



# New Faculty Orientation

*August 2022*



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# NEW FACULTY DIRECTORY 2022-2023

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## COLLEGE OF APPLIED STUDIES PANAMA CITY, FL CAMPUS

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**BRE'A MINNIEFIELD**

TEACHING FACULTY I

Department of Biological Science

Degree Institution: University of Alabama–Birmingham, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Biomedical research, public health-epidemiology, genetics and genomics, bioinformatics, general biology, and teaching-as-research.



**SARAH WOFFORD-MARES**

TEACHING FACULTY I

[sw22ba@fsu.edu](mailto:sw22ba@fsu.edu)

Department of Biological Science

Degree Institution: Bowling Green State University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Biological and ecological function of aquatic systems, marine biology, behavioral ecology and animal behavior, sensory ecology, and anthropogenic impacts on natural systems.



**SAEED RAJPUT**

TEACHING FACULTY III

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Department of Computer Engineering

Degree Institution: University of Southern California, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Cyber security, security compliance, blockchains, machine learning, data science, digital communications, and networks and cryptography.



**AIMEE FRIER**

TEACHING FACULTY I

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Department of Elementary Education

Degree Institution: University of South Florida, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Reading instructional practices for students with learning differences, literacy and technology, preservice teacher education, and qualitative research methods.



**DIANA SIMPSON**

TEACHING FACULTY I

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Department of Financial Planning

Degree Institution: Auburn University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Curriculum development and program evaluation in financial education and financial literacy assessment, behavioral finance, practice management, personal financial planning investments, tax and estate planning, risk management and insurance, and retirement and college planning.

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**GOVINDA PAGENI**

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Department of Mathematics

Degree Institution: University of Louisiana–Lafayette, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Differential equations with fractional order with the concentration in a system of fractional differential equations via the Laplace Transform method, and using this emerging branch to study the epidemiological models of infectious diseases with fractional derivative.

**TEACHING FACULTY I**

<https://youtu.be/X9xryljN6E8>



**JASON SMITH**

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Department of Nurse Anesthesia

Degree Institution: Troy University, D.P.N.

Research Interests: Alternative sedation techniques.

**TEACHING FACULTY I**

<https://youtu.be/CzbkpSe5aZk>



**ANDRESSA SLEIMAN**

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Department of Organizational Management and Communications

Degree Institution: University of Florida, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Behavior analysis, organizational behavior management, behavioral safety, communication, consulting skills, procedural adherence in healthcare, leadership, self-management, and organizational assessment tools.

**TEACHING FACULTY I**



**EMILY "NIKKI" DICKENS**

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Early Childhood Autism Program

Degree Institution: Florida State University, Ed.D.

Teaching Interests: Applied behavior analysis, supervision and leadership, and organization and behavior management; with research including early intervention in autism, OBM in the workplace, and environment assessment.

**VISITING TEACHING FACULTY I  
AND DIRECTOR**

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## COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

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**BIN OUYANG**

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Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

Degree Institution: McGill University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Developing and applying data-driven approaches to understand the structure-property-synthesis relationship, and a particular emphasis on compounds with different forms of disordering.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

<https://youtu.be/Xv8r7Pi1Nos>



**WEN ZHU**

Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

Degree Institution: Purdue University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Unlocking the fundamental basis of enzyme catalysis and translate the power of nature into novel strategies in biotechnology and drug discovery.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**



**SARAH CRAFT**

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Department of Classics

Degree Institution: Brown University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Landscape archaeology, late Roman travel infrastructure, early Christian pilgrimage routes, churches, and saints' lives; Geographic Information Systems (GIS), digital humanities and pedagogy.

**TEACHING FACULTY I**



**AMY DILL**

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Department of Classics

Degree Institution: Florida State University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Ancient Mediterranean culture and its reception.

