

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE
FACULTY OF THE UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO**

Wednesday, September 20, 2017
3:00-4:30pm (pt) 4:00-5:30pm (mt)
Moscow – Vandal Ballroom Bruce M. Pitman Center; Boise – IWC 248A; Coeur d'Alene – 213;
Idaho Falls – 350A; Twin Falls – B-66

Provost and Executive Vice President John Wiencek Presiding (standing in for President Chuck Staben)

- **Call to Order**
- **In Memoriam**
- **Minutes** Meeting of May 2, 2017
- **Announcements**
- **Special Orders**

Introduction of New Faculty Members & Recognition of 2017 Promoted/Tenured Faculty

Each college dean and the Provost and Executive Vice President will introduce new members of the faculty by name and unit. Faculty who were promoted/tenured this year will also be recognized.

- **President's Remarks**
- **Discussion**
- **Adjournment**

Light refreshments will be available at the meeting.

Liz Brandt
Secretary of the Faculty
<http://www.webpages.uidaho.edu/facultycouncil>
(885-6151)

NOTE: 107 faculty members (both on- and off-campus) constitute a quorum. Quorum and voting regulations can be viewed at [FSH 1520 Article III](#). To determine your voting right as a faculty member please see [FSH 1520 Article II Section I](#). Those who are recognized by the president for the purpose of speaking should identify themselves by name and discipline or position.

University of Idaho

A LEGACY OF LEADING

IN MEMORIAM

for
University Faculty Meeting
September 20, 2017

This listing was compiled by the Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President, September 15, 2017, for the dates April 1, 2017 through September 19, 2017. Faculty omitted will be recognized on the listing prepared for the next University Faculty Meeting.

James H. Cooley

Professor Emeritus of Chemistry
-May 2017-



Samantha Ramsay

Associate Professor of Family and
Consumer Sciences
-July 2017-



Mark E. DeSantis

Professor Emeritus of Zoology
-September 2017-



Lorin W. Roberts

Professor Emeritus of Botany
-April 2017-



Alfred (Fred) W. Jensen

Professor Emeritus in Foreign
Languages and Literatures
-April, 2017-



Norman R. Logan

Professor Emeritus in Music
-April, 2017-



Dwaine J. Marten

Professor Emeritus in Physical
Education
-March, 2017-



William McLaughlin

Professor Emeritus of Conservation
Social Sciences
-September 2017-



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NEW FACULTY AND ADMINISTRATORS, 2017-18

This listing includes new members of the faculty/administration for the beginning of the fall semester and was compiled by the Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President, **September 30, 2017** as provided in the *Faculty Staff Handbook 1540E*. Faculty whose employment occurs after this date will be acknowledged on the 2018-19 listing.

ADMINISTRATION

CARNEY, Ginger, Dean and Professor, Department of Biological Sciences, College of Science (Ph.D., 1998, University of Georgia; B.S., 1991, University of Georgia)
Office: Mines 321 Phone: (208) 885-6195

Dr. Carney joins the University of Idaho from Texas A&M University, where she was a faculty member in Biological Sciences and Associate Dean for Assessment and College Climate. Dr. Carney began working for Texas A&M in 2004 as Assistant Professor in Biological Sciences, moving to Associate Professor in 2010. She was an Associate Dean for the College of Science at Texas A&M for three years before joining us at UI as the Dean for the College of Science.

CASTRO, Cynthia, Director of Student Success Initiatives, Strategic Enrollment Management (M.S., 2004, University of New Mexico; B.A., 2002, University of Arizona)
Office: Idaho Commons, Room 311 Phone: (208) 885-7203

Ms. Castro joined the UI in January 2016 as the Academic Support Programs director. As of July 2017 was appointed Director of Student Success Initiatives. She has oversight of Academic Support Programs including Tutoring & College Success, Student Support TRiO and Student-Athlete Support Services. In addition she provides leadership for Advising Services. Ms. Castro has over 15 years in higher education, most recently as the Associate Director of Academic Services at Washington State University.

FISHER, Joy, Executive Director, University of Idaho Foundation (M.B.A., 1992, Washington State University; B.S., 1981, University of Idaho)
Office: Mary E. Forney Hall, Room 102 Phone: (208) 885-4000

Ms. Fisher has served the University of Idaho for 35 years, most recently serving as the director of finance for the Foundation, a role she has held since 2010. Her career at UI began in 1982, and she has held finance and accounting positions in the Student Union/ASUI, Controller's Office and Business and Accounting Services.

GERRY, Bobbi, Assistant Vice Provost, Strategic Enrollment Management (M.B.A., 2006, Franklin Pierce University; B.A., 2004, Franklin Pierce University)
Office: Bruce Pitman Center, Room 117 Phone: (208) 885-7331

Ms. Gerry joined the UI as the Assistant Vice Provost for Strategic Enrollment Management in May 2017. She has oversight of Admissions from Recruitment to Application including Campus Events, Tours and New Student Orientation. In addition Ms. Gerry provides leadership for our Distance & Extended Education programs, Dual Credit, Summer Session, Independent Study in Idaho and will be working to help grow our online capabilities. Ms. Gerry has 20 years in leadership experience, most recently as the executive director of the International University Transfer Program through Navitas at the University of New Hampshire.

GHIMIRE, Nav, Associate Director of Extension and Professor, Department of Agricultural and Extension Education, College of Agricultural and Life Sciences
(Ph.D., 2010, Iowa State University; M.S., 2005, University of Melbourne, Australia; B.A., 1988, Tribhuvan University, Nepal)
Office: UI Boise Center, Suite 180 Phone: (208) 364-4056

As the Associate Director of Extension, Dr. Ghimire will provide administrative and evaluation leadership for Extension faculty and staff statewide. Dr. Ghimire previously worked for University of Wisconsin Extension serving as a county-based faculty member and an evaluation specialist.

GOEBEL, P., Department Head and Professor, Department of Forest, Rangeland and Fire Sciences, College of Natural Resources
(Ph.D., 2001, Michigan Technological University; M.S., 1995, Ohio State University; B.S., 1993, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University)
Office: Natural Resources Bldg. 204A Phone: (208) 885-7311

Dr. Goebel joins us as a full professor and Department Head of the Department of Forest, Rangeland and Fire Sciences. He comes to the University of Idaho from Ohio State University where he was a professor of Forest Ecosystem Restoration and Ecology and most recently served as Interim Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Education for the College of Food, Agriculture, and Environmental Science.

HENDRICKS, Cher, Vice Provost for Academic Initiatives and Associate Professor, Department of Leadership and Counseling, College of Education, Health and Human Services
(Ph.D., 1998, University of South Carolina; M.Ed., 1992, University of Houston; B.A., 1989, Baylor University)
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Prior to joining the UI in July 2017, Dr. Hendricks served as Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs and the Founding Director of the Center for Teaching & Learning at the University of West Georgia. Past positions include assessment and accreditation coordinator and interim director of the Ed.D program in School Improvement, both in the College of Education. For three years, she worked at Georgia Tech as a Research Scientist in the Center for Education Integrating Science, Math, and Computing. In her current role at the UI she will provide valuable leadership, expand academic programs, seek to provide pathways that engage and retain students, investigate new curricular structures, grow the Honors and Undergraduate Research programs, and seek to continually improve General Education.

HIMES, Katherine, Director, James A. and Louise McClure Center for Public Policy Research (Ph.D., 2007, University of Minnesota; M.B.A., 2001, University of Wisconsin-Madison; B.S., 1999, University of Minnesota)

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With a strong commitment to public service, Dr. Himes has served as an American Association for the Advancement of Science, Science and Technology Policy Fellow and Regional Science & Technology Advisor at the U.S. Agency for International Development to support U.S. foreign policy broadly. Currently, she is a special advisor and adjunct faculty member at The Evergreen State College, teaching in the Master of Public Administration program and leading a college wide strategic initiative on entrepreneurship. She is also a Foreign Policy Interrupted Fellow, focused on authoring international science policy pieces. Her public service career began in the Provost Office at the University of Minnesota.

JOHNSON, Barry, Director, Military Student Services and Partnership, Strategic Enrollment Management

(M.A., 2010, U.S. Naval War College; M.A., 1996, Washington State University; B.S., 1986, Lewis-Clark State College)

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Phone: (208) 885-6229

Mr. Johnson joined the UI in July 2017 as the new Military Student Services and Partnership Director. As a retired Army colonel, he comes to us with over 30 years of leadership, managerial, and military experience. He provides staff leadership for the Navy, Army and Air Force ROTC departments, as well as Veteran Services and the Operation Education scholarship program for disabled veterans. He also develops partnerships with a breadth of military and veteran programs outside the university to build an exceptional education environment for veterans, military members and their families.

