2017-2018

THE FACULTY OF
SOUTHERN NAZARENE UNIVERSITY

FACULTY SCHOLARSHIP

AND

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY
SNU endeavors to make disciples through higher education. SNU’s faculty members are not only disciples of Jesus Christ, but they are also scholars in various academic disciplines. In this publication you will learn about the many ways SNU’s faculty have contributed to the bodies of knowledge in those areas.

We believe that all truth is God’s truth, and we are grateful for the ways in which our faculty members have shared that truth through their speaking and writing. They are scholarly models for our students and vital members of their academic communities.

Thanks for your investment of time to learn about these various contributions. May God use us all to further His kingdom.

Sincerely yours,

Steve Betts, Ph.D.
Interim Provost and Dean of Humanities and Education
Dr. Marty Michelson
School of Theology & Ministry
Continued work with the Green Scholar’s Initiative and the Museum of the Bible transcribing, translating, publishing, and curating the Cairo Genizah documents for exhibition for the Museum of the Bible.

Dr. Mark Winslow
Dean, College of Natural, Social, & Health Sciences
Created a prospectus of starting an Engineering Degree program at Southern Nazarene University

Dr. Ron Wright
Department of Psychology & Counseling
Assess religious behavior and belief using the Protestant Theology Scale (an instrument developed by Dr. Paul Jones & Dr. Wright); in addition to doing a psychometric analysis of the instrument to determine its initial viability and reliability

Dr. David Hoekman
Assistant Professor, Department of Biology
Title: Geographic Information System (GIS) Training & Research Application
GIS is all about spatial data – capturing, storing, checking, and displaying data related to positions on earth’s surface. This tool can be used at QERC and provide additional research opportunities for students.

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EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING AWARD, 2017–18

Prof. Doug Forsberg
Associate Professor, School of Theology and Ministry

The Excellence in Teaching Award is an annual award that is selected by the SNU student body. Each year, a faculty member is nominated by students and elected by the student body to receive this award. These nominations are based on the considerations that the faculty member:

- demonstrates overall excellence in classroom teaching as perceived by students,
- maintains high academic standards,
- develops quality relationships with and a positive influence on students, and
- integrates principles of Christian faith and practice in daily living.

Doug is known for his story-telling. He lives a life of transparency with his students and has a heart for everyone, but especially for those who need a bit more love and encouragement. His work on campus and around the city provides opportunities for students to find a place to serve.

EXCELLENCE IN FACULTY PERFORMANCE, 2017–18

Dr. Pam Bracken
Professor, Division of Cultural & Communication Studies

In affirming this recognition a colleague commented, “she is inspiring in her curiosity and boundless enthusiasm for the life of the mind. This is evident in conversations with her about new ideas, her constant experimentation with her courses, and her openness to and love for adding to and updating both her own and our division’s curricula.” Pam completed her 23rd year at SNU and is known as “a professor with a heart for her discipline and a heart for our students.”
Prof. Jody Bowie  
*School of Education*  
- “Using Google Drive as an Educator Preparation Portfolio” Oklahoma Association of Colleges for Teacher Education Conference, Tulsa, OK, October 2017  
- “Digital Literacy is Not Enough” Oklahoma Association of Colleges for Teacher Education Conference, Tulsa, OK, October 2017  
- “Automate ALL the Things” #GCampOKC at Casady School, November 2017  
- “Digital Literacy Isn’t Enough” Webinar to Southwestern Oklahoma State University, February 2018  

Dr. Tamara Dawson  
*School of Business*  
- “Strategies for Increasing Student Engagement, Satisfaction, and Retention to Online Programs through Virtual Communities” for CAHEA Conference, Omaha, NE, June 2017  
- “Importance of a Virtual Community in Online Learning: for Council for Accelerated Programs, June 2017, Webinar  
- “The Effects of a Virtual Community upon Online Students’ Engagement, Satisfaction, and Retention” at the Online Learning Consortium Innovate Conference, New Orleans, LA, April 2017  
- “Dealing with Unconscious Bias in the Classroom” at the Culture Matters: Managing Unconscious Bias Certification Program, Los Angeles, CA, March 2017  
- “An Analysis of the Effects of a Virtual Community on Mature Learners’ Feelings of Isolation within Online Programs” at University of Central Oklahoma Transformative Learning Conference, Oklahoma City, OK, March 2017 Interactive and Research Session  
- “Student Engagement, Satisfaction, and Retention with Online Programs” at University of Central Oklahoma Transformative Learning Conference, Oklahoma City, OK, March 2017 Poster Presentation  
- “The Effect of a Virtual Community on Mature Learners’ Feelings of Isolation within Online Programs” at Instructional Technology Council e-Learning Conference, St. Petersburg, FL, February 2017 Session  