**TEACHING FACULTY I**



**STEPHEN SANSOM**

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Department of Classics

Degree Institution: Stanford University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Hellenist specializing in early Greek poetry and its reception; especially epic, aesthetics, and digital humanities.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

<https://youtu.be/aGDwPTb3erQ>

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## COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES



**YI LIU**

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

Department of Computer Science

Degree Institution: Texas A&M University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Advancing graph AI techniques and using AI to solve a wide range of problems in science, including quantum chemistry, material science, biological science, bioinformatics, and more.



**GUANG WANG**

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

<https://youtu.be/hdWCEsIrlsg>

Department of Computer Science

Degree Institution: Rutgers University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: The intersection of cyber-physical systems, big data analytics, artificial intelligence, and human-centered computing, especially for applications to smart cities and human mobility.



**RICHARD BONO**

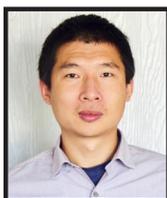
**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

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Department of Earth, Ocean and Atmospheric Science

Degree Institution: University of Rochester, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Understanding Earth's ancient magnetic field, the evolution of the deep interior, and the interplay between the solid Earth and habitability. Using paleomagnetism, solid Earth geodynamics and statistical models to gain insight on the nature and evolution of Earth's magnetic field in deep time.



**SHANTONG SUN**

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

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Department of Earth, Ocean and Atmospheric Science

Degree Institution: University of California-San Diego, Ph.D.

Research Interests: The dynamics of the climate system, with a focus on the large-scale ocean circulation and its interaction with the atmosphere and cryosphere.



**KAMILA ALBERT**

**TEACHING FACULTY I**

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Department of English

Degree Institution: Florida State University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Writing center studies, multimodal composition pedagogy, visual literacy, and digital literacy.

# NEW FACULTY DIRECTORY 2022-2023

## COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES



**MAIS T. AL-KHATEEB**

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Department of English

Degree Institution: New Mexico State University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Engaging 20th and 21st century contemporary rhetorical studies from a transnational feminist perspective. Theorizing local/global encounters within the rhetoric of crisis with a focus on refugees, embodiment, and (im)mobility. Interdisciplinary approaches bring together transnational feminist rhetorical studies with disability studies, discourses of health and medicine, critical posthumanism, and new materialism.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

<https://youtu.be/MGbxvEi7B6I>



**RONISHA BROWDY**

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Department of English

Degree Institution: Michigan State University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Centralizing Black women as rhetorical agents, specifically studying how Black women in public and private spaces use naming, storytelling, and other unconventional and non-traditional rhetorical and communicative practices to resist stereotypes and affirm their own subjectivities and experiences.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

<https://youtu.be/phcAlc2Ay0o>



**CHRISTOPHER OKONKWO**

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Department of English

Degree Institution: Florida State University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Twentieth- and twenty-first century literatures and cultural productions of Africa and the diaspora; slavery, modernity, colonization, (post) colonization and black literatures; cultural studies; the Black Atlantic; migration; transnationalism; Chinua Achebe-Toni Morrison studies; (Black) literature and music; and critical theories.

**PROFESSOR**



**KATHLEEN POWERS CONTI**

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Department of History

Degree Institution: University of Texas–Austin, Ph.D.

Research Interests: History and historic preservation across the Americas and the former Soviet Union, focusing on preservation and interpretation of places of “difficult heritage”—sites of trauma, contested history, or atrocities.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

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**WEIWEI LUO**

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

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Department of History

Degree Institution: Columbia University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Legal and economic history, especially the creation of formal and informal legal institutions in non-Western societies, and comparative histories of legal transformations.



**MALBOR ASLLANI**

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

Department of Mathematics

Degree Institution: University of Insubria and University of Florence (both Italy), Ph.D.

Research Interests: Complex systems/networks (structure and dynamics), mathematical biology (pattern formation and synchronization), data science (inference and data mining methods), and computational neuroscience (neurostimulation).



**BRYCE MORSKY**

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

Department of Mathematics

Degree Institution: University of Guelph (Ontario, Canada), Ph.D.

Research Interests: Understanding complex biological and social systems through mathematical modeling of behavioral, ecological, and evolutionary processes; and employing game theory and focus on cooperation spanning human societies to microbes with applications to social norms, infectious disease, and cancer.



