali, and basic Arabic)
- World history
- Asian history and politics
- Migration
- Refugees
- Human rights

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DREEBEN SCHOOL OF EDUCATION (DSE)

ASSOCIATE PROVOST & DEAN: Dr. Denise Staudt
- Elementary education
- Assessment
- Technology integration

Dr. Danielle Alsandor, assistant professor of teacher education
- Higher education administration
- Retention and completion of underrepresented college students
- Social justice and diversity
- Faculty of color

Dr. David Campos, associate professor of education
- Elementary education
- Special education
- Gay and lesbian youth
- Sex education

Dr. Ann David, assistant professor of teacher education
- K-12 Education
- Teacher Preparation
- English language arts
- Reading
- Writing
- Standards and standardized tests (STAAR)
- History of standardized tests
- Common Core State Standards (National)
- College and Career Readiness Standards (Texas)
- Education technology
- Intersection of technology and reading/writing (i.e. texting as writing)

Dr. Elda E. Martinez, director of teacher education
- Teacher preparation
- Special education

UIW Preparatory Programs

DEAN: Dan Ochoa
- UIW Prep
- Incarnate Word High School (IWHS)
- St. Anthony Catholic High School (SACHS)

FEIK SCHOOL OF PHARMACY (FSOP)

FOUNDING DEAN: Dr. Arcelia Johnson-Fannin
- Pharmacy and pre-pharmacy programs
- Research and technology

ASSOCIATE DEAN: Dr. David F. Maize
- Over-the-counter drugs
- Pulmonary drugs

**ASSISTANT DEAN:** Dr. Jeffery Copeland, experiential programs and associate professor

**CHAIR & ASSISTANT DEAN OF PHARMACY PRACTICE:** Dr. Cheryl Horlen

**ASSISTANT DEAN OF STUDENT AFFAIRS:** Dr. Amy Diepenbrock, Dr. Renee Bellanger, assistant professor
- Pediatric, neonatal, women’s health
- Nonprescription medications – cough/cold, dermatology
- Nutrition
- Herbals

**Dr. Mathew Garber**, assistant professor of pharmacy practice
- Pharmacy Informatics
- Pharmacy Administration
- Military Pharmacy
- Leadership
- Customer Service
- Government Contracting

**Dr. Helmut Gottlieb**, assistant professor of pharmaceutical sciences
- Opioid control of cardiovascular and renal function

**Dr. Tina Lee**, assistant professor of pharmacy practice
- Pharmacy

**Dr. William Linn**, associate professor
- Evidence-based medicine
- Cardiology
- Asthma

**Dr. Tina Lopez**, director of the Drug Information Center
- Health literacy
- Drug information websites
- Health fairs
- STEM initiatives for girls
- Pharmacy school

**Dr. Sushma Ramsinghani**, associate professor
- Science of cancer research
- DNA damage and repair
- Polymetabolism

**Dr. G. Lucy Wilkening**, assistant professor of pharmacy practice
- Drug-related overdose management;
- Naloxone reversal kits
- Anxiety and depression treatment
- Role of psychiatric pharmacists in patient care teams

**Pharmacy Library**

Christina Seeger, librarian

*For more information or to contact an expert, contact the Office of Communications and Marketing at (210) 829-6001.*
• Medical/drug resources

H-E-B SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND ADMINISTRATION (HSBA)

DEAN: Dr. Forrest Aven
• Business Schools
• Peace Corps
• Lymphoma

Robert Taylor, communications coordinator

Dr. Pat LeMay Burr, distinguished chair of business administration
• Use of iPads and digital media in organizations
• International programs
• Language and international studies
• International business
• International relations

Dr. Annette E. Craven, associate professor of management & decision sciences
• Quality management
• Business program assessment and accreditation
• Human resources and strategic planning
• Business research and statistics
• Business communications

Dr. Esmeralda De Los Santos, professor of marketing
• Service Marketing - How to sell service-based products
• Latinas in the workplace
• General marketing topics

Dr. Trish Driskill, assistant professor of accounting
• Accounting
• Ethics
• Personal finance

Dr. Timothy Griesdorn, assistant professor of business administration
• Personal financial planning
• Consumer decision making
• Family finance
• Capital budgeting