Dr. Scott Drabenstot  
*Department of Psychology and Counseling*  

Dr. Brent Eskridge
Department of Computer Science/Network Engineering

• Brent E. Eskridge, and Ingo Schlupp. “Effects of Local Communication and Spatial Position in a Collective Decision-Making Model.” In European Conference on Artificial Life (ECAL), pages 154-161, 2017 (Paper)

Dr. Caio Franca
Department of Biology

• FBN30 in wild Anopheles gambiae functions as a pathogen recognition molecule against clinically circulating P. falciparum in malaria endemic areas in Kenya. Oral presentation delivered at Entomological Society of America meeting, Denver, CO

Dr. Sylvia Goodman
School of Kinesiology

• “A Comparison of Ethics Education in Graduate and Undergraduate Sport Management Programs”; North American Society of Sport Management Conference, Halifax, Nova Scotia, 2018
• “An Examination of Ethics Education in Sport Management” American Kinesiology Association; Leadership Conference, Denver, 2018
• “A Comparison Kindergarten Children’s Play and Activity Patterns during Recess in Gender Combined and Segregated Groupings” OAHPERD, 2017

Dr. David Hoekman
Department of Biology


Dr. Gwen Hackler
Department of English

• “TRiO and the Mission of CCCU Institutions”; co-presented with Loral Henck at CCCU 2018 International Forum 2018, Dallas, TX, February 2018.

Dr. Anna Harper
Department of Counseling and Psychology


Dr. Paul Jones
Department of Psychology and Counseling


Dr. Marty Michelson
School of Theology and Ministry

• “Methods of Biblical Study that inform Faithful Proclamation” at Church of All Nations, Auckland, New Zealand, March & April 2018
• “The Work of God in the Life of Faith” at Nazarene Theological Bible College, Brisbane, Australia, February 2018
• “Justice & Peace in Jewish & Christian Scripture” at Baha’is of Norman, Norman, OK, December 2017
• “What is Scripture? And How Do We Preach the Old Testament?” Presented to the leadership of the Southwest Oklahoma Church of the Nazarene, Tishomingo, OK, September 2017

Dr. Ed Neuenschwander
Department of Physics

• “Applied Physics, Grand Boulevards, and the "Social Dimension." Radiations 24(Spring 2018), 22-25

Dr. Gina Weaver Yount
Department of English

• “‘Keeping It Real’: using Service-Learning to Bridge the Gap between Academics and Community Application” NCHC Annual Conference, November 8-12, 2017, Atlanta, GA
• “Service-Learning in the Classroom” FRC Training Session 6, October 2017

Dr. Ron Wright
Department of Counseling and Psychology


Prof. Daniel Abrego  
*School of Music*

- Oklahoma Music Educators Association
- Texas Music Educator Association
- National Association for Music Education
- Enid Regional Marching Festival, October 2017
- Lawton Regional Marching Festival, October 2017
- OMEA Music Education Convention, January 2018
- TMEA Music Education Convention, February 2018
- Bethany High School, guest clinician
- Bethany High School Band, marching band consultant
- Oklahoma Christian Academy, guest clinician
- Bethany First Nazarene, worship team
- Regional Extravaganza Talent Event, adjudicator

Prof. Joshua Achipa  
*Library*

- Association of Christian Librarians
- Community of Oklahoma Instruction Librarians (COIL)

Prof. Rebekah Ambrosini  
*School of Music*

- National Association of Teachers of Singing, Judge Co-Chair for Oklahoma District Competitions
- OMTA competition at Southern Nazarene University, judge
- Ladies Music Club of Oklahoma City University, judge
- MacDowell Club of Oklahoma City, performer
- Tri-State Music Festival, judge
- OSSHA Missouri Festival, judge
- Various churches in the Oklahoma City metro, artist in residence
- Grant Writing Workshop University of Texas
- Summer Operetta Camp, Cimarron Opera, Norman, OK, director
- Oklahoma Baptist University production of Handel’s *Messiah*, soloist
- Classical Music Festival in Austria, Haydn’s *Heiligmesse*, Beethoven’s *Choral Fantasy* and a *Night of Lieder*, soloist

