

# FACULTY, ADMINISTRATION, AND STAFF

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Started at COCC in 2007.

**KATHARINE CONDON**  
**Administrative Assistant**  
Started at COCC in 1996.

**MIMI CONSIDINE**  
**Administrative Assistant**  
Started at COCC in 2020.



**NOELLE COPLEY**  
**Sustainability Coordinator**  
Started at COCC in 2021.

**TRACY CROCKETT**  
**Administrative Assistant**  
Started at COCC in 2011.

**RYAN CROUTER**  
**Bookstore Floor Lead**  
Started at COCC in 2020.

**NOAH CZAPLICKI**  
**Campus Custodian**  
Started at COCC in 2022.

## D

**DAVE DESILVA**  
**Grounds/Landscape Specialist**  
Started at COCC in 2022.

**ALLISON DICKERSON**  
**Administrative Assistant**  
Started at COCC in 2019.

**ZOE DITMORE**  
**Administrative Assistant**  
Started at COCC in 2022.

**KATE DONAHUE**  
**Administrative Assistant**  
Started at COCC in 2017.

**SCOTT DOVE**  
**Academic Technology Support Specialist**  
Started at COCC in 2021.

**WENDY DUARTE**  
**Administrative Assistant**  
Started at COCC in 2022.

**JULIA DUMAS**  
**Bookstore Buyer**  
Started at COCC in 2007.

## F

**VAN FIELD**  
**Facility Specialist General Trades**  
Started at COCC in 2021.

**JAN FISHER**  
**Accounting Technician**  
Started at COCC in 1984.

**KRISTINA FISHER**  
**Test Coordinator**  
Started at COCC in 2017.

**BRIAN FLENER**  
**Facility Specialist Senior Gen Trades**  
Started at COCC in 2008.

**KATIE FOLTZ**  
**Enrollment/Welcome Associate**

Started at COCC in 2022.

## G

**KATT GARDNER**  
**Administrative Assistant**  
Started at COCC in 2012.

**ANNE GIVANS**  
**Administrative Assistant**  
Started at COCC in 2022.

**VIRGIE GRANT**  
**Campus Custodian**  
Started at COCC in 2019.

## H

**DERWYN HANNEY**  
**Event Set Up/Office Move Specialist**  
Started at COCC in 2013.

**CLAIRE HOLM**  
**Senior Test Proctor**  
Started at COCC in 2022.

**SHAWN HOXIE**  
**Campus Custodian Lead**  
Started at COCC in 2017.

## J

**COLE JACKSON**  
**Facility Specialist General Trades**  
Started at COCC in 2022.

**PHIL JAMES**  
**Student Technology Support Coordinator**  
Started at COCC in 2023.

**STEVEN JULIAN**  
**Campus Custodian**  
Started at COCC in 2007.

## K

**ELIZABETH ANN KEEF**  
**Campus Custodian**  
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**KELLI KENNEDY**  
**Instructional Specialist**  
Started at COCC in 2020.

**WENDY KNIGHT**  
**Administrative Assistant**  
Started at COCC in 2022.

**KAREN KRUGER**  
**Administrative Assistant**  
Started at COCC in 2020.

## L

**MARY LARSON**  
**Computer Lab Specialist**

Started at COCC in 2013.

**TINA LESLIE**

**Administrative Assistant**

Started at COCC in 2010.

## M

**SHANA MASON**

**Campus Custodian**

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**MARCIE MASOOD**

**Administrative Assistant**

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**ANDREEA MATRISCIANO**

**Administrative Assistant**

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**ZANDER MCCOY**

**Campus Custodian**

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**ANTON MCCURCHIN**

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**HILARY MCDONALD**

**Administrative Assistant**

Started at COCC in 2019.

**TRINA MCLAUGHLIN**

**Administrative Assistant**

Started at COCC in 2017.

**PARIS MELICK**

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**ANNA MEWES**

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Started at COCC in 2017.

**RAQUEL MEYERS**

**Administrative Assistant**

Started at COCC in 2009.

**KEVIN MILLER**

**Tool Room Coordinator**

Started at COCC in 2011.

**MELISSA MONETTE**

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**Administrative Assistant**

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**SARAH MOUSSA-HALE**

**Enrollment Specialist**

Started at COCC in 2023.

**DAVID MUNGEAM**

**Grounds/Landscape Specialist**

Started at COCC in 2022.

## N

**COURTNEY NOLTA**

**Instructional Specialist**

Started at COCC in 2000.

## O

**RUBY O'CONNOR**

**Library Specialist Public Services Support**

Started at COCC in 2022.

**WHITNEY OLIVA**

**Academic Lab Specialist**

Started at COCC in 2022.

**JOELLA OLSON**

**Administrative Assistant**

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## P

**MINDALAY PEREZ**

**Enrollment/Welcome Associate**

Started at COCC in 2002.

