Welcome to Academic Year 2023-24!
We hope you had a restful summer with some travel
Academic Portfolio Review (Overview)

Steps 1-2: Establish process & appt. Portfolio Review Task Force (PRTF)

Step 3: PRTF: Develop a Rubric for Program Evaluation [Summer 2023]
Examples: Academic Program Demand & Instructional Productivity/Efficiency; Student Success. Etc.


Step 5: (CAS)—Review of programs in CAS based on established metrics [Sept. to Dec. 2023]
[details on next slide]

Scores: (4) Exceeds expectations; (3) Meets expectations; (2) Approaching expectations; (1) Needs examination

Step 6: Campus stakeholder open forums scheduled for the purpose of explaining decisions and next steps [Jan. 2023].
Academic Portfolio Review (Step 5)

Step 5 (CAS)—Review of programs based on established metrics [Sept. to Dec. 2023]

Phase 1A: [Sept 12-Oct 12]
• We will use the CAS senior staff** with two additions: Nancy Bucknall (director of CAS advising) & Kimberlianne Podlas (representative of department heads) to make recommendation to CAS B&P.

**Dean, Associate Deans (Adamson, Bolton, Heyn), Assistant Dean (Cipolone), Chief of Staff (Wright)

Phase 1B: [Oct 13-Oct 27]
• Departments with programs in Approaching expectations (2) & Needs examination (1) will provide contextual information limited to 1000 words (contextual data form). All comments should be provided via the dept. Head.
Phase 2: [Oct 27-Nov 22]
• CAS Budget & Planning Committee (B&P) which is representative of the departments and is largely an elected committee will make an independent recommendation.

Phase 3: [Nov 27-Dec 8]
• Based on the outcomes of Phase 1 and Phase 2 above, Dean will make a unit-level recommendation on program continuation/discontinuation, which will be brought to the Provost and/or Academic Council for final recommendations. The Provost will present recommendations to the Chancellor, who will make the final decisions.

Phase 4: [Dec 11-Dec 20]
• Based on decisions made in Phase 3, relevant steps and appropriate policies would be followed to sunset individual programs (communications to impacted faculty, students, and staff; development of teach out plans, etc.).
Congratulations to our TT faculty who were promoted!
Promotions to Associate Professor with Tenure:

- Heather B. Adams, English
- Trevor A. Hoppe, Sociology
- Sally E. Koerner, Biology
- Tad P. Skotnicki, Sociology
- Yi Zhang, Mathematics & Statistics

“Do you have to make it so obvious that you have tenure?!”
Promotion to Full Professor

- **David R. Bickel**, Informatics and Analytics
- **Igor Erovenko**, Mathematics and Statistics
- **Veronica Grossi**, Languages, Literatures, and Cultures
- **Travis L. Hicks**, Interior Architecture
- **Ana M. Hontanilla**, Languages, Literatures, and Cultures
- **Holly G. Jones**, English
- **Etsuko Kinefuchi**, Communication Studies
- **Arielle T. Kuperberg**, Sociology
- **Ignacio Lopez**, Languages, Literatures, and Cultures
- **Noelle A. Morrissette**, English
- **Lisa C. Tolbert**, History
- **Gideon Wasserberg**, Biology
Maura K. Heyn
CAS Associate Dean
Welcome to our new faculty (TT & PTF)
Dominick Hand
African American and African Diaspora Studies Program
Rammyani Bagchi
Biology
Ashlyn Spring
Biology
Teresa Barber
Chemistry and Biochemistry
Travis Russell
Chemistry and Biochemistry
Georgios Doudalis
Classical Studies
Kiya Sellers
Communication Studies
Honora Ankong
English
Jean Luc Bouchard

English
Lisa Compo
English
Shawn Delgado
English
Jordan Williams
English
Nicholas Brown
Languages, Literatures, and Cultures
Kraig Klingenberg
Languages, Literatures, and Cultures
Elin Leah Limburg

Languages, Literatures, and Cultures
Adam Patterson
Philosophy
CAS faculty have published more than 14 books in the past year!
CAS Dean's Award for Diversity & Inclusiveness

2023 Winner:
Dr. Jeff Kaplan (PHI) and the UNCG Prison Education Program

Presentation:
Tuesday, Sep. 26 | 4 p.m.
Alumni House, Oakley Family Room

https://cas.uncg.edu/about/diversity-initiatives/
Capital Campaign

OUR MISSION
To inspire connections, investments, and engagements that drive excellence and opportunity.

OUR VISION
A University that illuminates potential, eliminates barriers, and ignites achievement.

Halfway in campaign: 102% of $15 million goal
Research in CAS

- Teacher-scholar model
- Benefits to students: direct & indirect
- Excellent faculty with interesting research/creative agenda
Teacher-Scholars

Jerry Walsh
Mary Settle Sharp Award Alumni
Teaching Excellence Award

Christian Moraru
Research Excellence Award

Dan Yasaki
Board of Governors Excellence in Teaching Award
New Highs in Research Funding!

• **UNCG:** $67.6 million in grants from outside funding agencies.

• **CAS:** $12.9 million in external funding, more than any other college or school at UNCG – and an 18 percent increase over last year!

• **Highest totals:**
  - Biology ($3.2 M)
  - Chem & Biochem ($3.2 M)
  - Psychology ($2.1 M)
  - Computer Science ($1.9 M)
  - Mathematics & Stat ($1.4 M)