Prof. Jody Bowie  
*School of Education*

- National Science Teachers Association
- Kappa Delta Pi
- Oklahoma Science Teachers Association
- Oklahoma Technology Association
- Oklahoma State Education Media and Technology Student Association
- Oklahoma Technology Association Conference, November 2017
- 3-Dimensional Science Teaching and Learning Workshop with Oklahoma Science Teachers Association, February 2018
- Robotics with Blockley, February 2018
- OACTE Accreditation Workshop, February 2018
- Code.org-Introduction to Python, May 2018
- ITELE Tech Conference at OSU, June 2018
- EngageOK Conference at Norman North High School, July 2018

Dr. Pam Bracken  
*Department of English*

- Modern Language Association
- National Council of Teachers of English
- Oklahoma Council of Teachers of English
- William Morris Society of America
- Modern Language Association Annual Convention, New York (Spring 2018)
- Annual Conference of the Oklahoma Council of Teachers of English, University of Central Oklahoma, Edmond, Oklahoma (Fall 2017)
- *In the Light Bulb Room* forum, “Diversity and the #MeTooMovement”, panelist
- Ralph Ellison Foundation Gala
- Mosaic United Methodist Church, liturgist
- *With All Due Respect: Politics + Civil Discourse*, OKC First Nazarene Forum
- *In the Beginning: Science + Theology in Conversation*, OKC First Nazarene Forum
- *With All Due Respect: A Theology of Human Sexuality*, OKC First Nazarene Forum

Dr. Lauren Brand  
*Department of History, Politics and Geography*

- American Historical Association
- Oklahoma Historical Society
- Southern Historical Association
- *Journal of Southern History* and *Ethmohistory*, wrote book reviews
- *Western Historical Quarterly*, peer review
- Southern Historical Association Annual Meeting, Dallas, Texas, November 2017
- Westerners International Dinner, presenter
Prof. Julie Brant  
School of Education  
- International Association of Laboratory Schools  
- National Association of the Education of Young Children  
- National Association of Elementary School Principals  
- Oklahoma A+ Schools  
- Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (ASCD)  
- Oklahoma A+ Schools Conference, July 23-15, 2018

Dr. Pam Broyles  
Department of Speech Communication  
- Oklahoma Speech Theatre Communication Association (OSTCA)  
- Annual Conference of OSTCA, East Central University, Ada, OK, September 16, 2017  
- National Communication Association  
- Jubilee Partners, board member and teacher  
- Oklahoma City First Church of the Nazarene, member

Prof. Jason Coles  
School of Kinesiology  
- Oklahoma Medical Board, licensed Athletic Trainer  
- Board of Certification, Certified Athletic Trainer  
- Mid America Athletic Trainers’ Association  
- National Athletic Trainers’ Association  
- American Heart Association, basic life support instructor

Dr. Lisa Crow  
Department of Chemistry  
- American Chemical Society

Dr. Tim Crutcher  
School of Theology and Ministry  
- Lantana Community Fellowship, Denton, TX, pulpit supply

Dr. Tamara Dawson  
School of Business  
- Council for Online Learning Excellence (COLE)  
- COLE-Oklahoma Online Excellence Awards Committee  
- Online Learning Consortium (Sloane-C)  
- Higher Learning Commission, peer reviewer  
- Instructional Technology Council  
- Instructional Technology Council, committee chair  
- Delta Mu Delta Honor Society  
- Phi Beta Lambda Honor Society  
- TechAccess OK Conference, Oklahoma City, OK, October 2017  
- Higher Learning Commission Conference, Chicago, IL, April 2018  
- Christian Higher Adult Education Association Conference, Ashville, NC, June 2018  
- ACBSP Conference, Kansas City, KS, June 2018  
- Yukon First Baptist Church, member  
- 701 Wives Club (Support Group for Law Enforcement Spouses), mentor  
- Council for Accelerated Programs, board member  
- Golden Key International Honor Society  
- Delta Mu Delta

Dr. Phyllis Eagle  
Department of Graphic Design  
- Oklahoma City Ad Club, educational member  
- El Reno Canadian Valley CareerTech, advisory board

