

# PERSONNEL

## COLLEGE FACULTY

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B.S., UMass Amherst  
M.S. SUNY Albany  
M.Ed., M.S., UMass Lowell

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B.S., Montclair State College  
M.S., Ph.D., New York University

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M.D., Kauno Medicinos Universitاس

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B.S., M.A., SUNY New Paltz

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B.A., Hunter College  
M.S., Ph.D., Syracuse University

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Certificate in Medical Technology, Berkshire Medical Center School of Medical Technology  
B.S., State University of New York College at Plattsburgh  
M.A., SUNY New Paltz  
Recipient of 2019 SUNY Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching

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A.S., Columbia-Greene Community College  
B.A., M.S., College of Saint Rose  
Ph.D., Fordham University

Gordon Lake (2014), Assistant Professor, Biology  
B.S., M.S., Memorial University of Newfoundland, St. Johns, NL, Canada

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B.S., Federal University of Vicosa  
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A.S., Dutchess Community College  
B.S., Mercy College  
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B.S., SUNY New Paltz  
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M.P.S. SUNY New Paltz  
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B.S., Adelphi University  
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A.S., Dutchess Community College  
B.S., M.P.S., SUNY New Paltz  
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B.S., Radford University  
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A.A., Ulster Community College  
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B.A., Hunter College  
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A.A.S., Dutchess Community College  
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B.A., Marist College  
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B.A., University of Michigan  
Master's in Translation and Interpretation, Universidad Autonoma de Guadalajara  
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B.S., State University of New York College at Plattsburgh  
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B.S., M.S.W., SUNY Stony Brook University

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B.S.W., Virginia Commonwealth University  
M.A., Marymount University  
M.S., Lehigh University  
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B.A., The New School University M.P.S., SUNY New Paltz  
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B.A., St. John's University  
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B.S., SUNY Plattsburgh

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A.A., Dutchess Community College  
B.S., Wilmington College  
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B.A., Empire State College  
M.S., Concordia University

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A.S., Dutchess Community College  
B.S.W., Florida Gulf Coast University  
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A.A., Dutchess Community College  
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M.B.A., Providence College  
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B.S., M.B.A., Mount Saint Mary College

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A.S., Vaughn College of Aeronautics & Technology  
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B.A., University of Tampa  
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B.A., Lehigh University  
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A&P License Aviation, Mohawk Valley Community College

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B.B.A., Hofstra University  
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A.A.S., Dutchess Community College  
B.Arch., Virginia Polytechnic Institute

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B.S., M.S., Mercy College

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B.A., Gettysburg College

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B.S., SUNY Empire State College  
M.B.A., St. Thomas Aquinas College

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B.A., M.Ed., St. Lawrence University  
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B.A., M.A., SUNY New Paltz  
Recipient of 2020 SUNY Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching

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B.A., James Madison University  
M.A., SUNY New Paltz  
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B.A., M.A., University of Bucharest  
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A.A., Pima Community College  
B.A., University of Arizona  
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B.A., McGill University  
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B.A., M.A., SUNY New Paltz  
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B.A., Rutgers University  
M.A., California State University  
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B.B.A., University of Texas at Austin  
M.A., New York University  
M.A., SUNY New Paltz

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B.A., Ph.D., University of Urbino, Italy  
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B.A., M.A., Eastern Illinois University

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B.A., M.A., State University of New York at Binghamton  
Ph.D., University of Georgia

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B.A., Marist College  
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 B.F.A., M.F.A., University of Iowa  
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 B.A., M.A., Bowling Green State University  
 M.B.A., Long Island University  
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 B.A., M.A.T., M.A., Binghamton University

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 B.S., United States Military Academy  
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 B.A., Temple University  
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 B.S., Lehigh University  
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 B.A., University of Memphis  
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 A.A., Dutchess Community College  
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 B.A., Queen Mary & Westfield College, London University  
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 B.A., M.A., Johns Hopkins University  
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B.S., Industrial University of Santander  
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B.A., Concordia University  
Graduate Diploma in Education, Bishop's University  
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B.A., M.A., University of Northern Iowa

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B.A., Marist College  
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## Department of Nursing

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M.S.N., B.S.N., Chamberlain University College of Nursing  
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B.S.N., College of Nursing, Bhilai, India  
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M.S.N., Manipal Academy of Higher Education  
B.S.N., Mangalore University  
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A.S.N., Reading Area Community College  
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### Department Chair:

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 A.A., Cypress College  
 B.A., California State University, Long Beach  
 M.A., California State University, Fullerton  
 M.P.S., SUNY New Paltz

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 B.S., Franklin Pierce College  
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 B.A., Marist College  
 M.A., Pepperdine University  
 Recipient of 2022 SUNY Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching

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 B.S., College of Saint Rose  
 M.S., Middlesex University

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 B.A., Gettysburg College  
 B.F.A., School of the Art Institute of Chicago  
 M.A., SUNY New Paltz  
 M.F.A., Massachusetts College of Art and Design  
 Recipient of 2024 SUNY Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching

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 B.A., Grinnell College  
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## Department of Physical Sciences, Engineering and Technology

