

# Administration, Faculty and Emeriti

## Navajo County Community College District Governing Board



Pictured left to right are: (standing) Kristine Laughter, Derrick Leslie, Everett Robinson (Chair);  
(seated) Rosabel “Rosie” Sekayumtewa, Frank Lucero (Secretary).

### **Kristine Laughter**

District 1

Elected 2021, Chair 2022, 2023

### **Rosabel “Rosie” Sekayumtewa**

District 2

Appointed 2023

### **Frank Lucero**

District 3

Elected January 2013; Chair 2017 - 2021

Secretary 2024

### **Everett Robinson**

District 4

Appointed 2019, Secretary 2021 to 2023

Chair 2024

### **Derrick Leslie**

District 5

Elected 2018

# Administration (Year Hired)

<p><b>Dr. Michael Solomonson (2000)</b>  <i>Interim President/Vice President for Learning and Student Services, Title IX Coordinator</i>            A.A., Waldorf College            B.A., Northwestern College            M.A., Kansas State University            Ph.D., University of Nebraska Lincoln</p>	<p><b>Maderia Ellison (2007)</b>  <i>Vice President for Administrative Services, Chief Financial Officer</i>            B.A., Fort Lewis College            M.P.A., Western International University</p>	<p><b>Michael Jacob (2022)</b>  <i>Associate VP Chief Information Officer</i>            B.S., Brigham Young University, Idaho            M.B.A., Idaho State University</p>	<p><b>Christine M. Schaefer (2023)</b>  <i>Associate Vice President of Human Resources</i>            B.S., Thomas Edison State College, Trenton, NJ            SPHR            SHRM-SCP</p>
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# Administrative Staff

<p><b>Marletha Baloo (2004)</b>  <i>Director of Financial Aid</i>            A.G.S. Northland Pioneer College</p> <p><b>Craig Boston (2020)</b>  <i>Director of Small Business Development Center</i>            B.S., Grand Canyon University</p> <p><b>Richard Chanick (2019)</b>  <i>Workforce and Economic Development Officer</i>            B.S., United States Air Force Academy</p> <p><b>Sarah Clark (2024)</b>  <i>Behavioral Health Program Coordinator</i>            B.S., Brigham Young University</p> <p><b>Luann Crosby (2016)</b>  <i>Director of Library Services</i>            B.S., Brigham Young University            M.A., University of Arizona</p> <p><b>Charles DiCarlo (2024)</b>  <i>Director of Enterprise and Data Systems</i>            B.S., University of Maryland, UC            M.S., Northeastern University            M.B.A./Entrepreneurship, USC, Marshall School of Business</p> <p><b>Scott Flake (2020)</b>  <i>Controller</i>            BAcc., MAcc., Southern Utah University</p> <p><b>Lance Heister (2023)</b>  <i>Director of Total Rewards</i>            B.A., Virginia Tech            M.A., Northern Arizona University</p>	<p><b>Joshua Jeffery (2022)</b>  <i>Interim Director of Early College Programs</i>            A.A, Clackamas Community College            B.A., Warner Pacific College            M.T.S., Vanderbilt University            M.A., University of Tennessee</p> <p><b>Russell Kupfer (2023)</b>  <i>Director of Financial Services</i>            BAcc., M.A.I.S, Arizona State University</p> <p><b>Chad Kreuger (2023)</b>  <i>Director of Public Safety Education</i></p> <p><b>Dr. Allison Landy (2016)</b>  <i>Associate Dean of Educator Preparation Programs</i>            B.A., North Central College            M.Ed., Arizona State University            Ed.D., Northern Arizona University</p> <p><b>Dr. Wei Ma (2020)</b>  <i>Dean of Instructional Innovation</i>            M.A., Ball State University            Ph.D., Ball State University</p> <p><b>Kathryn Matott (2020)</b>  <i>Director of Communications</i>            B.S., University of Wisconsin            M.A., Eastern New Mexico University</p> <p><b>Melody Niesen (2018)</b>  <i>Dean of Arts and Sciences</i>            B.A., M.A., University of Idaho</p> <p><b>Frank Pinnell (2004)</b>  <i>Director of CTE Program Development &amp; Sustainability</i>            A.A., Northland Pioneer College</p>
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# Northland Pioneer College Administrative Staff