Earl Harmsen, instructor of decision science
• Production and operations management
• Statistics
• Quantitative analysis

Dr. Sara Jackson, assistant professor of international business
• International business
• NAFTA
• Entrepreneurship

Dr. Michael McGuire, professor of economics (Spanish fluent)
• Economics of social issues

For more information or to contact an expert, contact the Office of Communications and Marketing at (210) 829-6001.
• Economics of public finance
• Economics of Latin America
• Taxation for inclusive development in Latin America

Dr. Jose F. Moreno, assistant professor of finance
• Finance
• Banking

J.T. Norris, associate professor of accounting
• International Accounting
• Foreign Corrupt Practices Act
• Scuba diving instruction

Dr. Scott Roberts, associate professor of marketing
• Marketing
• Consumer behavior

Dr. Alberto Rubio-Sanchez, associate professor of marketing (speaks Spanish)
• Consumer behavior
• Cross-cultural behavior
• International marketing

Dr. Alicia Rodriguez de Rubio, associate professor of finance & financial planning program director
• Personal financial planning
• Hispanics as consumers of financial services
• UIW Finance Lab

Dr. David Vequist, associate professor of business administration & director of the Center for Medical Tourism
• Medical Tourism/Retirement Tourism
• Management/Strategy, Generational Trends
• Training & Development
• Non-Profit Business

OFFICE OF RESEARCH & GRADUATE STUDIES

UIW’s graduate programs encourage mastery of scholarly techniques and foster intellectual curiosity expressed in research and independent study. The program addresses degrees for research, toward a doctorate, to meet professional requirements, and for personal enrichment and public service.

DEAN: Dr. Osman Ozturgut
• Graduate education
• Higher education
• International development
• Politics, economics, culture, society, education in China
• Cross-cultural issues
• Government, higher education, and industry collaboration
• International organizations
• Immigration

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- Acculturation
- International students
- International education
- Culture
- Cultural competency
- Evaluation
- Triple Helix Program

ROSENBERG SCHOOL OF OPTOMETRY (RSO)

DEAN: Dr. Timothy A. Wingert

CLINIC DIRECTOR: Dr. James Chapman, assistant professor

ASSISTANT DEAN FOR STUDENT AFFAIRS: Kristine Benne

Dr. Farshid Amir, assistant professor of optometry (Part-time)
- Contact lens specialist
- Callaghan CommuniCare Clinic

Dr. Russell Coates, instructor of optometry
- Vision therapy and binocular vision services
- Outreach programs

Dr. Diane Farrell, pre-optometry advisor and student organization advisor
- Vision Science Degree
- Student affairs

Dr. Amy Ferguson, senior clinical instructor and deputy director of clinics
- UIW Eye Institute

Dr. Sandra Fortenberry, assistant professor of optometry
- Continuing education
- Professional relations

Dr. Brian Foutch, director of curriculum
- Integrated optometric education

Dr. Srihari Narayanan, associate professor of optometry
- Cornea and dry eye services
- Adult care services

Dr. Raelyn Ottenbreit, senior clinical instructor
- Pediatric comprehensive eye exams,
- Neuro-optometry,
- Vision therapy, InfantSEE,
- Visual processing,
- Visual efficiency

Dr. Joseph Pizzimenti, professor of optometry
- Age-related Macular Degeneration
- Diabetic Retinopathy

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Dr. Jeffrey Rabin, professor of optometry and director of research
  • Visual neurophysiology services

Dr. Toni Racoma, senior clinical instructor
  • Frank Bryant Center

Dr. Kyle Sandberg, senior clinical instructor
  • Refractive surgery and laser services

Dr. Stephanie Schmiedecke, assistant professor of optometry
  • Low vision and rehabilitation services
  • San Antonio Lighthouse for the Blind

Eric Tradup, recruiter and advisor
  • Professional school recruiting and advising
  • Social media

Dr. Jeannette Wong-Powell, senior clinical instructor (Part-time)
  • Kyle CommuniCare clinical