KAHLER, Dean, Vice Provost for Strategic Enrollment Management

(Ph.D., 2001, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale; M.P.A., 1992, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale; B.S., 1985, Winona State University)

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Phone: (208) 885-1570

Dr. Kahler joined us in October of 2016 as the Vice Provost for Strategic Enrollment Management, serving as the university's lead in enrollment marketing, recruitment, and retention efforts. He comes to us with more than 20 years higher education enrollment management experience, most recently from the University of Arkansas at Little Rock, where he served as Vice Chancellor.

KOLOK, Alan, Director, Idaho Water Resources Research Institute (IWRRRI), Office of Research and Economic Development and Professor, Department of Fish and Wildlife Sciences, College of Natural Resources

(Ph.D., 1991, University of Colorado; M.S., 1982, University Washington; B.S., 1978, Miami University)

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Dr. Kolok serves as the Director of the Idaho Water Resources Research Institute which is a nationally recognized research institute focused on integrated water-based human and biophysical systems. He comes to us from the University of Nebraska, where he was the director of the Nebraska Watershed Network at Nebraska-Omaha and the Center for Environmental Health and Toxicology at the Nebraska Medical Center. He has over 30 years of academic and professional experience and has published widely in the fields of aquatic toxicology, water and public health, and fish physiology and biochemistry.

LEWIS, Edwin, Department Head and Professor, Department of Entomology, Plant Pathology and Nematology, College of Agricultural and Life Sciences
(Ph.D., 1991, Auburn University; M.S., 1987, University of Missouri; B.S., 1980, Cornell University)
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Dr. Lewis comes to the University of Idaho from the University of California Davis, where he served in several different administrative roles including most recently as Associate Dean for Agricultural Sciences in the College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences. His research seeks to understand the impacts of agricultural practices on populations of pests and beneficial organisms. Studies of behavior, population ecology, community ecology and evolutionary biology with several groups of insects, nematodes and bacteria are important aspects of his research activities. He also serves as Editor-in-Chief of the scientific journal Biological Control.

SMENTKOWSKI, Brian, Director, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning and Professor, Department of Politics and Philosophy, College of Letters, Arts and Social Sciences
(Ph.D., 1994, University of Kentucky, M.A., 1990, University of Kentucky, B.A., 1988, Marshall University)
Office: Education Building, Room 223 Phone: (208) 885-0967

Dr. Smentkowski joins UI from Queens University of Charlotte in North Carolina, where he served as director for the Center for the Advancement of Faculty Excellence. He is co-editor of "To Improve the Academy: A Journal of Educational Development" and has 24 years of experience in higher education, 17 of them in academic leadership. He is a leading figure in faculty and educational development with over 70 published works and hundreds of presentations. Dr. Smentkowski will provide excellent leadership for the newly formed Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning (CETL).

INTERNAL CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTAL ADMINISTRATORS

ANDERSON, John W.; Program Head, Virtual Technology and Design, College of Art and Architecture

AWWAD-RAFFERTY, Rula; Interim Program Head, Interior Design, College of Art and Architecture

BAKER, Leslie; Department Chair, Geological Sciences and Geography, College of Science

CANNON, John; Interim Department Chair, Department of Curriculum and Instruction, College of Education, Health and Human Sciences

CORRY, Shauna; Interim Dean, College of Art and Architecture

DILLION, Lee; Associate Dean, College of Law, Boise

DOUMIT, Matt; Associate Dean, College of Agricultural and Life Sciences

DOYLE, Casey; Interim Head, Art and Design, College of Art and Architecture (Fall 2017 Only)

ETHEREDGE, Stacy; Associate Director, Law Library, College of Law

HANSEN, Lyle; District Director, Central District, UI Extension, College of Agricultural and Life Sciences

HART, Patricia; Interim Director, School of Journalism and Mass Media, College of Letters, Arts and Social Sciences

HENRICH, Kristin; Program Head, User and Research Services, University Libraries

HUBBS, Graham; Department Chair, Department of Politics and Philosophy, College of Letters, Arts, and Social Sciences

KELLY-RILEY, Diane; Associate Dean, College of Letters, Arts, and Social Sciences

JOHNSON-MAYNARD, Jodi; Department Head, Soil and Water Systems, College of Agricultural and Life Sciences

KITCHEL, Allen; Associate Dean, College of Education, Health and Human Sciences

LAWRENCE, Torrey; Associate Dean, College of Letters, Arts, and Social Sciences

LONG, Jerry; Associate Dean, College of Law

MCGUIRE, Mark; Associate Dean, College of Agricultural and Life Sciences

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

MCMURTRY, Jerry; Dean, College of Graduate Studies

ROHEIM, Cathy; Senior Associate Dean, College of Agricultural and Life Sciences

REINEKE, Sandra; Director, Honors Program

SCOTT, Elizabeth; Program Head, Landscape Architecture, College of Art and Architecture

SHOOK, Steven; Associate Dean, College of Natural Resources

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

SPENCER, Marnie; District Director, Eastern District, College of Agricultural and Life Sciences

STEVENSON, Jeanne; Vice Provost for Faculty

TURNER-RAHMAN, Greg; Program Head, Art and Design, College of Art and Architecture (On sabbatical Fall 2017)

WARNER, Mark; Associate Dean, College of Letters, Arts, and Social Sciences

WOLF, Brian; Department Chair, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, College of Letters, Arts, and Social Sciences

WULFHORST, JD; Director, Environmental Science Program, College of Natural Resources

NEW FACULTY

(ALPHA BY COLLEGE AND THEN DEPT.)

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL AND LIFE SCIENCES

Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology

DU, Xiaoxue, Assistant Professor of Agricultural Economics
(Ph.D., 2017, University of California at Berkeley; M.S., 2012, University of Idaho; B.M., 2006, Tianjin Institute of Urban Construction, China)
Office: Agricultural Science Bldg., Room 39D Phone: (208) 885-4277

Dr. Du recently completed her Ph.D. in Agricultural and Resource Economics from UC Berkeley. Her research interests include the economics of Crop Insurance and International trade.

LU, Liang, Assistant Professor of Agricultural Economics
(Ph.D., 2017, University of California at Berkeley; M.S., 2012, University of Idaho; M.A., 2009, Nankai University, China; B.S., 2006, Yanshan University, China)
Office: Agricultural Science Bldg., Room 27 Phone: (208) 885-5849

Dr. Lu recently completed his Ph.D. in Agricultural and Resource Economics from UC Berkeley. His research interests include Supply Chain Design, Production Economics, and Contract Theory.

MAAS, Alexander, Assistant Professor of Agricultural Economics
(Ph.D., 2016, Colorado State University; M.S., 2011, University of Connecticut; B.S., 2006, Boston University)

Office: Agricultural Science Bldg., Room 39C

Phone: (208) 885-5786

Dr. Maas completed his Ph.D. in Agricultural and Resource Economics at Colorado State University. He comes to us from CSU where he was a Research Scientist for the One Water Solutions Institute.

Animal and Veterinary Science

COLLE, Michael, Research Assistant Professor in Animal and Veterinary Science
(Ph.D., 2017, University of Idaho; M.S., 2014, University of Idaho; B.S., 2011, University of Wisconsin-River Falls)

Office: Agricultural Science Bldg., Room TBD

Phone: To be determined

After a year with Jenny O Turkey as a Food Technologist, Dr. Colle joins the Department of Animal and Veterinary Science at the University of Idaho. He brings several years of experience in research and instruction surrounding the Meat Science field. Dr. Colle joins the Department of Animal and Veterinary Science as a Meat Scientist; working in research and teaching.

KONETCHY, Denise, Assistant Professor in Animal and Veterinary Science
(M.P.H., 2017, University of Iowa; D.V.M., 1986, Washington State University; B.S., 1984, Washington State University)

Office: Agricultural Science Bldg., Room 216

Phone: (208) 885-7390

Dr. Konetchy comes to the UI from a rural Large and Small Animal Veterinary Practice. She is a diplomat member of the American College of Veterinary Preventative Medicine (DACVPM). She's responsible for Small Ruminant health/disease prevention on campus. In addition, Dr. Konetchy will instruct and provide educational experiences for undergrads up to 4th year Veterinary Students in Small Ruminant health and disease management/prevention.