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**Jeremy Raisor (2012)**

*Dean of Career and Technical Education*

B.A., M.B.A., Utah State University

**Joshua Rogers (2014)**

*Director of Student Services*

B.S., M.B.A., University of Phoenix

**Dr. Tabitha Stickel (2022)**

*Associate Dean, College and Career Preparation*

B.S., Oregon State University

M.Ed., Teachers College, Columbia University

Ph.D., Pennsylvania State University

**Debra Stuart (2023)**

*Director of Technical Services*

A.A.S., B.S., Brigham Young University

**Tonya Thacker (2023)**

*Title III Project Director/Native American Student Success*

B.S., University of New Mexico

M.A., New Mexico State University

**Nicole Ulibarri (2008)**

*Director of Employee Relations /Apache County Coordinator*

B.S., M.B.A., Western Governor's University

**Justin White (2014)**

*Director of Facilities & Transportation*

A.A.S., Arapahoe Community College

A.S., Arizona State University Ira. A. Fulton School of  
Engineering

**Betsy Ann Wilson (2014)**

*Executive Director, NPC Friends & Family*

B.S., University of Arizona

**Dr. Judy Yip-Reyes (2017)**

*Director of Institutional Effectiveness*

B.A., University of Hong Kong

M.A., Kent State University

Ph.D., University of Southern California

**Ruth Zimmerman (2017)**

*Dean of Nursing*

B.S. Arizona State University

M.S. University of Phoenix

# Northland Pioneer College Faculty

**Rachel Arroyo-Townsend (2019)**

*Faculty: Business; BUS/ECN Department Chair*

B.S., Northern Arizona University

M.B.A., University of Phoenix

**Stacy Ashcraft (2012)**

*Faculty: Cosmetology*

A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

**Carlos Baki (2023)**

*Faculty in Behavioral Health*

B.A. M.A.,

Graduate Certificate Program in Psychology, Western  
New Mexico University

**Kathleen Berlyn (2021)**

*Faculty: Biology*

A.A., Phoenix College, Liberal Arts

B.S., Arizona State University

Ph.D., University of Arizona

**Harshika Bhatt (2019)**

*Faculty: College and Career Preparation*

ABus, Northland Pioneer College

B.S., Thomas Edison State College

M.Ed., Moreland University

**Fred Boggs (2021)**

*Faculty: Nursing Assistant Training*

A.S., Scottsdale Community College

B.S., University of Arizona

**Dr. Michael Broyles (2020)**

*Curriculum Coordinator*

B.A., Arizona State University

M.A. Arizona State University

Ph.D., Arizona State University

**Brian Burson (2006)**

*Faculty: Mathematics*

A.A., Central Arizona College

B.A., Arizona State University

M.Ed., Northern Arizona University

**Cathleen Burson (2017)**

*Faculty: Education and College and Career Preparation*

A.A., Central Arizona College

B.S., M.Ed., Northern Arizona University

**Don Butler (2023)**

*Faculty in Automotive Technology*

A.A., Central Arizona College

**Mark Camisa (2022)**

*Faculty: Criminal Justice*

A.A., Shasta College

B.S., California University of Chico

M.S., Central Washington University

**Candy Canter (2018)**

*Faculty: Medical Assistant*

B.S.N., Grand Canyon University

**Rachel Channell (2022)**

*Faculty: Behavioral Health*

B.S., M.S., Brigham Young University

**Autom Christensen (2007)**

*Faculty: Cosmetology*

A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

**Ruth Creek-Rhoades (2012)**

*Faculty: Education and College and Career Preparation*

B.A., M.Ed., Northern Arizona University

**Dana Copland (2022)**

*Faculty: Allied Health*

A.S., Trocaire College

B.S., State University of New York

M.S., D'Youville College

