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Ze'ev, Guy, assistant professor–biological sciences. B.S., Ph.D., University of South Florida. (2014)
Zhang, Qiaoeng (Robin), chair, Department of Geosciences; professor–geosciences. B.Sc., Nanjing University; M.Sc., Chinese Academy of Science; Ph.D., University of Western Ontario. (2003)*
Zhang, Tan, professor–mathematics. B.S., University of Wisconsin-Madison; M.S., Utah State University; Ph.D., University of Oregon. (2000)*
Zirbel, Jay, associate professor–industrial and engineering technology. B.S., M.S., University of Wisconsin-Stout; Ph.D., Texas A&M University. (1991)*
Zou, Guangming, assistant professor–teaching English to speakers of other languages. B.A., Beijing University; Ph.D., Illinois State University. (1999)
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Anderson, Jeffrey E., chemistry. (1983-2011)
Barrett, Terry R., psychology. (1975-2000)
Beane, Allan L., special education. (1977-2001)
Beatty, Allan L., special education. (1977-2001)
Beene, Margaret, modern languages. (1990-2014)
Booth, James, recreation. (1989-2016)
Bordas, Donald E., mathematics. (1970-1999)
Benson, James, industrial and engineering technology. (1991-2014)
Bishop, Steve, art. (1979-2010)
Bogess, Gary, chemistry. (1966-1999)
Boggs, James, business. (1969-1982)
Booth, James, organizational communication. (1976-2007)
Campbell, Marlene L., computer science and information systems. (1984-1999)
Carstensen, Ken, archaeology. (1978-2007)
Clark, Howell R., chemistry. (1963-1986)
Conkin, Raymond, music. (1973-2016)
Conley, Harry L., chemistry. (1968-2001)
Conover, Mary E., industrial and engineering technology. (1978-2000)
Cooper, Genevieve L., nursing. (1977-2007)
Crafton, Arvin D., school administration. (1966-1993)
Culpepper, Jetta C., library science. (1969-2009)
Daughaday, Lillian, sociology. (1981-2013)
Davis, James, animal and equine science. (1984-2014)
Dressler, John, music. (1989-2016)
Duford, Sally, family and consumer studies. (1977-1999)
Eldredge, David L., computer information systems. (1976-2000)
Elgin, Jean K., nursing. (1972-1988)
Eversmeyer, Harold E., biology. (1964-2016)
Fazi, Frank, graphic arts technology. (1965-1985)
Fender, David, occupational safety and health. (1995-2016)
Ferguson, John W., Spanish. (1965-1997)
Flood, Eugene, management. (1966-1979)
Foreman, Terry H., philosophy and religious studies. (1975-2001)
Fox, Robert B., education. (1968-1983)
Frame, Charles, dietetics. (1999-2009)
Fuller, Marian J., biology. (1967-2000)
Furches, W. Harry, art. (1963-1993)
Fuhrmann, Joseph T., history. (1978-2006)
Gantt, Vernon W., speech communication. (1973-2000)
Giles, Howard C., economics. (1964-1989)
Greer, Marlin E., telecommunications systems management. (1979-2010)
Griffin, John B., library science. (1977-2007)
Grimes, J. Milton, German. (1972-2007)
Guin, Larry, finance. (1978-2012)
Hainsworth, Jerome C., education. (1973-1998)
Hammons, JoAnn, communication disorders. (1989-2010)
Haney, Roger D., journalism and mass communications. (1977-2004)
Harrison, Carroll F., Jr., speech communication and theatre. (1970-1986)
Harrison, Dannie E., economics. (1969-2007)
Head, Nita J., recreation and physical education. (1956-1982)
Head, Robert W., art. (1966-1997)
Henley, Melvin B., chemistry. (1964-1996)
Hernon, Jerry, English. (1969-1997)
Higginson, Bonnie, regent’s professor, education. (1979-2013)
Holcomb, Elizabeth Powell, nursing. (1981-2008)
Holcomb, Thomas F., guidance and counseling. (1971-2009)
Honchul, Quava S., library science. (1966-1987)