Prof. Doug Forsberg  
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- Southern Plaza Assisted Living, Sunday worship leader  
- ROC Church, interim pastor

Dr. Scott Drabenstot  
Department of Psychology and Counseling  
- Society for the Study of the Science of Religion

Dr. Brent Eskridge  
Department of Computer Science/Network Engineering  
- International Society for Artificial Life  
- Bethany High School Robotics Class 2017, guest speaker

Prof. Caio Franca  
Department of Biology  
- American Association for the Advancement of Science  
- Annual Meeting of Entomological Society of America, Denver, Colorado, November 5-8  
- 6th Annual Symposium on Structural Biology, University of Oklahoma, June 14, 2018  
- Sam Noble Oklahoma Museum of Natural History, research associate

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- Sam Noble Oklahoma Museum of Natural History, research associate
Dr. Sylvia Goodman  
*School of Kinesiology*

- National Athletic Trainers Association
- Oklahoma Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance
- North American Society for Sport Management
- NATA BOC Certified
- CAATE, site visitor
- National Athletic Trainers Association Meetings and Symposia, New Orleans, LA, June 25-29
- American Kinesiology Association, Denver, January 25-28
- CCCU meetings, Dallas, TX, January 29 & 30

Dr. Jim Graves  
*School of Music*

- Oklahoma Choral Directors Association Summer Convention, clinician
- Oklahoma Choral Directors Association Jazz Repertoire and Resources, chair
- Offered clinics to vocal ensembles in various local middle and high schools across the Oklahoma City metro area
- American Choral Directors Association
- National Association for Music Education/Oklahoma Music Educators Association
- Member of Jazz Educators Network
- Calvary Church of the Nazarene, worship pastor
- Oklahoma Choral Directors Association Summer Conventions (July, 2018)
- Texas Music Educators Association Convention (February, 2018)
- Oklahoma Music Educators Association Convention (January, 2018)
- The Jazz Education Network Convention (January, 2018)

Dr. Stephen Green  
*School of Theology and Ministry*

- Society of Biblical Literature
- American Academy of Religion
- International Theology Conference for the Church of the Nazarene in North America, group leader

Dr. Jeff Griffitts  
*Department of Biology*

- American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
- American Association for the Advancement of Science
- Organization of Biological Field Stations, QERC representative

Dr. Gwen Hackler  
*Department of English*

- Oklahoma Council of Teachers of English
- Colleges of Liberals Arts Sponsored Programs (CLASP)
- The Grantsmanship Center (AGO)
- Oklahoma Council of Teachers of English Conference, September 30, 2017, University of Central Oklahoma
- “Natural Christian Cyborgs” (February 8, 2018, Dr. Brad Strawn), SNU Ladd Lecture Series
- Early Modern Scottish Palaeography (MOOC, 5 weeks, February-March 2018, University of Glasgow at FutureLearn.org)
- Effective Leadership, Successful Higher Ed Fundraising, CCCU 2018

Dr. Anna Harper  
*Department of Psychology and Counseling*

- Society for the Study of Psychology and Wesleyan Theology (SSPWT), section chair
- CCCU New Faculty Institute, Calvin College, Grand Rapids, MI, June 4-7
- American Psychological Association
- Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association (APA), August 3-6
- Annual Meeting of the Religious Research Association (RRA), October 13-15
- Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Psychology and Wesleyan Theology/Wesleyan Theological Society (WTS/SSPWT), March 8-10
- Annual National Conference on Undergraduate Research (NCUR)
- Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Psychological Association (SWPA), April 13-15
- Annual meeting of the Oklahoma Psychological Society (OPS), April 20
- Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association (APA) August 9-12

Prof. Shannon Hawkins  
*Library*

- Oklahoma Library Association
- Oklahoma Library Association Technical Services Roundtable
• OCLC Webinar: Connexion Client Module 8: original Cataloging, May 23, 2018
• 2018 unCOILED Workshop: Empowering Students through Web Literacy and Sustainable Info-Environmentalism, August 3, 2018, Stillwater, OK

Dr. Mary Hibbert  
School of Nursing  
• Sigma Theta Tau International Nursing Honor Society  
• Educators Leadership Academy, University of Central Oklahoma, May 2017-March 2018