**THANG NGUYEN**

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

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Department of Mathematics

Degree Institution: Indiana University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Studying geometry, dynamical systems, and geometric group theory; more specifically, looking for rigidity phenomena, especially the phenomenon having a lot of symmetries, in geometry of objects or systems.



**WOJCIECH OŻAŃSKI**

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

Department of Mathematics

Degree Institution: University of Warwick (England), Ph.D.

Research Interests: Mathematical theory of incompressible fluid mechanics, including well-posed theory of the Navier-Stokes equations, the Euler equations, and other models, as well as partial regularity theory, free-boundary flows, fluid-structure interaction. Interested in blow-up and nonunique phenomena, bifurcation theory and harmonic analysis.

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**TOM JUZEK**

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

Department of Modern Languages and Linguistics

Degree Institution: University of Oxford (England), Ph.D.

Research Interests: Combining computational and experimental approaches to gain deeper insights into morpho-syntactic questions, and to further linguistic theory.



**DIEGO MEJIA-PRADO**

**TEACHING FACULTY I**

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Department of Modern Languages and Linguistics

Degree Institution: Florida State University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: The intersection between natural and social sciences, environmental humanities, and biodiversity conservation in Amazonian communities.



**COURTNEY FUGATE**

**ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR**

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Department of Philosophy

Degree Institution: Katholieke Universiteit Leuven (Belgium), Ph.D.

Research Interests: Modern German philosophy, including Kant's theoretical and practical work.



**CYPRIAN LEWANDOWSKI**

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

<https://youtu.be/u0m9FKOyq30>

Department of Physics

Degree Institution: Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Ph.D.

Research Interests: Ability of interactions in a condensed matter system to completely alter that system's behavior, which in turn gives rise to emergent electronic phenomena; exploring fundamental condensed matter effects as well as identifying novel potential applications of quantum effects; and the close connection between theory and experiments, both in developing an understanding of interaction effects, and in shaping the questions asked.



**MASSIMO MARENGO**

**PROFESSOR**

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Department of Physics

Degree Institution: International School for Advanced Studies (Italy), Ph.D.

Research Interests: Observational stellar astrophysics: determination of precise distances in the local and far universe using variable stars; study of stellar populations and stellar properties; and analysis of extrasolar planetary systems and their asteroid belts.

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## COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES



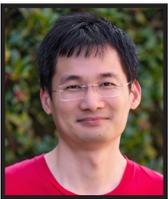
**MAYLY SANCHEZ**

**PROFESSOR**

Department of Physics

Degree Institution: Tufts University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Measuring the properties of neutrinos, subatomic particles that rarely interact with matter, which could tell us about the matter-anti-matter asymmetry of the Universe, and the challenges which neutrino detection poses.



**TSZ LEUNG "RYAN" TANG**

**RESEARCH FACULTY II**

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Department of Physics

Degree Institution: University of Tokyo (Japan), Ph.D.

Research Interests: Understanding the nuclear structure using nucleons transfer reactions, and automation of data acquisition and analysis.



**VICTOR BUITRON**

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

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Department of Psychology

Degree Institution: Florida International University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Studying the etiology and prevention of suicidal behavior among youth, with emphasis on interpersonal functioning and health behavior.



**CATERINA GRATTON**

**ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR**

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Department of Psychology

Degree Institution: University of California–Berkeley, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Studying networks in the brain and how they contribute to complex behavior.



**IRMAK OLCAYSOY OKTEN**

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<https://youtu.be/0SUt-Nt7csU>

Department of Psychology

Degree Institution: Lehigh University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Social cognition and motivation with a specific focus on the processes of impression formation and updating, uncertainty reduction, and goal implementation.

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## COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

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**JOHN COLE**

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Department of Religion and Program in Interdisciplinary Humanities

Degree Institution: Florida State University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Legal and resistance narratives, how they shape communal identities, and how they inspire ethical action to effect impactful change.