### Department Chair:

Timothy Welling (1999), Professor, Physical Sciences  
 B.S.A., University of Georgia  
 M.S., University of Connecticut  
 C.A.S., Oglethorpe University  
 Recipient of 2018 SUNY Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching

Leah M. Akins (1997), Professor, Engineering  
 B.S., Lafayette College  
 M.S., Lehigh University  
 Ph.D., Drexel University  
 Recipient of 2011 SUNY Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching

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B.S., M.S., Manhattan College

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B.S., Ph.D., Virginia Commonwealth University

Jefferson Cavaliere (1992), Professor, Chemistry  
B.S., Tufts University  
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Susan Conrad (2000), Professor, Physical Science and Geology  
B.A., Franklin and Marshall College  
M.S., Southern Illinois University  
Recipient of 2012 SUNY Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching

Jessica Geer (2015), Associate Professor, Chemistry  
B.A., Temple University  
Ph.D., University of the Sciences in Philadelphia

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B.S., Ruia College and Institute of Science  
M.S., University of Alabama, Huntsville  
Ph.D., Alabama A&M University

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B.A., State University of New York at Geneseo  
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Renee Lathrop (2003), Professor, Physics  
B.S., Susquehanna University  
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Recipient of 2013 SUNY Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching

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B.E., The Cooper Union for the Advancement of Science and Art  
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## DCC Recipients of the SUNY Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching

Ross L. Pattison (1974)  
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Wesley Ostertag (2005)  
Stephanie Roberg-Lopez (2006)  
Richard Reitano (2007)  
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Camilo Rojas (2009)  
Andrew M. Scala (2010)  
Leah M. Akins (2011)  
Susan Howes Conrad (2012)  
Renee Lathrop (2013)  
Kathleen O'Connell (2014)  
Wendy Joyce (2014)\*  
Margaret Craig (2015)  
Tara Sweet-Flagler (2015)  
Elizabeth Albertson (2015)\*  
Mareve VanVoorhis (2016)  
Anne Marie Zanchetti (2016)\*  
Gail Upchurch-Mills (2017)  
Trudy Cirrincione (2017)\*  
Timothy Welling (2018)  
Deborah C. Mautone (2018)\*  
Roberta L. Mulder (2018)\*  
Thomas Costello (2019)  
Karen Ingham (2019)



Kristy Bruse (2019)\*  
 Kelly Kohler (2020)\*  
 Barbara McArdle (2020)  
 Carolyn Rounds (2021)  
 Mary Jane McFarland (2021)\*  
 Jordan Bell (2022)  
 Margeaux Lippman (2022)  
 Donna Logan (2022)\*  
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## **DCC Recipients of the SUNY Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Professional Service**

Dennis Dempster (1979), Director of Admissions and Registrar  
 Deborah Weibman (1980), Associate Registrar  
 George McClellan (1985), Associate Dean of Community Services  
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 Jeffrey I. Levinson (1989), Registrar Counselor  
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 Ronald Kupin (1991), Director of Information Systems  
 Mary B. Mucci (1992), Associate Dean of Academic Affairs  
 Lois Stewart (1993), Assistant Dean of Community Services  
 Gary C. Pfeifer (1994), Associate Dean of Academic Affairs  
 Susan L. Moore (1995), Director of Scheduling  
 Connie Bard Fowle (1996), Coordinator of the PACE Program  
 Jay Simpson (1997), Director of Telecommunications and Instructional Media  
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 Rita Banner (1999), Director of Admissions  
 Barbara J. Liesenbein (2000), Director of the Library  
 John Mazzetti (2001), Director of Institutional Advancement  
 Gail Herмосilla (2003), Director of Planning and Institutional Research  
 Timothy Decker (2005), Director of DCC South  
 Carol Stevens (2006), Associate Dean of Student Services  
 Rita D. Weber-McKee (2007), Director of Academic Services  
 Ansamma Varkey (2009), Assistant Director of Information Systems  
 Wendy Bohlinger (2010), Counselor/ Coordinator of C-Step  
 Bridgette Anderson (2011), Associate Dean of Administration for Physical Plant  
 Marta Newkirk (2012), Assistant Dean of Student Services  
 Ellen Gambino (2013), Vice President of Academic Affairs  
 Sally Weglinski (2014), Assistant Director of Academic Services and Testing  
 Chrisie Mitchell (2015), Associate Director of the Mary Louise Van Winkle Teaching Learning Center  
 Patrick Griffin (2016)  
 Susan Mead (2016)  
 Linda Bertolozzi (2018)  
 Michael Roe (2018)  
 Susan McGlynn (2019)  
 Jennifer Wrage (2019)  
 Angela Romano (2021)  
 Robert Zasso (2022)  
 Melissa Carlo (2023)  
 Martin Schneider (2023)  
 Marcia Butland (2024)  
 Suzanne Riela Turturro (2024)

## **DCC Recipient of the SUNY Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Classified Service**

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 Yvonne Flowers (2016)

## Personnel

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Jenni R. Oylar (2018)  
Greg Starzyk (2019)  
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Stephen Doland (2021)  
Terriann Texiera (2022)  
Maureen Byrum (2023)  
Andrea Townsend (2024)