Dr. David Hoekman  
Department of Biology  
• The Ecological Society of America  
• The Entomological Society of America  
• Bethany Elementary School STEM night  
• Central Elementary School insect presentation  
• Aquatic Sciences Journal, manuscript reviewer  
• Ecosystems Journal, manuscript reviewer  
• Hydrobiologia, manuscript reviewer  
• Ecology 2nd Edition, by David Krohne, Published by Oxford University Press, textbook reviewer  
• National Ecological Observatory Network Ground Beetle Technical Working Group, chair of expert panel

Dr. Cathy Hutchings-Wedel  
School of Professional and Graduate Studies  
• American Society for Training and Development (ASTD)

Dr. Delilah Joiner  
School of Professional and Graduate Studies  
• Christian Adult Higher Education Association (CAHEA), treasurer  
• CAHEA 2018 Conference, June 4-7, 2018, Asheville, NC  
• Swaziland Life Foundations SANU  
• Villages OKC  
• University of Central Oklahoma Endeavor Games, volunteer  
• The Council for Adult Experiential Learning (CAEL)  
• Alpha Sigma Lambda Honor Society – The National Honor and Professional Society for Adult Learners  
• Beta Epsilon chapter of Sigma Phi Omega – The National Honor and Professional Society in Gerontology

Dr. Paul Jones  
Department of Psychology and Counseling  
• Oklahoma Society for Psychoanalytic Studies  
• Oklahoma Psychological Association

Dr. Kep Keoppel  
School of Education  
• Phi Delta Kappa  
• Kappa Delta Pi  
• American Association of Colleges of Teacher Education  
• Oklahoma Association of Colleges of Teacher Education  
• Bethany Public Schools Football, PA announcer  
• Bethany First Nazarene Church, Sunday School teacher  
• Bethany First Nazarene Church Swazi K, volunteer  
• Meals-on-Wheels, volunteer

Dr. Loren McElroy  
School of Kinesiology  
• Physical Therapist license – Oklahoma  
• American Physical Therapy Association (APTA), certified clinical instructor  
• Council on Undergraduate Research (CUR) Institute Initiating and Sustaining Undergraduate Research Programs (ISURP), University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL, January 19-21, 2018  
• Pathophysiology of Muscle Injury – Oklahoma City, OK, December 17, 2017  
• Ethics of Rehabilitation Professionals (2015) – Oklahoma City, OK, December 18, 2017
PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

Dr. Marty Michelson
School of Theology and Ministry

- Emancipatory Education Conference: “A conversation about what it means to students, teachers, and communities to be fully flourishing through freedom in education.” Oklahoma City, June 2017
- Taught as an accredited lecturer for the Sydney College of Divinity with instruction in Australia and New Zealand through the Nazarene Theological College, Brisbane, Australia.
- The Dialogue Institute of Oklahoma City, board of directors
- Manchester Wesley Research Centre, junior fellow
- Society of Biblical Literature, member

Dr. Bryan Powell
School of Music

- Oklahoma Music Teachers Association-Commissioned Composer Chair
- Music Teachers National Association
- College Music Society
- Southwest Oklahoma District Ministers and Spouses Retreat, worship leader
- Spark Regional Children’s Conference, worship leader
- Central Christian University, McPherson, KS, guest speaker
- Trinity Church of the Nazarene, mentor for student worship arts intern

Dr. Anthony Rodin
Department of History, Politics and Geography

- American Political Science Association
- Midwest Political Science Association
- Christians in Political Science

Prof. Ken Rosfeld
School of Music

- Mercy Hospital television jingle, produced and recorded
- Local Band Monikers, mixed and mastered recordings
- Studio Seven, audio mastering work
- Jeff Boydston, audio mastering work
- Berkley Claborne, mixed and mastered recordings
- KeyBridge Technology, audio consultant
- MACU, consultant on recording facility
- Nazarene Field Conference and Training Center in Chipongwe, Zambia, continued work on the design of a studio recording complex
- Oklahoma City First Church of the Nazarene, board member

Prof. Eileen Ruger
School of Theology and Ministry

- Faith Promise Mission speaker at various churches
- Trinity Church of the Nazarene, NMI president

Dr. Doug Samples
School of Theology and Ministry

- Regional Course of Study Advisory Committee for the Church of the Nazarene
- Estes Park Consultation Group
• Board of Directors for the MidAmerica Alliance for Access, Kansas City, MO, chairman
• Oklahoma District Ministry Board
• Various speaking assignments across the region
• Strategic Planning Team for the 8th Street COTN