VISITING TEACHING FACULTY I



**ANDREW DURDIN**

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Department of Religion

Degree Institution: University of Chicago, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Advancing critical approaches to the study of religion—particularly in how modern assumptions about religion and society have come to shape scholarly and non-scholarly understanding of ancient cultures and their relevance to contemporary readers, with the focus on the religions of the high Roman Empire, and an emphasis on texts and practices typically classified as magical and/or occult.

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR



**NICK DEXTER**

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Department of Scientific Computing

Degree Institution: University of Tennessee, Ph.D.

Research Interests: The intersection of scientific computing, data science, numerical analysis, compressed sensing, machine learning, approximation theory, probability theory, and optimization; and investigation of the recovery of objects (functions, images, signals, etc.) from limited amounts of data by combining sparse approximation techniques with emergent methods from the field of deep learning to enable near-optimal recovery schemes that are stable and robust in the presence of noise.

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR



**OLMO S. ZAVALA-ROMERO**

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Department of Scientific Computing

Degree Institution: Florida State University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Applied machine learning in earth sciences and medical imaging, Lagrangian analysis of physical oceanographic phenomena, and geospatial data analysis and visualization.

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

<https://youtu.be/nFvTzFOH-eE>

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## COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

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**INDRABATI BHATTACHARYA**

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Department of Statistics

Degree Institution: North Carolina State University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Theoretical and applied aspects of Statistical research, focusing on Bayesian methods, machine learning, and causal inference problems.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

<https://youtu.be/LUO1rKXcBQY>



**MICHAEL JAUCH**

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Department of Statistics

Degree Institution: Duke University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Bayesian statistics, computational methods, multivariate data, inference under shape or stochastic order constraints, and scientific applications.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

<https://youtu.be/Z40p5WjO54w>



**JOSHUA LOYAL**

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Department of Statistics

Degree Institution: University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Statistical inference in complex networks and relational data, including their dynamic and multilayer variants, with an aim to develop computationally tractable Bayesian methods; and contributing methodology with applications to social networks, international relations, biological networks, and public health.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

<https://youtu.be/NyCO3ZacZ7c>

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## COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

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**CHRISTOPHER MCCOY**

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Department of Accounting

Degree Institution: University of Alabama, Ph.D.

Teaching Interests: Accounting for the internal activities of a business; managerial accounting, and corporate and partnership taxation; and non-standard accounting.

**TEACHING FACULTY I**



**GEORGE WILSON**

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Department of Accounting

Degree Institution: University of Georgia, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Capital market topics using archival methods, specifically investigating reactions to various types of information for firms who meet or miss certain earnings benchmarks, and teaching of managerial accounting topics.

**TEACHING FACULTY I**

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## COLLEGE OF BUSINESS



**BRIAN WINROW**

TEACHING FACULTY I

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Department of Accounting

Degree Institution: University of Alabama, LL.M.

Teaching Interests: Employing experiential learning techniques to the field of business taxation and research, including working with accounting practitioners to provide meaningful experiences to graduate and undergraduate students where they can apply the concepts and techniques learned in the classroom to the work environment.



**MATTHEW BAUCUM**

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

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Department of Business Analytics, Information Systems and Supply Chain

Degree Institution: University of Tennessee–Knoxville, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Applying machine learning and optimization techniques to healthcare, using optimization to uncover novel treatment strategies for substance use disorders, and modeling medical and public health problems as sequential decision-making problems (e.g., Markov decision processes) using longitudinal patient data.



**FAN ZOU**

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

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Department of Business Analytics, Information Systems and Supply Chain

Degree Institution: University of South Carolina, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Supply chain innovation, technology management, and supply chain network.



**JINGFANG WANG**

TEACHING FACULTY I

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Department of Finance

Degree Institution: Florida State University, Ph.D.

Teaching Interests: The areas of policy uncertainty, “FinTech,” and behavioral finance; teaching problems in financial management, security analysis, investments, multinational financial management, and financial modeling and forecasting.