**Lindsey Cummins (2021)**

*Faculty: Cosmetology*

**Andi DeBellis (2022)**

*Faculty: Instructional Designer*

B.S., M.A., Georgetown University

**John Deaton (1979)**

*Faculty: Political Science*

B.A., M.A., California State University Chico

Additional Studies: Northland Pioneer College

Grand Canyon University, University of Phoenix

Northern Arizona University

**Shandiin Deputee (2013)**

*Faculty: College and Career Preparation*

A.A., Northland Pioneer College

B.A., Arizona State University

**Chloe Fagotti (2005)**

*Faculty: Cosmetology*

A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

**Renee Freese (2019)**

*Faculty: Allied Health*

A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

B.S.N., Grand Canyon University

M.S.N., Grand Canyon University

# Northland Pioneer College Faculty

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**Brian Gardner (2007)**

*Faculty: Emergency Medical Technology*  
A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

**Cyli Geisler (2022)**

*Faculty: Welding*

**James Gil (2020)**

*Faculty: Mathematics*  
B.N.S., Seoul National University  
M.A., University at Buffalo

**Magdalene Gluszek (2011)**

*Faculty: Art*  
B.A./B.F.A., State University of New York College  
M.F.A., University of Florida

**Dr. Amy Grey (2014)**

*Faculty: History and Social Sciences*  
B.A., Mills College;  
M.A., Northern Arizona University  
Ph.D., University of Arizona

**Daniel Groeneveld (2020)**

*Faculty: Computer Information Systems*  
A.A., Northland Pioneer College

**Dr. Richard Harris (2011)**

*Faculty: Spanish*  
A.A., Mesa Community College  
B.A., M.A., Arizona State University  
Ed.D., North Central University

**Sam L. Harris (2014)**

*Faculty: Automotive Technology*  
A.A., Northland Pioneer College

**Aaron Hatch (2022)**

*Faculty: Cosmetology*  
A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

**Dr. Eleanore Hempsey (2013)**

*Faculty: Biology*  
B.S., University of Redlands  
M.Phil., University of Cambridge  
Ph.D., University of Ulster, Coleraine

**Alexander Henderson (2020)**

*Faculty: Mathematics*  
B.A., M.S., University of Nevada, Reno  
Ph.D., University of California, Riverside

**Nichole Hendricks (2020)**

*Faculty: English Language Acquisition for Adults*  
A.A., Northland Pioneer College  
B.A., Northern Arizona University

**Anthony Hill (2015)**

*Faculty: College and Career Preparation*  
A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College  
B.S., Arizona State University  
M.Ed., University of Phoenix

**Dr. Susan Hoffman (2018)**

*Faculty: Biology*  
A.A., St. Petersburg Junior College  
B.S., Avila College  
Ph.D. University of South Florida

**William Holly (2022)**

*Faculty: History*  
B.A. Central Washington University  
M.A. Central Washington University

**Randall Hoskins (2003)**

*Faculty: Welding*  
A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

**Michelle Hunt (2007)**

*Faculty: Nursing*  
B.S.N., Grand Canyon University  
M.S.N., University of Phoenix

**Dawn Johnson (2007)**

*Faculty: College and Career Preparation*  
A.A., Northland Pioneer College  
B.A., Northern Arizona University

**Michael Lynn Johnson (2022)**

*Faculty: Sports Medicine*  
B.S., Northern Arizona University  
D.O., University of St. Augustine

**Ryan T. Jones (1998)**

*Faculty: English*  
B.A., M.A., University of Utah

**Deborah Keith (2006)**

*Faculty: Nursing*  
A.S.N., Wallace State Community College – Selma  
B.S.N., University of Auburn at Montgomery  
M.S.N., University of Phoenix