SCHOOL OF MEDIA AND DESIGN

DEAN: Dr. Sharon Welkey

Graphic Design

Michael Clayton, associate professor and program coordinator for graphic design
  • Web design
  • Interactive design

3D Animation & Game Design

Adam Watkins, program coordinator and associate professor of 3D animation and game design
  • Animation
  • Animation history
  • 3D animation
  • Video games
  • 3D video games
  • Mobile games
  • Game development
  • Game design
  • Character design
  • Augmented reality
  • Oculus rift
  • Virtual reality

Computer Information Systems

Phillip Youngblood, program coordinator and instructor of computer information systems
  • Computers and society
  • Distance education
  • Multiuser virtual environments, Second Life

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• Cyberspace security

Communication Arts

Dr. Dora Fitzgerald, assistant professor of communication arts
• Film content and culture
• Print and broadcast journalism
• Video production
• Screenwriting

Dr. Valerie Greenberg, associate professor of communication arts
• Media ethics
• Ethics of women’s portrayal in the media
• New information society

Dr. Trey Guinn, assistant professor & graduate program director
• Presentational Effectiveness
• Professional Communication Skills
• Interpersonal Communication
• Relationship Research
• Crisis Communication
• Leadership Training & Development
• Team Development & Group Dynamics

Michael Mercer, senior instructor of communication arts; Logos student newspaper adviser
• Journalism
• Diversity of media
• Media ethics
• Mainstreaming coverage

Hank McDonnell, program director of communication arts and senior instructor; KUIW and UIWTV adviser
• Video and audio productions
• New media technology

Dr. John Perry, professor of communication arts / Moody Professor
• Speech and writing
• Impression management

Dr. Zazil Reyes Garcia, assistant professor of communication arts (Spanish)
• Bilingual Communication
• Female politicians in the media
• Visual Communication in Political Cartoons

Fashion Management

Dr. Cathryn Studak, program director and professor of fashion management
• Diversity managerial practices of fashion retailers
• Brand management methods for product presentation
• Brand management strategies for retail store design
• Self-efficacy of students enrolled in applied mathematics coursework

Dr. Melinda Adams, professor of fashion management
• Textile art
• Wearable art

**Dr. Carla Anderson Perez**, associate professor of fashion management
- Pattern making
- Computer-aided design and manufacturing for apparel

**Interior Design**

**Dr. Diana Allison**, program coordinator and associate professor of interior design
- Interior design
- Business Interior design
- Interior color and materials
- Place attachment
- Aging in place and aging on the farm
- Environment and behavior
- Student engagement in learning

**SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICS, SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING (MSE)**

**DEAN:** Dr. Carlos Garcia

**ASSISTANT DEAN:** Dr. Zhanbo Yang, professor of mathematics
- Topology

**Mathematics**

**Dr. Paul Messina**, assistant professor of mathematics
- Military affairs
- Leadership

**Dr. Theresa Martines**, assistant professor of mathematics
- Texas Section Meeting of the Mathematical Association of America
- Sonia Kovalevsky Middle School Mathematics Day
- Gulf States Math Alliance
- Math Club

**Science**

**Dr. Alakananda Ray Chaudhuri**, associate professor of chemistry
- Analytical chemistry
- Chemistry education

**Dr. Julian Davis**, assistant professor of chemistry
- Environmental issues
- Industrial issues
- Chemical warfare

**Dr. Paul David Foglesong**, associate professor of biology
- Microbiology
- Molecular biology

**Dr. Suk Bin Kong**, professor of chemistry

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• Medicinal drugs and pesticides
• Analysis and synthesis
• Toxic waste
• Herbal medicine analysis

Dr. Christy MacKinnon, professor of biology
• Genetics
• Science education

Mike Maguigan, assistant professor of atmospheric science and physics
• Wetlands
• Landslides
• Geography
• Geomorphology
• Biogeography

Dr. Veronica G. Martinez Acosta, assistant professor of biology
• Developmental biology
• Nervous system development
• Regeneration
• Stem cell biology

Dr. Brian McBurnett, associate professor of chemistry
• Inorganic chemistry
• The Science of Tea

Dr. Sreerenjini C. Nair, assistant professor of physics (Malayalam)
• Physics
• Modern Science