Eastern Extension District

GAMETT, Brad J., Assistant Professor, Extension Educator

(M.A., 2010, Idaho State University; B.S., 2001, Idaho State University)

Office: Butte County Extension Office

Phone: (208) 527-8587

Prior to becoming an Extension Educator in January 2017, Mr. Gamett worked as the Butte County Weed Superintendent in Arco, Idaho, since 2003. Mr. Gamett has a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration and a Master's Degree in Geographic Information Systems, both from Idaho State University. He will provide leadership and programs in agriculture and community economic development.

Entomology, Plant Pathology, and Nematology

LUCKHART, Shirley, Research Professor of Entomology

(Ph.D., 1995, Rutgers University; M.S., 1990, Auburn University; B.S., 1986, University of Florida)

Office: Life Sciences South, Room 262

Phone: (208) 885-1698

Dr. Luckhart comes to us from the faculty of the School of Medicine at the University of California Davis, where she led several efforts to study the causes of and solutions to infectious diseases. She is an expert in arthropod-borne infectious diseases. Her major focus is malaria, including innate immunity in the mosquito and mammalian host and interventions to block both disease and transmission.

Food Science

KRONENBERG, Jeff P., Clinical Assistant Professor in School of Food Science

(M.S., 1983, Cornell University; B.S., 1980, Western Washington University)

Office: UI Boise Center, Room 242

Phone: (208)364-4937

Mr. Kronenberg has provided instruction for industry stakeholders in Idaho and across the country on food safety, quality management systems, food processing technologies and lean manufacturing. He is active with national organizations on curriculum development for nationwide food safety training. In addition, he provides direct technical assistance to companies across the region so that they can improve their operations and remain leaders in the global food marketplace.

Margaret Ritchie School of Family and Consumer Sciences

CHAPMAN, Erin, Clinical Assistant Professor in Child Family Consumer Studies

(Ph.D., 2009, Iowa State University; M.S., 2004, Iowa State University; B.A., 2001, University of Northern Iowa)

Dr. Chapman has been with the University of Idaho since 2010 and recently accepted a position as a Clinical Assistant Professor. Her areas of specialty include human development, sexuality education, healthy relationships, parent-child relations and family communication and research methods in social science.

ERICKSON, Luke, Associate Professor, Extension Specialist in Finance

(Ph.D., pending, Idaho State University; M.S., 2006, Utah State University; B.S., 2004, Brigham Young University; A.A., 1998, Ricks College)

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Phone: To be determined

Mr. Erickson is not new to the University of Idaho, but is in a new position. He accepted the position as Extension Specialist, Personal and Family Finance, and Associate Professor. Mr. Erickson served as the County Educator in Madison County since 2006. He received tenure and promotion to Associate Professor in 2011. His new position starts in October and will be located at the UI Boise Center.

Northern Extension District

DEPHELPS, Colette, Assistant Professor, Area Extension Educator-Community Food Systems (M.S., 1994, Washington State University; B.S., 1991, Western Washington University)
Office: Agricultural Science Bldg., Room 333 Phone: (208) 885-4003

Ms. DePhelps role is to provide overall leadership and facilitation for collaborative, multidisciplinary and multifaceted education and applied research in Community Food Systems and Small Farms for the ten-county area of northern Idaho. Previously, she worked as a food systems and organizational development consultant and Executive Director/Special Projects Director for Rural, Roots, Inc. (a member-based small farm organization located in Moscow, ID). Her areas of expertise include: community food systems, small farms, local foods marketing, facilitation, project design, evaluation, strategic planning, leadership and team development.

Plant Sciences

MA, Rong(Rachel), Research Assistant Professor in Plant Sciences (Ph.D., 2014, University of Illinois; M.S., 2010, Nankai University, China; B.S., 2007, Hebei University, China)
Office: Agricultural Science Bldg. 325B Phone: (208) 885-6009

Dr. Ma joins the UI Weed Science program after completing her Ph.D. and a post-doc at the University of Illinois. As a plant physiologist, her research focus is on the biochemical and molecular mechanisms that are responsible for the development of herbicide resistance in weeds. Dr. Ma will teach courses in plant physiology and the mechanisms of herbicide activity.

Soil and Water Systems

KAYLER, Zachary, Assistant Professor in Watershed Nutrient Management (Ph.D., 2009, Oregon State University; M.S., 2004, University of California Berkeley; B.S., 2001, University of California, Berkeley)
Office: Agricultural Science Bldg., Room 114 Phone: (208) 885-5616

Before joining the University of Idaho, Dr. Kayler worked as a Research Biologist with the USDA Forest Service and was a Visiting Scientist with the Center for Accelerator Mass Spectrometry, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory. His past research has been focused on the use of stable isotopes to measure water and nutrient fluxes across landscape elements. Dr. Kayler will apply his experience to quantify nutrient flows and retention in agroecosystems and will teach a course in watershed nutrient management.

STRICKLAND, Michael, Research Assistant Professor of Microbial Ecology (Ph.D., 2009, University of Georgia; B.A., 2005, William Jewell College)
Office: Agricultural Science Bldg., Room 109 Phone: (208) 885-0960

Dr. Strickland came to the University of Idaho from Virginia Tech where he was Assistant Professor of Biological Sciences. After earning his PhD in Ecology, he completed a 3-year post-doc at Yale University. His past research has focused on linking microbial community structure

to processes including litter decomposition and nutrient cycling. Dr. Strickland will be responsible for teaching a senior/graduate level course in microbial ecology.

WHEELER, Tadd, Instructor in Soil and Water Systems
(Ph.D., 2014, University of Idaho; B.S., 2008, University of Washington)
Office: James Martin Laboratory 63 Phone: (208) 885-0704

Dr. Wheeler completed his Ph.D. on nutrient cycling processes in riparian systems. He is responsible for teaching beginning and advanced welding and small engines and helps facilitates FFA, Ag. Mech. competitions.

Southern Extension District

AMENDE, Jacqueline R., Assistant Professor in Family and Consumer Science, Extension Educator
(M.S., 2016, Saint Louis University; B.S., 2015, University of Idaho)
Office: Canyon County Extension Office Phone: (208) 459-6003

Ms. Amende provides leadership and programs for Family and Consumer Sciences programs in Canyon County. Work experience includes four semesters as a student intern for UI 4-H Up for the Challenge (Coeur d'Alene), School District Food Service Management (Ontario, OR), West Central Community Center WIC (Spokane, WA), St. Alphonsus Clinical Dietetics (Ontario, OR) and Nutrition Advisor for Eat Smart Idaho (SNAP-Ed and Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program, EFNEP). Ms. Amende is a Registered Dietician Nutritionist (RDN) and has expressed a passion for community nutrition.

JOHNSON, Carrie R., Assistant Professor in 4-H Youth Development, Extension Educator
(M.S., 2012, University of Idaho; B.S., 2006, University of Idaho)
Office: Canyon County Extension Office Phone: (208) 459-6003

Ms. Johnson comes to us from the University of Idaho, Gem County Extension Office where she previously served as the 4-H Program Coordinator for Gem and Boise Counties, the Annie's Project Coordinator, and the 4-H Fair Secretary. As a nine-year member of 4-H in Gem County, she was inspired to go to the University of Idaho and is a first-generation college student.

MANKER, Gretchen L., Assistant Professor in Family and Consumer Sciences, Extension Educator
(M.S., 1993, University of New Mexico; B.S., 1988, University of Wyoming)
Office: Jerome County Extension Office Phone: (208) 324-7578

Ms. Manker provides leadership and programs for Family and Consumer Sciences programs in Jerome County. She spent 16 years as a Nutrition Advisor for the Extension Nutrition Program (ENP) and Eat Smart Idaho (SNAP-Ed and Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program, EFNEP). Ms. Manker has provided nutrition instruction and training for diverse audiences throughout the Magic Valley and brings a wealth of teaching experience to this position.

MILLS, Rebecca, Instructor, Associate Extension Educator
(M.A., 2008, Oklahoma State University; B.S., 2004, Brigham Young University)
Office: UI Boise Center, Suite 190 Phone: (208) 364-4579

Ms. Mills comes to UI Extension with 11+ years of Extension experience with previous roles in 4-H (Oregon State University Extension) and 4-H/Family & Consumer Sciences (Utah State University Extension). Ms. Mills holds a Bachelor's Degree in Animal Science/Ag Business and a Master's Degree in Agricultural Education and looks forward to helping Idaho produce growers meet the challenges related to the Produce Safety Rule of the Food Safety Modernization Act (FSMA). Her position is made possible by a four-year collaborative Food and Drug Administration grant with the Idaho State Department of Agriculture (ISDA).