**REMY JENNINGS**

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

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Department of Management

Degree Institution: University of Florida, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Understanding the burdens that leaders experience due to their unique position in the workplace, as well as developing interventions to improve leadership effectiveness.

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## COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

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**YOUNGEUN "YOUNG" LEE**

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Department of Management

Degree Institution: Texas A&M University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Questions about helping in the workplace, gender issues at work, and daily behavior that people engage in at work.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

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**BRAD KARL**

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Department of Risk Management/Insurance, Real Estate and Legal Studies

Degree Institution: Florida State University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: The economic consequences of risk, particularly as it relates to insurance regulation and catastrophes.

**ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR**



**MINGWEI "MAX" LIANG**

Department of Risk Management/Insurance, Real Estate and Legal Studies

Degree Institution: Syracuse University, Ph.D.

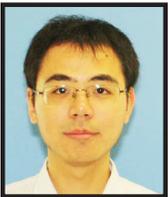
Research Interests: Commercial real estate pricing, real estate markets and strategy, REITs, and empirical corporate finance.

**VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

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## CENTER FOR ADVANCED POWER SYSTEMS (CAPS)

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**QICHEN YANG**

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Degree Institution: Georgia Institute of Technology, Ph.D. (Electrical and Computer Engineering)

Research Interests: Electrical and computer engineering, electromagnetic analysis, power electronics, wide band gap devices, and high voltage engineering.

**RESEARCH FACULTY I**

# NEW FACULTY DIRECTORY 2022-2023

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## COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION

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**RICHARD WATERS**

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School of Communication

Degree Institution: University of Florida, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Nonprofit communication and how these organizations cultivate relationships with their stakeholders, specifically focusing on advocacy-building efforts and fundraising processes, including major gift negotiations with million-dollar donors.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**



**ERIN BUSH**

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School of Communication Science and Disorders

Degree Institution: University of Nebraska–Lincoln, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Researching with and for people with communication disorders, specifically with interest in qualitative research methodologies.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**



**YASMEEN HAMZA**

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School of Communication Science and Disorders

Degree Institution: KU Leuven (Belgium), Ph.D.

Research Interests: Integrating clinical experiences with research, specifically auditory processing, speech perception, cochlear implants, tinnitus, aging, and cognition.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

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**ZILONG XIE**

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School of Communication Science and Disorders

Degree Institution: University of Texas–Austin, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Understanding of how aging and hearing loss impacts our ability to communicate.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

<https://youtu.be/vCqcB6qSLUg>

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## COLLEGE OF CRIMINOLOGY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE

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**BRYAN HOLMES**

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Degree Institution: University of Cincinnati, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Sentencing, race/ethnicity, inequity in punishment, courts, corrections, and quantitative methods.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

<https://youtu.be/20hMjfhLxE4>

# NEW FACULTY DIRECTORY 2022-2023

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## DEDMAN COLLEGE OF HOSPITALITY

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**JIEUN SONG**

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Emphasis on Recreation and Tourism

Degree Institution: Texas A&M University, Ph.D.

Teaching Interests: Commercial recreation and tourism.

**TEACHING FACULTY I**

[https://youtu.be/CJqW0yy\\_CKk](https://youtu.be/CJqW0yy_CKk)

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## COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

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**WALTER ECTON**

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Department of Educational Leadership and Policy Studies

Degree Institution: Vanderbilt University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: The intersections between high school, higher education, and the workforce, and the pathways students take as they navigate those sectors. In particular, the use of large administrative datasets to examine long-term outcomes for students in career and technical education and community colleges.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**



**KEVIN FOREHAND**

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Department of Educational Leadership and Policy Studies

Degree Institution: Nova Southeastern University, Ed.D.

Research Interests: Educational leadership, effective instructional practices, and legal aspects of public-school administration.

**TEACHING FACULTY I**



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Degree Institution: Vanderbilt University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Education policy, with a particular focus on school turnaround and improvement, low-performing schools, and teacher policy using quantitative methods to examine the extent to which public policy affects student, teacher, and school outcomes with a focus on students who have been traditionally underserved by public policy, programs and institutions.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

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# NEW FACULTY DIRECTORY 2022-2023

## COLLEGE OF EDUCATION



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Research Interests: Interdisciplinary scholarship on well-being and educational technologies at the intersection of cultural studies, sociology, and public policy.