**Wesley King (2014)**

*Faculty: Welding*  
B.S., Northern Arizona University

**Charlene Klingel (2022)**

*Faculty: Business*  
B.B.A., University of South Africa  
M.B.A., University of the People

**Kurry Klingel (2018)**

*Faculty: Business*  
B.B.A., Franklin University  
M.B.A., Marylhurst University  
D.B.A., California Southern University



# Northland Pioneer College Faculty

## Evgeniy Kukalov (2022)

*Faculty: Geology*

B.S., Novosibirsk State University, Russia

Ph.D., Michigan Technological University

## Shanna Kukla (2020)

*Practicum Supervisor*

B.S, M.S.N., Lesley University

## Joyce Kuhn (2022)

*Faculty: Nursing Assistant Training*

B.S.N., Grand Canyon University

## Glenna LaVoie (2017)

*Faculty: Cosmetology*

## Jeffrey LeFevre (2023)

*Faculty in Energy & Industrial Technician*

B.S., University of Arizona

## James Leslie (2021)

*Faculty: Welding*

## Patricia Lopez (2011)

*Faculty: Biology*

B.S., Louisiana Technical University

M.S., University of Arizona

## Maria Masci (2022)

*Faculty: Spanish*

M.ED., Northern Arizona University

M.A., University of Siena

M.A., University of Lynchburg

B.A., Randolph College

## Elizabeth McKey (2021)

*Faculty: Nurse Assistant Training/Program Coordinator*

B.S.N., M.S.N., Western Governors University

## Jennifer Merritt (2022)

*Faculty: Computer Information Systems*

B.S, M.S., University of Phoenix

## Jorge Meza (2015)

*Faculty: Construction Technology*

## Mathew Moore (2017)

*Faculty: Medical Assistant*

Doctor of Chiropractic, Parker University

## Latonya Motley (2020)

*Faculty: Educational Technology*

A.A.S., Fayetteville Technical Community College

B.A.A.S., St. Edwards University

M.S., California State University, Fullerton

Education Specialist, Wayne State University

## Donald Tyler Myers (2022)

*Faculty: Nursing*

A.S.N., Eastern Arizona College

B.S.N., Grand Canyon University

## Ryan Orr (2022)

*Faculty: English*

B.I.S., M.A., Arizona State University

A.A., Northland Pioneer College

## Frank Pinnell (2005)

*Faculty: Welding*

A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

## Michelle Prentice (2020)

*Faculty: EMS Program Coordinator*

B.A.S., B.S., Northern Arizona University

## Dr. Shan Qin (2020)

*Faculty: Chemistry/Biology*

B.S., M.S., Huazhong Agricultural University

Ph.D., Institute of Hydrobiology, Chinese Academy of Sciences

## Jesse Reeck (2022)

*Faculty: College and Career Preparation*

B.A., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

M.A., Duke University

## Clay Rice (2023)

*Faculty in Welding*

A.A., Western New Mexico University

## Robin Rickli (2023)

*Faculty in Anthropology*

B.A., Northern Arizona University

M.A., Northern Arizona University

## Richard Carson Saline (2022)

*Faculty: Theater & Speech*

B.F.A., University of Oklahoma

M.F.A., University of Idaho

## Ferryn Sam (2011)

*Faculty: Cosmetology*

A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

## Joanne Samuel (2019)

*Faculty: Nursing*

A.S.N., Laramie County Community College

B.S.N., M.S.N., Grand Canyon University

## Dr. Gary Santillanes (2016)

*Faculty: Philosophy*

A.A., Central New Mexico Community College

B.A., University of New Mexico

M.A., Texas Tech University

Ph.D., Binghamton University

## Dr. Inez Schaechterle (2015)

*Faculty: English*

B.S., M.S., M.A., University of Nevada - Reno

Ph.D. Bowling Green State University

# Northland Pioneer College Faculty

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**Shawntel Skousen (2024)**

*Faculty: English*

**Dr. David Smith (2005)**

*Faculty: Biology*