Prof. Stephane Shellenberger  
School of Kinesiology
• Oklahoma State Teacher Education Certification
• NASPE/CAEP, reviewer
• Bethany First Nazarene Church, Sunday school teacher
• SHAPE (Society of Health and Physical Education), member

Prof. Jim Smith  
Department of Speech Communication
• National Communication Association
• Oklahoma Collegiate Media Association
• National Association of Photoshop Professionals
• OKC First Nazarene, video producer

Dr. Randall Spindle  
School of Business
• American Bar Association
• Oklahoma Bar Association
• Bar, Western Federal District of Oklahoma, US Federal Court
• Bar, District of Columbia, US Federal Court
• Bar, Eastern District of Oklahoma, US Federal Court
• Elder, Church of the Nazarene
• Salvation Army of OKC, volunteer
• Jesus House of OKC, volunteer

Prof. Sheila Stout  
Department of Speech Communication
• State Regents Curriculum Review Committee
• Oklahoma Women’s March
• Love Your Neighbor Fund Raising Event
• Ralph Ellison Foundation Fundraising Event
• Lightbulb Room presentation, attendee
• Oklahoma Heritage Museum Film and Oklahoma with Grey Fredrickson, attendee

Dr. Tim Taylor  
School of Education
• Oklahoma Association of Colleges of Teacher Education (OACTE)
• State Superintendent/State Board of Education Committee, chairman
• Executive Leadership in OACTE: Private School Representative
• Council for Accreditation of Educator Preparation (NCATE/CAEP)
• American Association for Accreditation of Teacher Education (AACTE)
• Board of Examiners, CAEP Accreditation Process, member
• OACTE Fall Conference, presenter

Dr. Gina Weaver Yount  
Department of English
• Oklahoma Journal of Undergraduate Research, board of directors

Dr. Ron Wright  
Department of Psychology and Counseling
• Society for the Study of Psychology and Wesleyan Theology (SSPWT)
• Wesleyan Theological Society
• APA Division 36 (Psychology of Religion and Spirituality)
• Religious Research Association
• Kuyers Institute 2017 Conference, Christian Teaching and Learning: Pathways and Possibilities, Grand Rapids, MI, October 5-7, 2017
• 2018 Annual Meeting of the Wesleyan Philosophical Society and Wesleyan Theological Society, Cleveland, TN, March 8-10, 2018
• Southwestern Psychological Association Annual Convention, Houston, TX, April 13-15, 2018
• Oklahoma Psychological Society, Edmond, OK, April 20, 2018
• Oklahoma City First Nazarene, Sunday School superintendent and teacher
• Scholarship and Christianity in Oxford (SCIO), visiting scholar in science and religion

Dr. Shawna York  
Department of Chemistry
• American Chemical Society
Dr. Nicholas Zoller  
*Department of Mathematics*

- Oklahoma Space Grant Consortium (OSGC), institutional representative
- Oklahoma Space Grant Consortium meeting in May 2018
- Mathematical Association of America (MAA), Oklahoma-Arkansas Section

- Spring 2018 OK-AR Section meeting at Arkansas Tech University, Russellville, AR (April 2018)
- Association of Christians in the Mathematical Sciences (ACMS)
- Troop 162, Baden – Powell District, Last Frontier Council, Assistant Scoutmaster

- Church of the Servant UMC, choir member and men’s group leader
- Harding Charter Prep High School, OKC, taught lesson for AP Statistics class
- Cameron University, guest lecturer
Prof. Daniel Abrego
School of Music
• Athletic Advisory Committee
• Educator Preparation Committee
• Faculty Senate

Prof. Joshua Achipa
Library
• Athletic Committee
• P-12 Advisory Group for Educator Preparation (Teacher Education)

Prof. Rebekah Ambrosini
School of Music
• Festival of Hymns, reader
• Night of Broadway – student led production, faculty advisor
• Amahl and the Night Visitors, music director & producer
• Wizard of Oz, music director & producer
• SNU Extravaganza, judge

Prof. Jody Bowie
School of Education
• SNU Diversity Task Force
• Technology Advisory Committee
• Faculty Senate

Dr. Pam Bracken
Department of English
• Faculty Senate
• SNU’s Racial Diversity Task Force
• Coffee House Poetry, organizer
• McNair Scholar, mentor
• Speak Solidarity, collaborator