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Research Interests: Leadership for equity, justice, diversity, and inclusion in k-12 schools, principal preparation, instructional technologies, and bilingual/multilingual education.



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Department of Educational Leadership and Policy Studies

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Research Interests: Using both quantitative and qualitative methods to interrogate systemic inequities in colleges and universities, and placing an emphasis on equity in pathways to and through graduate education as well as structures of mentorship in STEM fields.



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Department of Educational Psychology and Learning Systems

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Research Interests: The design, development, and evaluation of technology-rich learning experiences.



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**TEACHING FACULTY I**

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School of Teacher Education

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Research Interests: Social studies teacher preparation and development, the design and enactment of critical inquiries that center race in its exploration, the development of teachers' racial-pedagogical-content knowledge, and design-based research.

# NEW FACULTY DIRECTORY 2022-2023

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## COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

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School of Teacher Education

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Research Interests: Assistive technology for students with visual impairments, and the impact on academic and quality-of-life outcomes.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

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Department of Sport Management

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Research Interests: The political economy of sport, biopolitics, intercollegiate athletics, race and socioeconomic matters of the NFL, and athlete branding.

**TEACHING FACULTY I**

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## FAMU-FSU COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

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Dean's Office, Department of Mechanical Engineering

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Research Interests: Development of novel, robust and reliable computational technology to solve challenging and high-impact problems in engineering, medicine, and biology.

**PROFESSOR AND DEAN**



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Research Interests: Complex fluids, hemodynamics, thrombosis, medical devices, and modelling + machine learning.

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Research Interests: Compounding floods, nonpoint source pollution, urban hydrology, climate and land cover change impacts on water systems, resilient water infrastructures, and coupled inland-coastal systems.

**RESEARCH FACULTY I**

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## FAMU-FSU COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING



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Research Interests: Sustainable and resilient pavements, asphalt chemistry and rheology, multiscale characterization, viscoelasticity, fracture and continuum damage mechanics, and machine learning applications.



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Research Interests: Geotechnical engineering, coastal resilience and coastal geotechnics, and climate adaptive geotechnical engineering.



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Research Interests: High voltage, dielectrics, large scale electric transport, superconducting power devices, and hydrogen infrastructure.



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Research Interests: Senior design, process improvement, machine learning, and strategy implementation.



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Department of Industrial and Manufacturing Engineering

Degree Institution: Purdue University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Advanced electron microscopy, micromechanics, materials for the extremes, and machine learning.

# NEW FACULTY DIRECTORY 2022-2023

## COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS



**MONA BOZORGI**

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

Department of Art

Degree Institution: Savannah College of Art and Design, M.F.A.

Research Interests: Identities in the age of post-humanism and attempt to offer new ways of thinking about subjectivity, matter, and the process of materialization while exploring the intersections of bodies and technology.



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Department of Art

Degree Institution: Maryland Institute College of Art, M.F.A.

Research Interests: Socially engaged art, interdisciplinary sculpture, site specificity, climate change, sustainable practices, and reuse of materials.



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Department of Art History

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Research Interests: Renaissance and Baroque art and architecture.



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Research Interests: Accompaniment, composition, and sound engineering.



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School of Theatre

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Research Interests: Voice, speech and acting; and directorial work in film and theatre focusing on revealing the nuances of inner conflict through movement and space.



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**VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

School of Theatre

Degree Institution: Virginia Commonwealth University, M.F.A.

Research Interests: Costume design and studio art.

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## COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS

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School of Theatre

Degree Institution: University of Florida, M.F.A.

Research Interests: Theatre as a site of social activism and community organizing, including African and African American diasporic theatre and performance, and performance as research.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

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## FLORIDA CENTER FOR READING RESEARCH (FCRR)

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Degree Institution: Nova Southeastern University, Ed.D.