MORRISROE-AMAN, Bridget, Assistant Professor in Family and Consumer Sciences, Extension Educator
(M.A., 2011, Boise State University; B.A., 1998, Boise State University)
Office: Ada County Extension Office Phone: (208) 287-5900

Ms. Morrisroe-Aman provides leadership and programs for Family and Consumer Sciences programs in Ada County. She spent five years as a UI CYFAR grant program coordinator and ten years with the Extension Nutrition Program (ENP) and Eat Smart Idaho (SNAP-Ed and Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program, EFNEP) as a Southern District/District II program coordinator. She has broad connections with many health-related agencies and organizations throughout the Treasure Valley that will enhance her Food and Nutrition Extension programs.

STOKES, Bradley, Assistant Professor in Irrigated Cropping Systems, Extension Educator
(M.S., 2012, University of Idaho; B.S., 2008, University of Idaho)
Office: Elmore County Extension Office Phone: (208) 587-2136

Mr. Stokes provides leadership and programs for cropping systems in Elmore County. He spent three years as a UI Extension IPM Assistant and most recently worked at ISDA as a Senior Agricultural Investigator. He is an avid insect collector and has a strong IPM (Integrated Pest Management) background.

TATE, Kimberly, Instructor, Associate Extension Educator
(B.A., 2014, Boise State University)
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Ms. Tate will be developing educational materials for the statewide Pest Management and Pesticide Safety Education Program to train pesticide safety applicators and Master Gardeners. She is planning to launch a new online presence for UI Extension pesticide safety education. Ms. Tate worked for six years as the Master Gardener Program Assistant in the Ada County Extension office and brings a lot of experience and expertise on educating homeowners and ornamental pesticide applicators.

4-H Youth Development

TOOMEY, M. Maureen, Assistant Professor of Healthy Living, Area Extension Educator
(M.Ed., 1993, University of Idaho; B.A., 1983, University of Utah; B.S., 1981, University of Utah)
Office: Caldwell Research & Extension Center, Ste. A-B Phone: (208) 454-7648

Ms. Toomey is an experienced youth development leader with an unwavering commitment to Idaho families and youth. She directs the Idaho 4-H healthy living program building strong

partnerships within and outside the university. She has diverse experiences working with rural communities and directing outreach to Latino youth and families.

MELVILLE, Nancy S., Assistant Professor of Volunteer Leadership Development, Area Extension Educator

(M.A., 2001, University of San Francisco; B.A., 1974, College of Idaho)

Office: Caldwell Research & Extension Center, Ste. A-B Phone: (208) 454-6556

Ms. Melville provides state-wide leadership to 4-H Volunteer Leadership Development. She is responsible for statewide training in best practices of volunteerism, youth development and conflict resolution. She collaborates with organizations and agencies to enhance volunteer systems. As a career school administrator, Ms. Melville brings valuable experience and knowledge to help develop curriculum and training for faculty, staff and volunteers.

COLLEGE OF ART AND ARCHITECTURE

Architecture

LAWRENCE, Scott, Assistant Professor of Architecture

(M.Arch., 2009, University of Colorado, Denver; B.E.D., 2006, University of Colorado, Boulder)

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Phone: (208) 885-6933

Mr. Lawrence has served as the Lead Designer for Colorado firm Nguyen Lawrence Architecture, working on restaurant, retail and residential projects. He is also the Co-Founder and President of Immersion Workshop, a Colorado not-for-profit organization, which attracts an international group of participants and coordinates in-residence design workshops focused on context specific design to advance students and allied professionals.

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

Accounting

CHEN, Linda, Assistant Professor of Accounting

(Ph.D., 2009, University of Arizona; M.A., 1991, Dalhousie University; B.A., 1989, Nanjing University, China)

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Phone: (208) 885-7153

Dr. Chen joins the University from Washington State University's Carson College of Business. Her background also includes faculty position at the University of Massachusetts-Boston.

Business

MARTIN, Todd, Instructor of Operations Management

(Ph.D., pending, Washington State University; M.Acct., 2011; University of Idaho; B.S., 2010, University of Idaho)

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Phone: (208) 885-7506

Mr. Martin is currently finishing his Ph.D. in Business Administration – Information Systems at Washington State University where he was a Teaching Assistant in the Carson College of Business. He has also worked for The Bon Marche and a couple of small firms in the finance industry. Mr. Martin has been with the UI's College of Business and Economics since 2014.

NALLE, Darek, Instructor of Finance

(Ph.D., 2001, Oregon State University; M.S., 1998, Oregon State University; B.S., 1993, Miami University)

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Phone: (208) 885-7342

Dr. Nalle is changing faculty positions at the University in the College of Business and Economics. He is returning to campus after working as a financial consultant and as a Federal official. He was also faculty member in the College of Natural Resources and at the University of Nevada, Reno.

SASAHARA, Akira Sasahara, Assistant Professor of Economics

(Ph.D., 2017, University of California, Davis; M.A., 2011, Hitotsubashi University, Japan; B.A., 2009, Keio University, Japan)

Office: J.A. Albertson Building 219

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Dr. Sasahara joins the College of Business and Economics after completing his Ph.D. in Economics at UC Davis. His research and field study focus included international trade and international macroeconomics. He is originally from Japan, where he received his M.A. and B.A. degrees.

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, HEALTH AND HUMAN SCIENCES

Curriculum & Instruction

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Dr. Bakes has worked extensively in the education field as a superintendent, principal, and teacher in his home state of Idaho. He still resides in Idaho with his wife and three children. Dr. Bakes' interests include reading, travel, hunting, fly fishing, camping, skiing, and photography.

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Ms. Billing comes to us from the College of Western Idaho where she has been instructing teacher preparation courses, computer applications and freshmen orientation courses. She once served as president of the National Association of Community College Teachers

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Dr. Dousay is a Google Certified Innovator with more than 15 years of K20 instructional design and eLearning project management experience. She completed her PhD in Learning, Design, and Technology, and is an assistant professor of Learning Sciences with EHHS. Dr. Dousay emphasizes STEAM-learning, giving attention to art and agriculture and how we empower learners to be interdisciplinary.

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Dr. Ketchum brings over 40 years in education and business and industry training. This includes 20 years as Executive Director of Workforce Training at North Idaho College's Workforce Training Center. Dr. Ketchum served for 10 years as Idaho's representative to the American Association of Community Colleges' Workforce Training State Liaison Network. His board roles have included the National Council for Workforce Education, and Coeur d'Alene's Jobs Plus' Economic Development Association. Dr. Ketchum is CEO of The Ketchum Group, LLC.

MCCONNELL, Melissa, Instructor in Curriculum & Instruction
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Dr. McConnell has served 16 years as university faculty, 12 of those years here at the University of Idaho.

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Dr. McConnell has served 20 years as university faculty, 12 of those years here at the University of Idaho.

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Mr. Quant grew up in Washington, but has traveled extensively. He went into the Navy and has experience in commercial diving, education, computer systems, business, electronics and

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Exercise Science and Health

EGAN, Cate Anne, Assistant Professor in Physical Activity Pedagogy
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Dr. Egan holds a doctorate degree in Physical Education Pedagogy. Her research interests include public-health aligned physical education, comprehensive school physical activity programming, and the Whole School, Whole Community, and Whole Child approaches to increasing physical activity and reducing sedentary time in youth populations.

Leadership & Counseling

MAHFOUZ, Julia, Assistant Professor in Educational Leadership
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Dr. Mahfouz holds a Ph.D. in Educational Leadership with a minor in Curriculum & Instruction and Comparative & International Education from Pennsylvania State University. Her research agenda has been shaped by her experience as an international educator as a high school teacher, principal (K-12), curriculum coordinator, and developer of a summer camp program. Dr. Mahfouz's research interests include exploring the social and emotional dynamics of educational settings and their effect on school climate.

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Dr. Wargo is an educational leader and researcher whose work is aimed at illuminating the humanistic aspects of technology adoption and helping others navigate the thinning line between technology and self. Since 2011, Dr. Wargo has engaged in collaborative research with the International School Research Collaborative and holds a reputation for designing participatory research-informed decision making experiences in school, industry, and government settings.

Movement Sciences

BAILEY, Joshua P., Assistant Professor of Exercise Science and Health
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Dr. Bailey's research identifies gait pattern changes throughout an endurance run, highlighting possible effects of perceived fatigue. He is passionate about cultivating young researchers, as shown by his mentoring numerous undergraduates and high school students as members of his research team. In addition to his passion for research, he and his wife of seven years are excited to share the outdoor lifestyle with their family of two boys and two Chihuahuas.