**SUSAN PIERCE**

**Veterans Certification Specialist**

Started at COCC in 2016.

**BROOKE PRITCHARD**

**Student Services Specialist**

Started at COCC in 2022.

## R

**TOM REED**

**Campus Custodian**

Started at COCC in 2010.

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**Grounds/Landscape Specialist**

Started at COCC in 2014.

**LINDA RODRIGUEZ**

**Campus Custodian**

Started at COCC in 2019.

**J C ROOT**

**ITS Services Support Technician**

Started at COCC in 2006.

**TANNER ROOT**

**Academic Technology Support Specialist**

Started at COCC in 2016.

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**Facility Specialist Senior General Trades**

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## S

**RANDAL SEATON**

**Intramural/Club Sports Coordinator**

Started at COCC in 2021.

**KURT SEGRIST**

**Financial Aid Specialist**

Started at COCC in 2022.

**JAMES STOUT**

**Textbook Inventory Specialist**

Started at COCC in 2013.

## T

**KYLE TAFOYA**

**Academic Lab Specialist**

Started at COCC in 2016.

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**IT Technical Specialist**

Started at COCC in 1991.

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**ROGER THORSVOLD**

**Environmental Health Safety Officer**

Started at COCC in 2018.

## V

**REBEKAH VALORN**

**Collections/Acquisition Specialist**

Started at COCC in 2022.

**GINA VANDERBURG**

**Human Resources Specialist**

Started at COCC in 2014.

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**Bilingual Enrollment Specialist**

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**Transcript/Degree Evaluator**

Started at COCC in 2022.

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**Facility Specialist Senior General Trades**

Started at COCC in 2013.

**KEVEN VIVANCO**

**Enrollment/Welcome Associate**

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**CHLOE VOGEL**

**Instructional Specialist**

Started at COCC in 2021.

**LIBBY VOIGT**

**Administrative Assistant**

Started at COCC in 2017.

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**Digital Production Specialist**

Started at COCC in 2003.

## W

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**Human Resources Specialist**

Started at COCC in 2016.

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**Mail/Receiving Clerk**

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## A

**CORA AGATUCCI**

**Professor English**

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## B

**BOB BARBER**

**President**

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## C

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## D

**FORREST DANIEL**

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**Vice President Finance/Operations**

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## E

**DANIEL EARLY**

**Professor Anthropology and Sociology**

Began at COCC in 1978, awarded Emeritus in 2002.

**MARK EBERLE**

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**Professor Business Administration**

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## F

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## G

**DON GALLAGHER**

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**Instructional Dean**

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## H

**DEBBIE HAGAN**

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**FRANZ HELFENSTEIN**

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**Assistant Professor Composition**

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**Professor Speech**

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## J

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**Professor Health Information Technology**

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**Professor Human Biology**

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## K

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## L

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**JIM MIDDLETON**

**President**

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**Dean Continuing Education/Extension Learning**

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## N

**CHARLIE NAFFZIGER**

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**RICHARD NIEDERHOF**

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## O

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## P

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**HELEN PRUITT**

**Registrar**



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## Q

### **BART QUEARY**

#### **Vice President for Instruction**

Began at COCC in 1979, awarded Emeritus in 2002.

### **DARLA QUESNELL**

#### **Professor Psychology**

Began at COCC in 1975, awarded Emeritus in 1995.

## R

### **BOB REYNOLDS**

#### **Professor Geology**

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## S

### **MIKE SEQUEIRA**

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### **BILL SMITH**

#### **Professor Machine Shop**

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### **JULIE SMITH**

#### **Executive Secretary**

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### **MIKE SMITH**

#### **Coordinator Career Services**

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### **CRISTI STEIERT**

#### **Administrative Clerk Senior**

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### **ELEANOR SUMPTER LATHAM**

#### **Professor Developmental Writing/Composition**

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### **LANI SYKES**

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## T

### **GENE TAYLOR**

#### **Professor of Computer and Information Systems**

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#### **Dean Students/Enrollment Services**

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### **WARD TONSFELDT**

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## V

### **VICKERY VILES**

#### **Director Curriculum/Assessment**

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## W

### **REBECCA WALKER-SANDS**

#### **Professor Psychology**

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### **BERN WISNER**

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### **SUSAN WOOD**

#### **Administrative Assistant**

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## Y

### **JERRY YAHNA**

#### **Professor Music**

Began at COCC in 1970, awarded Emeritus in 1993.

## Z

### **NANCY ZENS**

#### **Professor History**

Began at COCC in 1989, awarded Emeritus in 2011.

### **ZELDA ZIEGLER**

#### **Professor Chemistry**

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### **GENE ZINKGRAF**

#### **Director Construction**

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