Dr. Christopher Pierce, assistant professor of biology
• Medical mycology and antifungal drug development research

Dr. Sara Tallarovic, assistant professor of biology
• Physiology and neurology
• Scorpions and electric fish

Engineering

Dr. Michael Frye, assistant professor of engineering
• Autonomous control
• Aerospace engineering
• Engineering management
• Autonomous Vehicle Systems (AVS) Lab

Daniel Potter, Solar House manager
• Solar House
• Sustainability
• Big Belly waste and recycling station

Dr. Alison Whittemore, professor of engineering
• Civic engineering
• AutoCad drafting
• Federal and state trade resources

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Nutrition

Dr. Joseph Bonilla, associate professor of nutrition
- Food and nutrition in disease
- Hunger and food safety

Dr. Beth Senne-Duff, associate professor of nutrition
- Obesity
- Diets
- General and child nutrition
- Nutrition supplements

Dr. Neeta Singh, associate professor of nutrition
- Nutrition and management
- Computer science
- International nutrition issues

Meteorology

Dr. Gerald Mulvey, meteorology instructor
- Meteorology
- Remote Sensing
- Weather Modification
- Climate Change
- Satellite Meteorology

SCHOOL OF NURSING AND HEALTH PROFESSIONS

DEAN: Dr. Mary Hoke
- Nursing education

Nursing

Dr. Irene Gilliland, RN, instructor of nursing
- Palliative care
- Hospice
- Aromatherapy
- Study abroad

Michael Moon, MSN, RN, instructor of nursing
- Emergency nursing
- Critical care nursing

Dr. Julie Nadeau, instructor of nursing
- Breastfeeding
- Early discharge following childbirth

Dr. Monica Ramirez, RN, assistant professor of nursing
- Medical surgery

Cynthia Richardson, MSN, RN, instructor of nursing
- Army nursing
- Volunteering for chapels
• Support groups

Dr. Kathleen Tilton, assistant professor
• Diabetes
• Diabetes care
• Diabetes self-management education
• Integration of care of patients with chronic illness into nursing curriculum
• Preparation of BSN students to enter professional practice in various environments of care

Cynthia Voyce, Clinical Learning Center coordinator
• American Lung Association Lung Force 5K
• Walk Planning Committee

Dr. Sarah Williams, associate professor of nursing
• Nursing education

Medical Technology

Norma Green, director of nuclear medicine
• Nuclear medicine technology

Human Performance

Heather Barton-Weston, instructor of human performance
• Health and Wellness
• Individual participation to health and wellness
• Motivational constructs and barriers to participation in different aspects of health and wellness
• Difference between health and wellness
• Health education
• Health interventions
• Employee wellness

Dr. William Carleton, professor of human performance
• Motor development for children
• Wellness and physical fitness
• Physical education
• Active lifestyle

Dr. Gregory J. Soukup Sr., associate professor of kinesiology
• Obesity
• Exercise motivation
• Sport
• Physical education

Athletic Training / Sports Medicine

Shandra Esparza, assistant professor of athletic training education
• Sports medicine
• Rehabilitation

Dr. Randall Griffiths, assistant professor sport management
• Volunteerism
Youth Sport
Sport Development

Sports (see separate Athletics section)

SCHOOL OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE

Note: Inquiries for the medical school will be handled on a case-by-case basis and the Communications & Marketing Office will forward all requests to FOUNDING DEAN: Dr. Robyn Phillips-Madson.

ASSOCIATE DEAN: Dr. Thomas Mohr, associate dean for graduate medical education

ASSOCIATE DEAN: Dr. Shafik Dharamsi, professor and founding associate dean of social accountability, professionalism and community and global engagement (speaks Gujarati)

ASSISTANT DEAN: Dr. Ramona Parker, assistant dean of med/interpersonal education

ASSOCIATE DEAN: Andrea Cyterski, associate dean of admissions

SCHOOL OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

FOUNDING DEAN: Dr. Caroline Goulet

ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR ACADEMIC AFFAIRS: Dr. Stephen Goffar
• School of Physical Therapy
• Physical Therapy Profession

ASSISTANT DEAN: Dr. Lisa McDougle
• Student affairs to include programming, judicial affairs & student advocacy