B.S., University of Arizona

M.S., University of Bridgeport

Ph.D., Brigham Young University

**Bill Solomon (2004)**

*Faculty: Fire Science*

B.S., Arizona State University

**Dylan Stiegemeire (2024)**

*Faculty in Political Science*

**Jeffrey Strong (2016)**

*Faculty: Mathematics*

B.A., M.A., Brigham Young University

**Scott Waite (2022)**

*Faculty: Chemistry*

B.S., University of Arizona

Ph. D., University of Utah

**Dr. Chun-Hung Wang (2020)**

*Faculty: Chemistry/Biology*

B.S., M.S., Ming-Hsiung, Chia-Yi, Taiwan, Republic of  
China

Ph.D., Washington State University

**Kalisa Wilson (2022)**

*Faculty: Computer Information Systems*

B.S., University of Phoenix

M.S., Full Sail University

M.S., Capella University

**Xu “Shirley” Xie (2020)**

*Faculty: Mathematics*

A.A., Northland Pioneer College

B.B.A., Northern Arizona University

M.S., Emporia State University

**Peterson Yazzie (2011)**

*Faculty: Art*

A.A., B.A., Institute of American Indian Arts

M.A., University of New Mexico

# Emeriti

(Year Hired)

## Anne Abbey (1991)

*Administrative Assistant to the President*  
Business & Community Education Director  
B.S., Northern Arizona University

## David R. Abel (1977)

*Faculty: Psychology and Physical Education/  
ASNPC Faculty Advisor*  
B.S., M.A., Northern Arizona University  
Additional Studies: Northern Arizona University

## Loyelin Aceves (1993)

*Community and Corporate Learning Specialist*  
A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

## Theresa Artz-Howard (1999)

*Faculty: Nursing Assistant*  
A.G.S., Northland Pioneer College  
B.S.N., M.S.N., University of New Mexico  
Additional Studies: Arizona State University  
Western Michigan University, Phoenix College South  
Mountain Community College  
Estrella Mountain Community College

## Donna Ashcraft (1986)

*Faculty: English*  
B.G.S., University of Iowa; M.A., Norwich  
University; Additional Studies: University of Iowa  
Northern Arizona University  
Texas Tech University, Northland Pioneer College

## JoAnn Barnes-Slocum (1994)

*Graphic Designer and Publication Specialist*  
A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

## Elizabeth Batson (2000)

*Records and Registration Clerk, Veterans Certifying Official*

## Peggy Belknap (1990)

*Dean of Career and Technical Education*  
A.A., Northland Pioneer College  
B.G.S., M.Ed, Northern Arizona University

## Lorraine Benally (1995)

*Center Manager, Kayenta*  
A.A., Northland Pioneer College

## Vicki Bessinger (1996)

*Bookstore Manager*  
A.G.S., Northland Pioneer College  
A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

## Eric Bishop (2006)

*Director of Information Services*  
A.A.S., Gateway Community College  
B.S., Devry University; M.S., Boston University

## Eli Blake (1998) Deceased 2020

*Faculty: Mathematics*  
B. S., New Mexico Institute of Mining and  
Technology  
M.S., New Mexico Institute of Mining and  
Technology

## Beulah Bob-Pennypacker (1994)

*Director of Financial Aid*  
B.G.S., Northern Arizona University

## James R. Boblett (1976)

*Faculty: Psychology*  
B.S., M.A., Northern Arizona University  
Additional Studies: Arizona State University

## Catherine Borum (1976) Deceased 2001

*Faculty: Administrative Information Services*  
A.A., Stephens College; B.S. and M.B.A., UCLA Ad-  
ditional Studies: Northern Arizona University Arizona  
State University

## Lynn Browne-Wagner (2006)

*Faculty: Emergency Medical Technology*  
A.D.N., Scottsdale Community College  
B.S.N., Arizona State University  
M.S.N., Walden University