BAKER, Jayme, Clinical Assistant Professor in the Athletic Training Program
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Dr. Baker holds an undergraduate degree in Kinesiology with an emphasis in athletic training. She has served as the Head Athletic Trainer at Rubidoux High School and as adjunct faculty for the athletic training program and Kinesiology Department at California Baptist University. Dr. Baker and her husband moved to Moscow in 2013, where she served as an adjunct faculty member for Master of Science in Athletic Training program at UI for the past four years, while continuing to serve as adjunct faculty for the Kinesiology program at CBU.

GRINDLEY, Emma, Instructor in Movement Sciences
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Dr. Grindley has worked as an instructor, mental health counselor, advisor, and research assistant. She has travelled across the United States and abroad to pursue both her educational and professional aspirations. She has also served her community as a parks commissioner in Moscow, ID and volunteered at the West Virginia University Hospital.

Special Education

SCHEEF, Andrew, Assistant Professor in Special Education
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Dr. Scheef is an Assistant Professor of Special Education with EHHS and recently completed his Ph.D. in Special Education, and serves as the managing editor of the Journal of International Special Needs Education. He has extensive experience teaching in public schools, received a Fulbright Distinguished Award in Teaching (Singapore), and has been recognized by three divisions of the Council for Exceptional Children (CEC) as an emerging researcher in the field of special education. His research focuses on supporting post-school transition for students with disabilities.

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Biological Engineering

RICHARDSON, Ben, Research Assistant Professor in Biological Engineering

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Postdoctoral Research Associate in Integrative Physiology and Neuroscience at Washington State University from 2014 to August, 2017. Dr. Richardson's research primarily involves the development and use of electrophysiology techniques to evaluate synaptic function and coding properties in the cerebellum and sensory thalamus. As a graduate student in Don Caspary's lab at Southern Illinois University (School of Medicine), he worked on understanding synaptic and coding properties that are altered in the aged auditory thalamus. He went on to be a postdoctoral researcher at the University of Florida with Habibeh Khoshbouei to characterize novel mechanisms regulating the trafficking of neuronal membrane proteins.

Computer Science

BEESTON, Julie, Clinical Assistant Professor in Computer Science

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Senior Software Architect at Lumberworld in Victoria, B.C., Canada from August 2016 to August 2017 and Senior Software Architect at The Islands Trust in Victoria, B.C., Canada from February 2015 to August 2016. Dr. Beeston's areas of expertise are hardware acceleration, 3D computer simulation, 3D video, radiotherapy, telecommunications, object oriented design, and programming languages. She teaches Software Engineering, Database Systems, Data Structures, Digital Logic and Computer Organization, Computer Architecture and Assembly Language, Operating Systems, Systems Analysis, Programming Languages, Object Oriented Programming, and Topics in Computer Science.

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CS Program Manager joint appointment with the University of Idaho and North Idaho College 2016 to 8/2017. Visiting professor at Eastern Washington University in Cheney, WA from 2003 to 2005. Dr. Shovic's areas of expertise are embedded systems, manufacturing robotics, applications of AI Techniques, and entrepreneurship. He has taught Advanced Robotics, Manufacturing Robotics, Systems Software, Theory of Computation, and Analysis of Algorithms.

TOSIC, Predrag, Assistant Professor in Computer Science
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Associate Research Professor at the School of EECS at Washington State University and Data Scientist/Analyst as a consultant. As an early mid-career researcher, Dr. Totic has a unique mix of academic research, industrial and DOE lab R&D experiences. His research interests include data science, machine learning, intelligent agents, large-scale data mining and AI on the one hand, and cyber-physical systems, distributed coordination and control, large-scale complex networks, mathematical models and algorithms for smart energy and other grids.

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R&D Team Leader summers 2012 and 2013 with Beijing HDJC Image Technology Company in Beijing, China. Research Intern from March 2009 thru August 2009 at Pattern Recognition Research Center, HIT, in Harbin, Heilongjiang, China. Dr. Xian's areas of expertise are data topology modeling, biomedical big data analysis, robust data analysis, machine learning, computer vision and image analysis.

Electrical & Computer Engineering

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Assistant Professor at the American University of the Middle East in Al-Eqaila, Kuwait from 9/2014 to 8/2017. Mohamed has taught various EE and CE courses at the undergraduate levels (e.g. Linear Circuit Analysis, Computer Architecture, Control Systems, ASIC Design Laboratory). He has conducted research and has supervised student research and projects in various topics related to embedded systems and communication protocols.

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Assistant Professor from 2/2016 to 8/2017 in the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering at Jackson State University in Jackson, Mississippi. Dr. Lei's areas of expertise are power system operation and control, probabilistic methods applied to power system reliability evaluation, substation automation, and power system protection. He teaches Energy Systems II.

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Engineering Intern 2013 to 2017 at Sandia National Laboratories in Albuquerque, NM and Research Assistant 2013 to 2017 at the University of Wyoming in Laramie, WY. Dr. Roberson's areas of expertise are power system control (wide-area damping using active power modulation such as HVDC, energy storage, etc.), detection and correction of latency in closed-loop controllers, variable loop gain strategies, coupling of distributed systems, energy storage controller technology for smoothing, arbitrage, AGC, etc.), statistical signal processing (estimation/detection theory, Cramer-Rao Lower Bound, saddlepoint approximations and other high-order approximation techniques).

SHIH, Ting-Yen, Assistant Professor in Electrical & Computer Engineering, (Ph.D., 2017, University of Wisconsin-Madison; M.S., 2006, National Chung Cheng University, Taiwan; B.S., 2004, Tamkang University, Taiwan)
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Research and Project Assistant 2013 to 2017 in the Applied Electromagnetics Laboratory in the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. Dr. Shih's areas of expertise are antennas and antenna arrays, RF/Microwave/mmWave circuits and systems, biomedical applications of RF/Microwaves, and microwave sensing and imaging. He teaches Antenna Principles and Design.

Engineering

PETERSEN, Jonathan, Instructor in Engineering
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Instructor, Engineering Scholars Director, and Engineering EXPO High School Coordinator from January 2015 to August 2017. Mr. Petersen taught traditional, online, and honors sections of courses. He designed and implemented lecture and lab curriculums using active learning techniques shown to improve student learning, engagement, and material retention. He directed an interdisciplinary engineering program for high achieving students which included overseeing student led design projects, coordinating industry visits, and other activities designed to keep students engaged while elevating their collegiate experience.

Industrial Technology

MIRKOEI, Amin, Assistant Professor in Industrial Technology
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Visiting Assistant Professor 8/2016 to 8/2017 in the Department of Mechanical Engineering at Georgia Southern University and an Instruction 1/2013 to 8/2016 at Oregon State University.

Dr. Mirkouei's areas of expertise are sustainable design and manufacturing, operations research, energy systems modeling, life cycle assessment, real-time data analytics, bioenergy production processes, advanced & smart manufacturing, logistics & supply chain planning, project management, network optimization, and cyber-physical systems.

VAKANSKI, Aleksandar, Assistant Professor in Industrial Technology
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Assistant clinical professor in Industrial Technology at the University of Idaho from 8/2014 thru 8/2017. Dr. Vakanski's areas of expertise are cognitive robotics, learning from demonstration, vision-based control of robots, machine learning and artificial intelligence, and control systems and automation. He teaches courses in the areas of manufacturing, robotics, CAD design and quality control.

Nuclear Engineering

MCKELLAR, Michael, Research Assistant Professor in Nuclear Engineering
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Research Engineer, Nuclear Science and Technology Directorate and Energy, Environment Science and Technology Directorate at Idaho National Laboratory in Idaho Falls. Dr. McKellar was a Project Manager/Technical Lead at INL from 1991 to 8/2017. He has expertise in process modeling, project support, and business development.

Mechanical Engineering

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Clinical Assistant Professor from 8/2015 to 8/2017 at the University of Idaho. Dr. Maughan's areas of expertise are micromechanics of materials, defect behavior in crystalline materials, product design and development, additive manufacturing and material property manipulation. He teaches Engineering Mechanics of Materials, Advanced Computer Aided Design, Mechanical Systems Design I/II, and Mechanical Engineering Analysis.

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Senior Research Scientist in Biomechanics at New York University-Abu Dhabi from 2016 to 8/2017. An Engineering Lecturer from 2015 to 8/2017 at New York University-Abu Dhabi. Dr. Robertson's areas of expertise are biomechanics, agricultural engineering, and interdisciplinary design. He teaches Mechanical Design Analysis, and Interdisciplinary Capstone Design.

