# DEANS AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRS

## 2026 / 2027

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| **Arts & Humanities** | **Dean** | **Alicia Rodriquez** | **3986** |
| | Associate Dean | Joel Haney *(Interim)* | 2523 |
| Admin Analyst: Andrea Weikel, x2224 | Assistant to the Dean | Adrianna Hook | 3986 |
| **Departments** | **Department Chairs** | **Staff** | **Extension** |
| Art & Art History | Bill Kelley (2:3 yr) | Vanessa Mayorga | 3031 |
| Communications | Md Naser (1:3 yr) | Michelle Monge | 6345 |
| English | Emerson Case (1:3 yr) | Analia Rodriguez | 2144 |
| History | Doug Dodd (1:3 yr) | Charlotte Ziegler | 3079 |
| Modern Languages & Literatures | Lena Taub-Robles (1:3 yr) | Julie Garcia | 2359 |
| Music & Theatre | Angel Vazquez-Ramos (2:3 yr) | Kristina Saldana | 3093 |
| Philosophy/Religious Studies | Joseph Florez (1:3 yr) | Julie Garcia | 2291 |
| **Business & Public Admin** | **Dean** | **Deborah Cours** | **2023** |
| | Associate Dean | Lori Paris | 6693 |
| Analyst: Valari Kirkbride x2234 | Assistant to the Dean | Maria Diaz | 2023 |
| **Departments** | **Department Chairs** | **Staff** | **Extension** |
| Accounting & Finance | Di Wu (2:3 yr) | Chelsea Arredondo | 2197 |
| Economics | Nyakundi Michieka (1:3 yr) | Maria Diaz *(Interim)* | 3571 |
| Management/Marketing | Mike Way (2:3 yr) | Chelsea Arredondo *(Interim)* | 2181 |
| Public Policy Administration | Jinping Sun (2:3 yr) | Chelsea Arredondo | 2197 |
| **Nat Sciences, Math & Engineering** | **Dean** | **Jianyu (Jane) Dong** | **3450** |
| | Associate Dean | Karlo Lopez | 3450 |
| Admin Analyst: Marci Whisler X3298 | Assistant to the Dean | Maria Chavez | 2776 |
| **Departments** | **Department Chairs** | **Staff** | **Extension** |
| Biology | Kathleen Szick (1:3 yr) | Amy Tapia | 3089 |
| Chemistry & Biochemistry | Jesse Bergkamp (3:3 yr) | Tabitha Marsh | 2030 |
| CEE CS | Saeed Jafarzadeh (3:3 yr) | Stephanie Wilson | 3082 |
| Geological Sciences | Anthony Rathburn (3:3 yr) | Cecily Rink | 3027 |
| Mathematics | Maureen Rush (1:3 yr) | Andrea Garoutte | 3151 |
| Nursing | Maria Rubolino (1:3 yr) | Kelli Deford | 2506 |
| Physics & Engineering | Zhongzhe Liu (2:3 yr) | Estrella Garibay | 2664 |
| Public Health | Todd McBride (3:3 yr) | Kelli Deford | 2229 |
| **Social Sciences & Education** | **Dean** | **Bohsiu Wu** | **2219** |
| | Associate Dean | Amy Gancarz-Kausch *(Interim)* | 2210 |
| Analyst: Lisa Rey, x3190 | Assistant to the Dean | Alex Alva | 2219 |
| **Departments** | **Department Chairs** | **Staff** | **Extension** |
| Advanced Educational Studies | Michael Szolowicz (2:3 yr) | Ryan Otawka | 3055 |
| Human Development and Family Studies | Elaine Correa (1:1 yr) | Angelina Lopez | 3516 |
| Criminal Justice | Lindsay Nelson-Burkert (2:3 yr) | Madison Tingey | 2433 |
| DPEL | Aaron Wisman (1:3 yr) | Rosie Soriano | 3140 |
| Ethnic Studies | Jeremiah Sataraka (2:3 yr) | Donna Jimenez-Arredondo | 2208 |
| Kinesiology | Jeff Moffit (3:3 yr) | Emily Walker | 2187 |
| Political Science | Ivy Cargile (1:3 yr) | Micaela Yanez | 2141 |
| Psychology | Anne Duran / Kyle Susa (1:1 yr) | Penny Whitson | 2363 |
| Social Work | Jong Choi (3:3 yr) | Natalie Banducci | 3434 |
| Sociology | Rhonda Dugan (3:3 yr) | Stephanie Garcia | 2368 |
| Teacher Education | Alice Hays (3:3 yr) | Star Watson | 3134 |
| Liberal Studies | Adam Sawyer, Director | Star Watson | 3134 |
| **University Library** | **Dean** | **Sandra Bozarth** | **3042** |
| Analyst: Sherean Dargahi, x3108 | Assistant to the Dean | Amanda Meanley | 3042 |
| **Departments** | **Department Chairs** | **Staff** | **Extension** |
| Library | Rebecca Penrose (1:3 yr) | Amanda Meanley | 3259 |
| **Extended Edu and Global Outreach** | **Dean** | **James Rodríguez** | **2446** |
| | Assistant to the Dean | Tanya Snyder | 6235 |
| **CSU Bakersfield Antelope Valley** | **Executive Director** | **Steven Frye** *(Interim)* | **5015** |
| Analyst: Jeanette Morris, x5024 | Assistant to the Dean | Megan Marshall | 5027 |

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