Dr. Nathaniel Brown, assistant professor of physical therapy
• Orthopedic Physical Therapy
• Injury Prevention and Wellness
• Cultural Competency in Physical Therapy

Dr. Roberto Sandoval, assistant professor of physical therapy
• HIV/AIDS
• Function
• Physical Outcome Measures
• Physical Therapy

Dr. Jason Winchester, associate professor of physical therapy
• Exercise
• Strength and Conditioning
• Flexibility
• Fitness

Physical Therapy Library

Anthony Micchelli, physical therapy librarian
• Library and Information Resources
SCHOOL OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

The School of Professional Studies (SPS) consists of two alternative educational programs: School of Professional Studies (formerly School of Extended Studies, ADCaP) and the School of Online Learning (VU).

SPS, formerly ADCaP and established in 1995, extends the benefits of undergraduate education to adult students unable to attend during the day. There are five convenient locations in San Antonio and one in Corpus Christi and Killeen. UIW works with community colleges to ensure smooth transfer of credits, and financial aid and veteran's benefits are available.

DEAN: Vince Porter
- Higher education
- Remote educational facilities
- Adult continuing education and training leading to certificates

Dr. Jack Phan, assistant professor of criminal justice
- Asian Street Gangs
- Asian Organized Crime
- Comparative Criminology
- Ethics of Law Enforcement
- Patrol and Special Operations
- Prison Educational Training
- Probation/Parole Procedures
- Workforce Development

School of Online Learning

UIW’s School of Online Learning offers electronic degree programs that can be pursued remotely at any time of day or night. Its accelerated format allows students to achieve degrees quickly. The program has received recognition for excellence in assisting military personnel with achieving their educational goals. Instructors are fully accredited and degrees meet employer expectations.

DEAN: Dr. Mitchell Seal
- Higher Education
- Online degree programs
- Adult learners
- Educational administration
- Health care
- Music

STUDENT SERVICES

Sandy McMakin, dean of student success
- Retention
- Programs for at-risk students, tutoring, success strategies
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- Advising
- First Year programs
- Career Services

Dr. Renee Moore, associate dean of judicial affairs
- Campus life and student affairs
- Student discipline
- Residence life
- Leadership

Paul Ayala, director of campus engagement
- University events and student programs
- Student Government Association (SGA)
- Student campus activities
- Student organizations

Diane Sanchez, director of residence life
- Residence life and student services
- Residence halls
- Meal plans

Cristina Ariza, director of the learning assistance center
- Teaching and tutoring
- Assistance in accounting, finance and time management
- Study skill diagnostics

Dr. Amanda Johnston, director writing and learning center
- Writing consultation
- Writing workshops and resources

Amy Carcanagues, director of financial assistance
- Financial aid

Cristen Alicea, assistant director of financial assistance
- Financial assistance
- Affordability
- Student loans
- Scholarship options

VETERANS AFFAIRS

Adriana Leal, director of center for veterans affairs and VA certification official
- Veteran/military academic advising
- Veterans benefits

OTHER CONTACTS

Alumni and Parent Relations

Dr. Lisa McNary, dean of alumni and parent relations
- Alumni & parent relations
Leadership
- Strategic planning
- Communications
- Giving back

Library Services

DEAN: Dr. Cheryl Anderson
- Instructional technology
- Higher education administration
- Library services

Multimedia

Adela Gott, multimedia specialist
- Digitizing
- Videotaping
- Software training

John Miller, convergent media manager
- Online media
- Website management
- Multimedia use

MISCELLANEOUS (other areas with possible expert availability)

Foundation, Corporate & Government Relations

Jon Gillespie, director

Armando Saliba, associate director

Facilities Management (construction, landscaping, sustainability, etc.)

Steve Heying, director of facilities management

Faculty Services (Faculty workshops, individual faculty consultations, faculty development activities, etc.)

Center for Teaching & Learning

Dr. Susan Hall, professor and director of Center for Teaching and Learning (CLT)

Human Resources

Annette Thompson, director of human resources

Registrar (commencement, registration, academic calendar, etc.)

Dr. Bobbye Fry, registrar

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