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Graduate Research Assistant in Materials Science and Engineering at Boise State University from 2013 to 2017 evaluating microstructural evolution dependence on irradiating particle (self-ion, proton, or neutron), dose, temperature, and alloy composition. Explaining variances in nanocluster evolution and defect cluster morphology, while linking them to the mechanical properties. Dr. Swenson's areas of expertise are characterize and model radiation effects in metals and alloys, correlating microstructure and mechanical properties, enabling the development and validation of metals and alloys for advanced nuclear reactor applications. He teaches Interdisciplinary Capstone Design, and Machine Component Design I.

COLLEGE OF LAW

Law

BALL, Katherine, Clinical Associate Professor of Law and Externship Director-Boise
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Prof. Ball has been with the University of Idaho, College of Law since 2008 and recently accepted a permanent position as a Clinical Associate Professor. She has been the Externship Director for Boise since 2008. She also teaches Federal Courts using experiences from her numerous federal court clerkships to inform class discussions.

COVER, Benjamin, Associate Professor of Law
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Prof. Cover joined the UI College of Law after serving as the legislative director for New Orleans City Councilmember LaToya Cantrell from 2013-2014. He graduated from Yale Law School in 2009. He received a Bachelor's of Science from the University of Toronto in 2004 and Masters of Science from the London School of Economics in 2005. His research and focus areas are in Election Law, First Amendment, Legislation, and State & Local Government.

GUNDER, Jessica, Clinical Assistant Professor of Law
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Prof. Gunder joined the law school faculty in 2017. She received her B.A. in both Political Science and Sociology in 2003 from the University of Missouri, graduating with honors. She then earned her J.D. in 2007 from the University of Missouri, where she was elected to

membership in the Order of the Coif and Order of Barristers. Following law school, Prof. Gunder served as a judicial clerk for the Honorable E. Richard Webber with the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri. She also worked as an Assistant United States Attorney at the U.S. Attorney's Office for the District of Idaho, where she served as the Civil Division's Affirmative Civil Enforcement Coordinator and Civil Rights Coordinator.

HEDDEN-NICELY, Dylan, Associate Professor of Law, (J.D., 2011, University of Idaho; M.S., 2012, University of Idaho; B.S., 2009, University of British Columbia)
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Prof. Hedden-Nicely a citizen of the Cherokee Nation of Oklahoma, graduated from the University of Idaho, College of Law, magna cum laude, with an emphasis in Native American law, as well as in natural resources & environmental law. Concurrently, Prof. Hedden-Nicely earned a master's degree in water resources (science & engineering). His thesis focused on the development of a systems dynamics based water balance model to assess the impact of the physical and anthropogenic constraints placed upon Coeur d'Alene Lake in North Idaho. He joined the UI College of Law after working in private practice with Howard Funke & Associates, a Native American-owned law firm that focuses exclusively on the representation of American Indian tribes. He is also the director of the College of Law's Native American Law Program.

LOCK, Barbara Z., Associate Professor of Law
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Prof. Lock joined the UI College of Law after serving as a partner and associate with Higgins Geyer & Lock, P.L.L.C, in Seattle and has clerked for the Washington State Supreme Court. Prof. Lock received her J.D., from the University of California, Los Angeles in 1987 and her LL.M. in Taxation from the University of Washington School of Law in 1998. Her research/focus areas are in federal income taxation. She is also the director the Low Income Taxpayer Clinic.

COLLEGE OF LETTERS, ARTS, AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

English

BLANCHFIELD, Brian, Assistant Professor of Non-Fiction
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Mr. Blanchfield taught creative writing and literature at The Iowa Writers' Workshop, The University of Montana, Pratt Institute, Otis College of Art and Design, and The University of Arizona, where he was also host of Speedway and Swan, a poetry-and-music program on KXCI Community Radio. His literary essays and poetry have appeared in many publications, including "Harper's Magazine," "The Nation, Oxford American," "The Paris Review," "Lana Turner," "StoryQuarterly," "Brick," "The Brooklyn Rail," "Conjunctions," "Guernica, A Public Space," and "Chicago Review."

JAMES, Benjamin, Clinical Assistant Professor of Film Studies
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Mr. James was previously a faculty lecturer at the University of Idaho, teaching new Theatre Arts classes, Foundations of Screenwriting. Prior to his University of Idaho service, Mr. James studied theatre and performance at the University of Warwick, regularly participating in productions as a writer and director and thereafter running a theatre company and a regular performance event for performers to receive feedback from their audiences. He has worked for the BBC, was former chairman of BAFTA Simon Relph, Warp Films and worked as an independent producer and director of music videos, short and feature-length films including a production of Shakespeare's "Hamlet" in original pronunciation.

TURPIN, Zachary J., Assistant Professor of American Literature
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Zachary's teaching experience includes courses on the history of short fiction and of drama, American literature pre-1865, Walt Whitman, and academic and professional writing. His research focuses on nineteenth-century periodical culture, digital humanities, textual recovery, and the history of epistemology and the sciences.

WRAY, Tobias Wray, Clinical Assistant Professor and Director of the Creative Writing Program
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Mr. Wray is a poet, essayist and editor. He has taught Creative Writing, Literature, Composition and LGBT+ Studies for University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, in addition to teaching courses in poetry, fiction and the art of the essay for Northwestern University's Center for Talent Development youth program. His work has appeared or is forthcoming in "Blackbird," "Bellingham Review," "The Spoon River Poetry Review," Third Coast, "Wasafiri: International Contemporary Writing and Queer Nature Anthology."

Journalism and Mass Media

LYMAN, Kristina, Instructor in Journalism and Mass Media
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Ms. Lyman has taught Media Writing at the University of Idaho, as well as Reporting and Writing and Intermediate Reporting and Writing at Arizona State University. She has served as home editor/writer/copy editor of "Nspire Magazine" (Coeur d'Alene), in addition to being owner/marketing consultant of Lyman Communications (Coeur d'Alene). Ms. Lyman was also vice president of communications of the Greater Phoenix Economic Council, senior content editor/justice team editor of "The Arizona Republic" newspaper and assistant metro editor of "The Detroit News."

Martin Institute for Peace Studies

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Dr. Damman has served as an assistant professor at Florida International University and adjunct faculty member at Washington State University. She has taught and developed courses, including International Protection of Human Rights, African Politics, Introduction to World Politics, Introduction to Comparative Politics, and Graduate Seminars in Research Design and Graduate Qualitative Methods.

Lionel Hampton School of Music

CONLON KHAN, Lori, Clinical Assistant Professor of Music Education
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Dr. Conlon Khan has served as a visiting music education director and professor at Boise State University, teaching both undergraduate- and graduate-level courses. She has taught curriculum and music courses for Lesley University's satellite, Integrating the Arts Master's program. Having been involved in music education for over 30 years, she has also taught General Music K-6, including choir and percussion ensemble, for the Boise School District for over 30 years. Dr. Conlon Khan's area of research is in the field of music and reading, creating alternative interventions for struggling readers through musical activities, primarily improving pulse and pitch skills.

CLINE, Everett Eugene "Gene", Instructor in Music
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Mr. Cline was most recently appointed as a full-time instructor in the Lionel Hampton School of Music, after having served as a visiting instructor in years prior. He has also held positions with Louisiana State University and University of Missouri at Kansas City. Mr. Cline's previous experience also includes working as a coach/accompanist with the Kansas City Opera Institute, music director/principal conductor at the American Singers' Opera Project in New York City and founder/conductor of the River City Opera in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

THOMPSON, Paul, Assistant Professor of Music and Director of Choral Activities
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Dr. Thompson comes from Francis Marion University in Florence, South Carolina, where he was Director of Choral Activities and Voice Area Coordinator. He has also been a member of the choral faculty at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and at the University of Wisconsin-Manitowoc, and spent four years directing the choirs at St. Mary's Springs High School in Fond du Lac, Wisconsin. Dr. Thompson has appeared as a soloist with the Boulder Philharmonic, The

Green Lake Festival, Bach Festival Florence, The King's Counterpoint, and the Florence Symphony Orchestra.

Politics & Philosophy

BLANKENSHIP, Bryce, Instructor of Philosophy

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Mr. Blankenship has had previous experience with the University of Idaho as a philosophy lecturer and online instructor, and now holds a full-time position in the Department of Politics and Philosophy as an instructor. Areas of expertise include Environmental Philosophy, Environmental Ethics, Aldo Leopold, Existentialism and Alienation. Areas of interest are Epistemology, Interdisciplinary Methods, Continental Philosophy, Marx, Ecological Persistence and Rehabilitation.