## Gail Campbell (2013)

*Associate Dean of College and Career Preparation*  
B.S., Colorado State University  
M.A., University of New Mexico

## Dr. Patrick Canary (2002)

*Faculty: Biology*  
*Dean of Arts and Sciences*  
B.S., M.S., Cleveland State University; Ph.D.  
West Virginia University

## Curtis Casey (2000)

*Faculty: Welding/Program Coordinator*  
A.A.S., Maricopa Tech College

## Michael Chance (2002)

*Information Services Support Technician*  
A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

## Tracy Chase (2007)

*Faculty: Business and Computer Information Systems*  
A.A., Northland Pioneer College  
B.S., University of Phoenix

## Leslie Collins (2000)

*Academic Advisor*  
B.S., M.Ed., Arizona State University



# Emeriti

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**Lois Coltrin (1985)**

*Faculty: Administrative Information Services*  
B.S., Brigham Young University  
M.A., Northern Arizona University

**Janice Cortina (2010)**

*Faculty: College and Career Preparation*  
B.S., Northern Arizona University  
M.S., Walden University

**Kim Crossland (1991)**

*Financial Aid Advisor/Technician*  
A.A., Northland Pioneer College

**Myrtle Dayzie-Grey (2000)**

*Center Manager*  
A.G.S., Northland Pioneer College  
A.A., Dine College

**Jill M. Diemer (1984)**

*Faculty: Computer Information Services*  
A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College  
B.S., Ball State University  
M.F.A., Indiana University  
Additional Studies: University of Arizona

**Joel C. Eittreim (1979)**

*Director, Extended Learning Services*  
B.S., M.A., Arizona State University  
Certification in Economic Development Finance Professional

**Shirley Eittreim (1981)**

*Faculty: Administrative Information Services*  
B.A., M.A., Arizona State University  
Additional Studies: Arizona State University  
Northern Arizona University

**Claude Endfield (1988)**

*Faculty: Early Childhood Education*  
A.A.S., A.A., Northland Pioneer College  
B.S., Arizona State University  
M.A., Nova University

**Marva Fellows (1990)**

*Academic Advisor & Veterans Programs*  
A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

**Barbara S. Frawley (1992)**

*Secretary, Disability Resource & Access Office*  
A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

**Heidi Fulcher (1986)**

*Dean: Developmental Services*  
A.A., Scottsdale Community College  
B.A., M.Ed., Arizona State University  
Additional Studies: Appalachian State University

**Ronald Goulet (1994)**

*Faculty: English*  
B.S. Northern Arizona University  
M.A., San Francisco State University

**Dr. Barry Graham (2000)**

*Faculty: Mathematics*  
B.A., Pacific Union College  
M.A., Ph.D., University of California

**Martin Grubb (1980) Deceased 2001**

*Faculty: Business*  
B.A., San Fernando State College  
M.B.A., University of Phoenix

**V. Blaine Hatch (2000)**

*Vice President for Administrative Services*  
B.A., M.B.A., Brigham Young University

**Richard “Dick” Heimann (2003)**

*Faculty: Education*  
B.A., M.A., Arizona State University

**Dr. Eric Henderson (2004) Deceased 2020**

*Faculty: Social and Behavioral Sciences*  
B.A., Portland State University  
J.D., Ph.D., University of Arizona

**Phillip Hiatt (1996)**

*Maintenance III*

**Cynthia Hildebrand (1981)**

*System Analyst*

**Emma Hillend (2003)**

*Assistant to the Campus Manager*  
A.A., A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

**Barbara Hockabout (2000)**

*Faculty: English*  
B.A., University of California – Berkeley  
M.A., Gonzaga University; Additional Studies  
University of Idaho, California State University

**Tracy Holt-Mancuso (2010)**

*Director of Small Business Development Center*  
B.S., University of Phoenix  
M.B.A., Grand Canyon University