Research Interests: Place-based, collective impact approach, working with communities to support, and sustain research-practice partnerships that support reading achievement, school readiness, and school success among vulnerable children and youth.

**ASSISTANT IN RESEARCH**



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Research Interests: Reading difficulties, bilingualism, and early reading assessment and intervention.

**RESEARCH FACULTY I**



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Research Interests: Educational leadership, special education, and fiscal compliance.

**ASSISTANT IN RESEARCH**



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Research Interests: Dyslexia and reading development.

**RESEARCH FACULTY I**

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## FLORIDA CENTER FOR READING RESEARCH (FCRR)

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Research Interests: Workplace power dynamics, organizational management, educational psychology, and individual differences.

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## COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SCIENCES

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Research Interests: Research in the Cardiovascular and Applied Physiology (CAP) laboratory will investigate prevention and treatment strategies for cardiovascular diseases, with the primary focus of understanding the integrative physiological processes that relate to cardiovascular function and health.

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## INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS (ISPA)

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Center for Prevention and Early Intervention Policy

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Research Interests: Infant mental health, child-parent psychotherapy, adolescent parents, and court involved adolescents.

# NEW FACULTY DIRECTORY 2022-2023

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## COLLEGE OF LAW

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**ADJUNCT PROFESSOR**



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**INSTRUCTIONAL SPECIALIST III/  
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**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**



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Research Interests: Litigation, appellate practice, probate, trust and estates, business law, health care, employment law, corporate law, and government.

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Research Interests: Drug policy, health technology, and FDA regulation.

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# NEW FACULTY DIRECTORY 2022-2023

## COLLEGE OF LAW



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Research Interests: Elder affairs, aging law and policy.

**VISITING PROFESSOR**



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Research Interests: As an Administrative Law Judge at the Division of Administrative Hearings, I look forward to teaching about Florida's Administrative Procedure Act.

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Research Interests: Appellate advocacy, land use litigation, and environmental law.

**VISITING PROFESSOR**



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Research Interests: Election law, constitutional law, civil rights, federal courts, police brutality, and Brazilian law.

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# NEW FACULTY DIRECTORY 2022-2023

## COLLEGE OF MEDICINE



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Behavioral Health Clinic

Degree Institution: University of South Florida, M.S.W.

Research Interests: Contributing to the education of aspiring Social Workers and Mental Health professionals.

**INSTRUCTIONAL SPECIALIST I**



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Behavioral Health Clinic

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Research Interests: Educating on behavioral health, clinical social work, SPMI diagnosis and treatment, crisis intervention, mood/anxiety/trauma-related disorders, and social work education.

**INSTRUCTIONAL SPECIALIST I**



**YANG HOU**

Behavioral Health Clinic

Degree Institution: University of Texas–Austin, Ph.D.

Research Interests: How environmental (e.g., sociocultural, family, community, school, and peer) and biological (e.g., genetic diseases) factors influence child and adolescent development, focusing on underrepresented populations (i.e., families with genetic disorders, ethnic minorities, immigrants, and low-income families).

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**



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Research Interests: The genetics and enzymology of microbiome-emerging contaminant interactions including antibiotic resistance and microbial modification of pharmaceuticals.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**



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Graduate Medical Education

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Research Interests: High velocity human factors as it relates to decision-making and performance under stress.

**ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR AND  
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## COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

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Research Interests: HIV / AIDS, mental health and wellness, and disparities in healthcare.

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**PROFESSOR AND ASSISTANT DEAN**



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School of Physician Assistant Practice  
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School of Physician Assistant Practice  
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Research Interests: Physician assistant program training.

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## COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

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Research and Graduate Programs

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Research Interests: Community health, quality assurance, performance improvement and strategic planning.



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Student Affairs

Degree Institution: William James College, Psy.D.

Research Interests: Evidence-based psychological treatments, and psychotherapy.

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## COLLEGE OF MUSIC

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Department of Music Education and Therapy

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Research Interests: Music making across the lifespan, specializing in elementary general music, and adult and community music education.