DAINOFF, Charles, Clinical Assistant Professor of Political Science

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Mr. Dainoff has taught courses at Centre College, University of Kentucky and University of Cincinnati. In addition, his experience includes working in research and investigation for the Government Accountability Project in Washington, DC; as an investment analyst for California Institute of Technology; and as a social researcher in the Governor's Policy Office, Raleigh, North Carolina.

JOHNSON, Casey, Assistant Professor of Philosophy

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Dr. Johnson has held academic positions as a Post-Doctoral Fellow at The Humanities Institute at the University of Connecticut and Pre-Doctoral Fellow at Northwestern University's Mellon Foundation Sawyer Seminar. Dr. Johnson's areas of specialization are Social Philosophy, Social Epistemology and Feminist Philosophy of Language.

OVERTON, Michael, Assistant Professor of Political Science

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Dr. Overton has taught courses in American intergovernmental relations, financial aspects of government, and public management/leadership and behavior. He has served as a grant manager for JPS Foundation/JPS Health Network, a research associate for the Center for Public Management; a transportation planner for North Central Texas Council of Governments; and a consulting revenue analyst for CityBase.Net.

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Dr. Quinn has held academic positions as an Ahmanson Postdoctoral Instructor in Philosophy of Science at California Institute of Technology; Research Collaborator at the National Museum of Natural History, Smithsonian Institution; Distinguished Fellow of the Notre Dame Institute for Advanced Study; and Guest Faculty for the History and Philosophy of Science Program at University of Notre Dame.

Psychology & Communication

KERSTEN, Michael, Clinical Assistant Professor of Psychology
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Dr. Kersten has served as an instructor at Columbia College, Texas Christian University and California State University, Dominguez Hills, teaching courses in research methods in behavioral science, statistics for behavioral science, social psychology, principles of behavior in psychology and research methods. He has given multiple guest lectures to include Introduction to Psychology, Measurement in Psychology, Motivation, Psychology of Personality, Research Methods, Senior Seminar, and Social Psychology.

MCDUNN, Benjamin, Clinical Assistant Professor of Psychology
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Dr. McDunn served as an instructor at the University of Georgia. Courses taught included Research Analysis/Statistics, Research Design, and Cognitive Psychology. He has presented research findings at the Vision Science Society in St. Petersburg, Florida. Dr. McDunn published in the "Psychonomic Bulletin and Review," "Journal of Vision," as well as the journal, "Visual Cognition."

Sociology & Anthropology

GRINDAL, Matthew, Assistant Professor of Sociology
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Dr. Grindal is a quantitative sociologist who researches the theoretical mechanisms that link ethnic identity processes (i.e., ethnic identity development and ethnic-racial socialization) to the health and delinquency outcomes of adolescents and young adults. Dr. Grindal has been an instructor at University of California, Riverside, and California State University, Long Beach.

HODWITZ, Omi, Assistant Professor of Criminology

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Dr. Hodwitz is a criminologist who specializes in terrorism studies, theory construction and application, and research methods. She has worked as a lecturer in the Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice at the University of Maryland; as an assistant research scientist at the Consortium for the Study of Terrorism and Responses to Terrorism at the University of Maryland; and as an instructor at the Center for Online and Distance Education at Simon Fraser University.

COLLEGE OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Forest, Rangeland and Fire Sciences

KARL, Jason, Associate Professor, Ruth M. Heady Endowed Chair of Rangeland Ecology (Ph.D., 2009, Michigan State University; M.S., 1998, University of Idaho; B.S., 1996, University of Idaho)

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Dr. Karl joins us as an Associate Professor and Heady Endowed Chair in the Department of Forest, Rangeland and Fire Sciences. He comes to the University of Idaho from his work as a Research Ecologist with the USDA Agricultural Research Service where he did his postdoctoral research.

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE

Biological Sciences

JONES, Adam, Professor of Evolutionary Biology

(Ph.D., 1998, University of Georgia; B.A., 1992, University of Colorado)

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Dr. Jones earned his doctoral degree in genetics and comes to us from Texas A&M where he rose to the rank of Professor. The primary goals of his research are to understand the evolution of the genetic architecture and the operation of selection in natural populations.

Chemistry

STOIAN, Sebastian, Assistant Professor of Chemistry

(Ph.D., 2006, Carnegie Mellon University; B.S., 1999, University of Bucharest)

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Joined the University of Idaho, having most recently been employed as a Postdoctoral Research Fellow at the National High Magnetic Field Laboratory in Tallahassee, Florida. Graduated in 1999 with a BS in Chemistry from University of Bucharest, Romania, a Ph.D. in Chemistry from Carnegie Mellon in Pennsylvania, and two-year Postdoctoral Research Associate at Massachusetts Institute of Technology in Cambridge Massachusetts. Sebastian specializes in Mössbauer Spectroscopy.

WAYNANT, Kristopher, Assistant Professor of Chemistry

(Ph.D., 2008, New Mexico State University; M.S., 2008, New Mexico State University; B.S., 2002, Virginia Tech)

Dr. Waynant has been with the University of Idaho since 2014 and recently accepted a tenure-track position with the Department of Chemistry. His research focuses on the creative development of strategies towards building complex organic compounds and novel material frameworks.

Geography

FAN, Chao, Assistant Professor of Geographic Information Sciences

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Before joining the University of Idaho, Dr. Fan was a Postdoctoral Research Scientist at the Field Museum in Chicago. She is a broadly trained GIS scientist whose research interests lie in spatial analysis and modeling, spatial econometrics, and remote sensing. Her research focuses on the development and application of spatial analytical tools and quantitative methods to address a variety of research topics including crop and landscape mapping, urban heat island adaptation and mitigation, and vegetation modeling.

HARLEY, Grant, Assistant Professor of Geography

(Ph.D., 2012, University of Tennessee; M.A., 2007, University of South Florida; B.A., 2005, University of South Florida)

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Assistant Professor in the Department of Geography and Geology, University of Southern Mississippi. Dr. Harley's research areas include: Dendrochronology, fire history, forest ecology, and climate science.

PTAK, Thomas, Assistant Professor of Geography

(Ph.D., 2016, University of Oregon; M.A., 2010, University of Oregon; B.S., 2007, Macquarie University)

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Instructor of Geography, University of Oregon. Visiting Assistant Professor, Sonoma State University, Department of Geography and Global Studies. Dr. Ptak's research areas include: Socioeconomic and environmental consequences of Hydropower development in Southwest China. His ongoing research analyzes how China's government is attempting to balance the pursuit of energy security, rapid development and environmental sustainability along with implications of transboundary energy exchange in border areas. Additionally, Dr Ptak's research examines the rescaling of orthodox energy systems across the Northwest United States.

Mathematics

ABBOTT, Ann, Instructor in Math

(M.S., 2002, University of Idaho; M.S., 2000, University of Idaho; B.A., 1988, Gonzaga University)

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In 1996 Ms. Abbott was a Graduate Research Assistant in the Department of Fisheries and Wildlife Resources here at the University of Idaho. In 1997, she moved over to Statistical Sciences as a Graduate Teaching Assistant, and worked her way up to Statistics Center Coordinator and Lecturer for Statistical Sciences, and will now be a full time lecturer in mathematics and statistical sciences.

ALLEN, Theresa, Instructor in Math

(Ph.D., 1993, University of Washington; M.A.T., 2009, University of Idaho; B.S., 1987, Gonzaga University)

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In 1987 Dr. Allen began as a Graduate Research and Teaching Assistant in the Department of Chemical Engineering at the University of Washington. She did her Postdoctoral Research at the Institute for Shock Physics at Washington State University in 1993. In 1995 she worked as a volunteer teacher at St. Joseph School in Alabama, and two years later was a volunteer teacher at St. Francis School in New Mexico. In 1999 she came to the University of Idaho as a Lecturer in mathematics, and now will be a full time instructor in mathematics.

TERRIO, Judith, Instructor in Math

(M.S., 1998, University of Idaho; B.A., 1976, Plymouth State College)

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Ms. Terrio worked as a high school teacher in Idaho and Colorado before coming to the University of Idaho in 1997 as a lecturer in the Department of Mathematics, and this year became a full time instructor for Mathematics.