**David Huish (1996)**

*Director of Construction*  
B.A., Arizona State University  
M.A., Northern Arizona University

**Joyce Hunt (1980)**

*Payroll Supervisor*  
A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

# Emeriti

## Janet Hunter (1996)

*Faculty: Administrative Information Services*  
B.S., Pennsylvania State University  
M.S., M.B., Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University  
Additional Studies: Northland Pioneer College, Northern Arizona University

## Cynthia Hutton (2003)

*Faculty: Biology*  
A.S., Holyoke Community College  
B.A., M.A., Mount Holyoke College

## Rickey Jackson (2004)

*Dean of Arts and Sciences*  
A.A., Central Arizona College  
B.S., M.Ed., Northern Arizona University

## Dr. James S. Jacob (2001)

*Faculty: Biology*  
B.S., M.S., Stephen F. Austin State University  
Ph.D., University of New Mexico

## Susan Jamison (2008)

*Faculty: Nursing*  
B.S.N., University of Arizona  
M.S., Northern Arizona University

## Dr. Sandra Johnson (2003)

*Faculty: Education*  
B.A., Dana College; M.Ed., Ed. Specialist  
Ph.D., University of Arizona;  
Additional Studies: University of Alaska  
Western Michigan University  
University of Oregon  
Weber State College, University of Phoenix

## Dana Jolly (2005)

*Faculty: Nursing*  
B.S., Emory University  
M.S.N., University of Arizona

## Kenneth Keith (2005)

*Faculty: Industrial Technology and Program Coordinator*  
B.S., M.S., University of Phoenix

## Charles Kermes (1986)

*Faculty: Sociology; Dean of Business & Technology*  
*Associate Dean for Instructional Support, Project*  
*Director for School to Work, Coordinator of Career Planning*  
*and Placement*  
B.A., State University of New York at Buffalo  
M.A., Syracuse University

## Lynda Klingler (1991)

*Library Media Tech*  
B.S., Oregon State University

## Rose Kreher (2001)

*Administrative Assistant to the V.P. of Learning*  
B.A., University of Colorado  
M.A., University of Denver

## Janice Kraai (1989)

*Faculty: Developmental Services*  
B.A., University of Michigan  
M.A., University of Arizona

## Leonard Lee (1981)

*Maintenance II*  
A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

## Dr. Clifton Lewis (1974)

*Faculty: Foreign Languages*  
B.A., Brigham Young University  
M.A., Ph.D., University of New Mexico

## Hallie Lucas (2000)

*Administrative Assistant for Learning*  
A.A.S., Northland Pioneer College

## Dr. Eugene Luke (1974)

*Faculty: English*  
B.A., Ph.D., North Texas State University  
M.A., University of Wisconsin

## Gary Mack (1992)

*Faculty: Mathematics*  
B.S., Northern Arizona University  
M.S., University of Arizona  
Additional Studies: Northern Arizona University

## Carol Maddin (1980)

*Academic Advising Coordinator*  
*Faculty: Human Development*  
B.S., Central Missouri State College  
M.S., University of Missouri-Kansas City  
Additional Studies: Loyola University  
Arizona State University  
Colorado State University

## Brenda Manthei (1988)

*Faculty: Biology*  
*Dean of Science and Mathematics*  
B.A., M.A., New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology  
Additional Studies: Northern Arizona University

## Ana Marquez (1995)

*Assistant to the Campus Manager*  
B.A., Arizona State University  
A.A., Arizona Western College

## Renee Maxwell (1989)

*Records & Registration Clerk*

# Emeriti

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**Dr. Debra McGinty (2016)**

*Dean of Nursing and Allied Health*  
B.S., University of Cincinnati  
M.N., University of Washington  
M.B.A., University of Phoenix  
Ph.D., University of Arizona

**Kathy McPherson (2001)**

*Campus Manager*  
A.A., Northland Pioneer College

**Dr. Jac Morse (1983)**

*Business Department Chair,  
Director Extended Education Division*  
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