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Research Interests: Music in multimedia, especially video game music, as well as music cognition, public music theory, and accessible pedagogical approaches.



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Research Interests: Composing, improvising, acoustic/electroacoustic music and music technologies, along with jazz performance and film scoring.

# NEW FACULTY DIRECTORY 2022-2023

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## COLLEGE OF MUSIC

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**NOËL WAN**

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

Department of Strings and Orchestra

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Research Interests: Performance studies specializing in topics of the Western pedal harp, gender, race, and feminist new materialisms.



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Department of Voice and Opera

Degree Institution: University of Michigan, D.M.A.

Research Interests: Performance music written for piano and another instrument or voice, text-music relationships in art song, development of performance and collaborative skills between musicians, promoting equal partnership between musicians, innovative recital programming, and audience engagement.

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## NATIONAL HIGH MAGNETIC FIELD LABORATORY (NHMFL—MAG LAB)

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Research Interests: The synthesis and characterization of intercalated superconductors to make predictions about their superconducting properties prior to measurement via the ideal gas law.



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Research Interests: Developing novel RF coil technologies for Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) which are used for pre-clinical studies aiming at developing and testing protocols for various diseases and drug therapies, 3D printing, CAD design, and EM simulations.

# NEW FACULTY DIRECTORY 2022-2023

## COLLEGE OF NURSING



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Research Interests: Conducting studies to address the causes and consequences of disparities among stigmatized populations that experience adverse health outcomes in resource-constrained settings; sociological constructs, guided by human rights frameworks; and a multidimensional view of how to address public health and clinical care inequities.



**DONNA BYRD**

**TEACHING FACULTY II**

Degree Institution: Walden University, D.N.P.

Teaching Interests: Adult medicine; pediatrics; obstetrics; community health service; diversity, equity and inclusion; veterans; and the homeless.



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Research Interests: Biological, physical and psychological risk factors for cardiovascular disease in overweight/obese individuals with and without prediabetes.



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Research Interests: Digital health, clinical trial, neuroimaging, EHR/EMR, omics data network analysis, time series and event analysis, decision process, dynamic system machine learning, big healthcare data, data geometry and multimodality.



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Research Interests: Developing and implementing a sustainable interdisciplinary program of cardiovascular health promotion and disease prevention aimed at creating a culture of wellness in adolescents from underserved communities.



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Research Interests: Cardiovascular and cardiometabolic disease.

# NEW FACULTY DIRECTORY 2022-2023

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## COLLEGE OF NURSING

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Research Interests: Sexual health (risk behavior, STI, HIV, pre-exposure prophylaxis, viral suppression), violence (intimate partner violence, childhood sexual abuse), alcohol and substance misuse, and intersectional stigma and bias (bi-phobic homophobic, racial, gender-based, HIV, PrEP).

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## COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES AND PUBLIC POLICY

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Research Interests: Public policy and management; health policy; reproductive, maternal and infant health; substance use; and representative bureaucracy.



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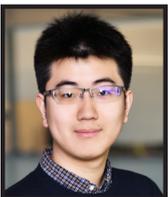
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**TEACHING FACULTY I**

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Teaching Interests: Applied Microeconomics courses at the undergraduate level, as well as SAS Programming for Economists in the Master's in Applied Economics Program in the Economics Department; and is the faculty advisor for the FSU student chapter of the National Association for Business Economics.



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Research Interests: Microeconomic theory, dynamic decisions under uncertainty, and exploration of the implications in economic models.



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**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

Department of Economics

Degree Institution: University of California–Berkeley, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Microeconomic theory, behavioral economics, experimental economics, and biases in belief formation in both individual- and social-learning contexts.

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## COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES AND PUBLIC POLICY

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**JEONGBIN KIM**

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Department of Economics

Degree Institution: Brown University, Ph.D.

Research Interests: Experimental economics, behavioral economics, and microeconomic theory.



**TUBA TUNCEL**

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Department of Economics

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