WELHAN, Manuel, Instructor in Math

(Ph.D., 2010, University of Idaho; B.S., 2003, University of Idaho)

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Dr. Welhan came to the University of Idaho in 2001 beginning as a Recitation Tutor in the department of Physics, in 2003 he was a teaching assistant for Mathematics, and was a tutor for

the Polya Math Center. He became a lecturer for mathematics in 2009, continuing at the University of Idaho now as a full time instructor for mathematics, specializing in Combinatorics.

COUNSELING AND TESTING CENTER

BLANCO, Karla, Assistant Professor, Psychologist
(Ph.D., pending, Washington State University; M.A., 2013, Washington State University; B.A., 2007, San Diego State University)

Ms. Blanco has been working with the Counseling and Testing Center since 2011. She is currently completing her doctorate in counseling psychology. She previously taught as an adjunct professor at San Diego State University, Southwestern College and San Diego Mesa College.

MAI, Nhu, Assistant Professor, Psychologist
(Ph.D., 2014, Washington State University; M.S., 2009, Washington State University; B.S., 2007, University of Houston)

Dr. Mai received her PhD from Washington State University in 2014 and her dissertation was titled "Exploring the Indigenous Structure of Vietnamese Personality: A Lexical Approach". Dr. Mai completed a postdoctoral residency at Texas State University and she was most recently employed as a staff psychologist at Washington State University's Counseling and Psychological Services. Dr. Mai has extensive experience in providing group psychotherapy and she has provided clinical training to graduate students on this treatment modality.

UNIVERSITY LIBRARY

DONEY, Jylisa, Assistant Professor, Social Sciences Librarian
(M.L.S., 2014, Indiana University; B.S., 2012, Utah State University)
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Ms. Doney comes to the University of Idaho from North Dakota State University where she has been serving as the Social Sciences Librarian since July 2014. She earned her Master of Library Science at Indiana University in May 2014. Ms. Doney serves as a Reference Librarian and Social Sciences Liaison to the College of Letters, Arts, and Social Sciences.

FOSTER, Kimberly, Instructor, First Year Experience Program
(M.L.S., 2016, University of Illinois; B.A., 2014, Miami University)
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Ms. Foster began at the University of Idaho Library in January 2017 from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign where she served as a Graduate Assistant in Research and Information Services. Ms. Foster earned a Master in Library and Information Science in May of 2016 from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. She serves as a Reference Librarian and Instructor for the Library's First Year Experience Program.

MARTINEZ, Jessica, Assistant Professor, Science Librarian
(M.L.S., 2017, University of Washington; B.A., 2011, University of Colorado)
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Ms. Martinez comes to the University of Idaho from the University of Washington, Seattle where she earned Master in Library and Information Science in June 2017 and where she served as a Reference and Instruction Specialist at the Suzzallo and Allen Graduate Library. Ms. Martinez serves as a Reference Librarian and Liaison to the College of Science.

WWAMI MEDICAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

ADKINS, Benjamin, Clinical Assistant Professor in the Medical Education Program
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Dr. Adkins is a family medicine physician at Pullman Family Medicine in Pullman, WA. He serves as a part-time clinical faculty for the WWAMI Medical Education program as a teacher and mentor to medical students.

MALLATT, Jon, Clinical Associate Professor in Histology and Gross Anatomy
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Dr. Mallat has taught for the WWAMI Medical Education Program for over 33 years, as an associate professor at the Washington State University (WSU), Department of Biological Structure. In 2016, he retired from WSU and was hired full time at the University of Idaho as a Clinical Faculty in the WWAMI Medical Education Program. Dr. Mallatt's expertise is Gross Anatomy and Histology, and has co-authored a human anatomy textbook that is now in its seventh edition. He received the WWAMI Award for Excellence in Teaching many times over his career, and is a member of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

VU, Thanh Danae, Clinical Assistant Professor in the Medical Education Program
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Dr. Vu is a physician at the Nimiipuu Health Center, Lapwai, ID, specializing in Obstetrics and Gynecology. She serves as a part-time clinical faculty for the WWAMI Medical Education Program as a teacher and mentor to medical students.

JEFFERSON, Glenn, Clinical Professor and Associate Director for Clinical Education in the Medical Education Program

(Board Certification, 1982, Family Practice Residency, Malcolm Grow Medical Center, Andrews Air Force Base; M.D., 1979, Virginia Commonwealth University; B.S., 1975, Chemistry, Hampden-Sydney College)

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Dr. Jefferson is a family medicine physician at Valley Medical Center in Lewiston, ID. He serves as a clinical faculty and associate director for clinical education in the WWAMI Medical Education Program leading a team of physicians in training and mentoring medical students.

Promotion and Tenure Awards

The University of Idaho extends warm congratulations to the faculty members who have recently been awarded promotion and/or tenure (effective with their appointment in fiscal year 2019). The UI will be recognizing these individuals at the University Awards for Excellence Dinner on Wednesday, April 25, 2018. For a complete list of awardees and to RSVP to the event, please visit the Excellence Awards webpage at <http://www.uidaho.edu/faculty-staff/excellence-awards>.

Hirotschi Abo promoted to Professor in the Department of Mathematics.

Belle Baggs promoted to Clinical Associate Professor in the Department of Movement Sciences.

Dennis Becker promoted to Professor in the Department of Natural Resources and Society.

Denise Bennett promoted to Associate Professor in the School of Journalism and Mass Media.

Marta Boris Tarre promoted to Associate Professor in the Department of Modern Languages and Cultures, with tenure.

Luigi Boschetti promoted to Professor in the Department of Natural Resources and Society.

Christopher Caudill promoted to Associate Professor in the Department of Fish and Wildlife Sciences, with tenure.

Erin Chapman promoted to Clinical Associate Professor in the School of Family and Consumer Sciences.

Erik Coats promoted to Professor in the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering.

Rajal Cohen promoted to Associate Professor in the Department of Psychology and Communication Studies, with tenure.

Aliza Cover, Associate Professor in the College of Law, granted tenure.

Louise-Marie Dandurand promoted to Research Associate Professor in the Department of Entomology, Plant Pathology and Nematology.

Janine Darragh promoted to Associate Professor in the Department of Curriculum & Instruction, with tenure.

Helene Davis, Associate Professor in the College of Law, granted tenure.

Berna Devezer promoted to Associate Professor in the Department of Business, with tenure.

Stacey Doumit, promoted to Senior Instructor in the Department of Animal and Veterinary Science.

Jesse Dreikosen promoted to Associate Professor in the Department of Theatre Arts, with tenure.

Jan Eitel promoted to Research Associate Professor in the Department of Natural Resources and Society.

Timothy Ewers promoted to Extension Research Professor, Extension Specialist in the 4-H programs.

Sydney Freeman, Associate Professor in the Department of Leadership and Counseling, granted tenure.

Virginia Gillerman promoted to Research Professor in the Idaho Geological Survey.

Jonathon Hogge promoted to Extension Associate Professor, Extension Educator in the Eastern District, with tenure.

Leontina Hormel promoted to Professor in the Department of Sociology and Anthropology.

Robert Keefe promoted to Associate Professor in the Department of Forest, Rangeland and Fire Sciences, with tenure.

Delphine Keim promoted to Professor in the Department of Art and Design.

Brian Kennedy promoted to Professor in the Department of Fish and Wildlife Sciences.

Kristine Levan promoted to Associate Professor in the Department of Sociology and Anthropology, with tenure.

Reed Lewis promoted to Research Professor in the Idaho Geological Survey.

Tara MacDonald promoted to Associate Professor in the Department of English, with tenure.

Spencer Martin promoted to Clinical Associate Professor in the Lionel Hampton School of Music.

Stephen Miller promoted to Professor in the College of Law.

Gwen Mitchell promoted to Clinical Associate Professor in the Department of Curriculum and Instruction.

Steven Peterson promoted to Clinical Associate Professor in the Department of Business.

William Phillips promoted to Research Associate Professor in the Idaho Geological Survey.

John Rumel promoted to Professor in the College of Law.

Shaakirrah Sanders promoted to Professor in the College of Law.

Jeff Seegmiller promoted to Professor in the Department of Movement Sciences.

Gail Silkwood promoted to Extension Associate Professor, Extension Educator in the Northern District, with tenure.

Steven Smith promoted to Clinical Associate Professor in the School of Journalism and Mass Media.

Richard Stoddart, Associate Professor in the General Library, granted tenure.

Penny Tenuto promoted to Associate Professor in the Department of Leadership and Counseling, with tenure.

Grace Wittman promoted to Extension Professor, Extension Educator in the Southern District.

Frederick Ytreberg promoted to Professor in the Department of Physics.