Dr. Lauren Brand
Department of History, Politics, and Geography
• Phi Alpha Theta, faculty sponsor

Prof. Julie Brant
School of Education
• Educator Preparation Advisory Board
• School for Children School Board

Dr. Pam Broyles
Department of Speech Communication
• Publications Board
• Educator Preparation Bias Review Committee
• Phi Delta Lambda, faculty representative
• McNair Workshop “Preparing for a Grad School Interview” presenter
• McNair Workshop “Preparing for a Research Conference Presentation” presenter

Dr. Stephoni Case
School of Education
• Educator Preparation Board
• Faculty Senate
• Institutional Review Board
• Graduate Council, co-chair
• Received the Professional and Graduate Studies Innovator Award

Dr. Julian Cowart
School of Professional and Graduate Studies
• Faculty Senate
• Student Learning Outcomes Committee
• HLC Committee

Dr. Lisa Crow
Department of Chemistry
• Chemical Hygiene Officer for Science Buildings
• Pre-Health Committee Member
• New Student Institute, faculty mentor
• McNair Scholar Project, mentor

Dr. Tamara Dawson
School of Business
• Planning and Budget Committee
• Faculty Professional Development Committee
• Student Learning Committee
• Academic Council
• Graduate Council
• General Education Council
• Portal Governance Committee, chair
• Technology Advisory Committee
• New Student Institute, faculty mentor
• Accessibility Committee
• Benefits Committee
• General Education Workshop Assessment
• HLC Committee
• Leadership Committee – Professional and Graduate Studies
• Online Instructor Training
• Online Program Course Reviewer
• Portal Governance Committee
• Faculty Resource Center “Engagement in Learning” training presenter
Prof. Phyllis Eagle  
*Department of Graphic Design*  
- New Student Institute, faculty mentor  
- 2018 Senior Graphic Design Art Show, advisor  
- Rebrand Team for SNU logo

Dr. Brent Eskridge  
*Department of Computer Science & Network Engineering*  
- NASA Space Grant Committee

Dr. Caio Franca  
*School of Professional and Graduate Studies*  
- SNU Summer Research Experience, faculty mentor  
- McNair program, STEM mentor

Dr. Anne Ghost Bear  
*School of Professional and Graduate Studies*  
- Board of Trustees, faculty representative

Dr. Sylvia Goodman  
*School of Kinesiology*  
- Commencement Planning Committee  
- Graduate Council  
- Prior Learning Committee

Dr. Jim Graves  
*School of Music*  
- SNU All State Choir Camp for Jr. High and High School Students, coordinator and director  
- SNU Athletic Awards event, master of ceremonies  
- SNU Vocal Jazz Festival, coordinator and manager  
- Extravaganza “Show”, master of ceremonies  
- SNU Festival of Hymns, coordinator  
- Teacher Advisory Committee

Dr. Jeff Griffitts  
*Department of Biology*  
- QERC, director  
- QERC Manager’s Board, chair  
- McNair program, STEM mentor  
- Faculty Senate

Dr. Gwen Hackler  
*Department of English*  
- Commencement Committee  
- Grant Project Director Group  
- McNair Advisory Board  
- LIFE SSS Advisory Board  
- VET Advisory Board  
- Honors Advisory Council  
- Mortar Board, faculty advisor  
- Phi Delta Lambda, local chapter president  
- SNU Undergraduate Research Symposium, Humanities panel, moderator

Dr. Anna Harper  
*Department of Psychology and Counseling*  
- New Student Institute, faculty mentor  
- Graduate Council  
- Grade Appeal Committee  
- Honors Program Advisory Council  
- Undergraduate Research Symposium, moderator  
- Psi Chi, faculty mentor  
- Graduate Programs in Counseling Admissions Committee

Dr. David Hoekman  
*Department of Biology*  
- Pre-health Committee  
- New Student Institute, faculty mentor

Dr. Cathy Hutchings-Wedel  
*School of Professional and Graduate Studies*  
- Faculty Professional Development Committee  
- SSS Program Advisory Board

Dr. Delilah Joiner  
*School of Professional and Graduate Studies*  
- Alpha Sigma Lambda Honor Society, SNU campus sponsor  
- General Education Council

Dr. Harlan Johnson  
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- School of Education Teacher Candidate Interview Panel  
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- SNU Football Team, faculty mentor  
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- Publication Board
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