Horwood, Stephen E., graphic communications management. (1976-2008)
Hussung, Karl F., chemistry. (1957-1992)
Jacobs, Martin, education. (1994-2016)
Johnston, Michael E., art. (1973-2008)
Johnson, Timothy C., biology. (1986-2016)
Jones, Donald E., education. (1966-1987)
Jones, Steven H., anthropology and social work. (1977-2012)
Keeslar, Suzanne, French. (1966-1996)
Kellie, Andrew C., industrial and engineering technology. (1982-2013)
Kind, Thomas C., geosciences. (1976-2009)
Kipput, George, geosciences. (1991-2016)
Koenecke, William, education. (2000-2012)
Kraemer, David, occupational safety and health. (1986-2014)
Landini, Ann, journalism. (1985-2012)
Leasure, V. Lynn, geosciences. (1985-2010)
Lobberger, Gordon J., English. (1964-2001)
Lohre, Robert, journalism and mass communications. (1988-2016)
Lorrah, Jean L., English. (1968-2001)
Lovett, Jo H., education. (1963-1993)
Lovins, Julie H., social work. (1971-1994)
Maddox, William E., engineering and physics. (1967-2001)
Martin, David, management. (1999-2009)
Mason, Eileen, occupational safety and health. (2001-2014)
Matarazzo, S. M., school administration. (1967-1987)
Mayes, Jerry W., organizational communication. (1972-2001)
McCreary, Robert H., III, organizational communication. (1972-1986)
McGann, John, telecommunications systems management. (1978-2005)
McNeely, Ronnie L., management. (1987-2013)
McKenna, Sharon, modern languages. (1986-2014)
Miller, Creighton J., communication disorders. (1978-2013)
Miller, Fred, marketing. (1980-2015)
Miller, Michael, English. (1968-1997)
Miller, Thomas I., accounting. (1967-2010)
Morgan, Janice, modern languages. (1986-2014)
Muehlman, Thomas, psychology. (1971-1998)
Murphy, Janis E., education. (1991-2013)
Muscio, Oliver J., chemistry. (1976-2008)
Nichols, George V., occupational safety and health. (1969-2010)
Neffenegger, Phillip B., marketing. (1975-2007)
Owen, David A., chemistry. (1978-2009)
Ramsey, Judy, chemistry. (1993-2016)
Reagan, Johnny L., marketing. (1957-1987)
Rice, Pamela, exercise science. (1982-2013)
Richerson, Virginia, business education. (1985-2014)
Ritter, Alysa D., psychology. (1989-2012)
Rose, Jack D., school administration. (1998-2014)
Rose, Winfield, political science. (1979-2016)
Rowan, Robert, guidance and counseling. (1965-1979)
Royalty, Joel L., psychology. (1985-2009)
Sasso, Paul, art. (1981-2008)
Shatz, Joyce, education. (2003-2014)
Schoenfeldt, Roger C., management. (1968-2007)
Serre, Camille, art. (1985-2012)
Shelton, V.R., agriculture/agricultural mechanization. (1968-1985)
Shepard, Frederick W., art. (1963-1999)
Sholar, T.P., library science. (1965-1987)
Smith, June, education. (1965-1979)
Speight, Jerry B., art. (1975-2005)
Steter, Terry, history. (1977-2014)
Stewart, Chad L., health and physical education. (1962-1993)
Story, Donald L., music. (1967-1993)
Strohecker, Edwin, library science. (1972-1983)
Timmons, Thomas, biology. (1982-2014)
Waag, Michael, modern languages. (1986-2014)
Wall, Celia J., journalism and mass communications. (1980-2011)
Wattier, Mark J., political science. (1980-2011)
Weatherly, James G., telecommunications systems management. (1975-2010)
Whittaker, William J., industrial and engineering technology. (1975-2008)
Williams, Rufie Lee, home economics. (1962-1973)
Wilson, Brenda, computer science. (1995-2012)
Winter, Kenneth W., industrial education. (1965-1988)
Yates, John, Center for Continuing Education. (1967-2008)
Zimmerer, Edmund, biology. (1989-2014)

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