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SCOOPS OF GRATITUDE

#### **Cecelia Caro**

CeCe is an amazing addition to my department. She has mad skills in marketing, media, and film production. She has a heart of gold, an infectious laugh, and the ability to channel any Disney character. With a light and vivacious attitude; CeCe is a joy to work with. She brings professional fun to our department.



- Barbara Frohlech



#### Sara Jordan

Sara goes above and beyond every day as the Administrative Manager for the School of Education. She leads from the front, never asking colleagues to do something she herself isn't doing or hasn't done. She inspires us to do our best, and has created a climate of fun, empathy, responsibility and excellence in our School staff community. We are so lucky to have her in our School!

- Aidan Humrich



## **Brittney Edmondson**

Brittney is one of the friendliest, community oriented, and versatile co-workers that I have had the privilege to work with. She is always delightful with a warm smile to all she comes into contact with. I admire the calm and cool collective that she carries with her in all of her interactions. I am so happy to call her friend and colleague.

- Barbara Frohlech



## **Anna Reynolds-Smith**

Anna is the best friend, supporter, co-conspirator there is to work with! She brings sunshine, wisdom and fun every day! Thanks for you being you Anna!!



- Rachel Carbone



## **The Advising & Transfer Center Team**

Shoutout to the Advising & Transfer Center Team!

You all do INCREDIBLE work every day - thank you for your never-ending contributions to support the Seawolf community. Your commitment to reinforce and advocate for student success on our campus is so very appreciated!!

Michael, Alvin, Joe, & Priscilla (Central Staff)



## **Kim Purdy**

For being such a supportive and collaborative colleague and for leading the best Yoga classes! You are one in a million and I'm so happy I get to work with you on the daily!



- Alicia Hodenfield



### Joy Sun

Thank you for all of your help and support with contracts and TPR's. I appreciate the time you've taken to explain processes to me, and never seem frustrated when I ask more questions! Thank you again for everything you've done for the IT department.



- Amanda McGowan





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# Our Facilities Staffers who keep our new Stevenson Building Spic and Span, & moving forward!

We don't often see these hard-working folks, but they are "on it," keeping this huge building of Stevenson clean and functioning for all who work and visit for classes, etc. Every single person responsible for cleaning, stocking and dealing with our garbage.....Thank you!

- Giselle Perry



#### **School of Education Staff**

Thank you for all your hard work and dedication. You are all amazing!



- Maricela Ibarra



## **School of Education**



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## **Advancement Team & Campus Partners**

Thank you for making our Third Annual Giving Day and huge Success! Your continued partnership and support is truly appreciated.!



- Mario Perez, VP for Advancement







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## **CES Team & Culinary Services**

Thank you for your partnership in supporting our advancement events and contributing to a great experience for our Alumni and donors.



- Mario Perez, VP for Advancement



## **Jim Doherty**

Jim in my observation embodies the Seawolf Commitment and what it means to comport oneself with integrity, respect, excellence, and responsibility . . . with a smile. Thank you Jim for all you do for Sonoma State University, it has not gone unnoticed.



- Christopher Dinno



## **Kim Purdy**

Kim is an amazing human who goes out of her way to support students on their path to graduation which is not remotely in her job description. She makes our students' lives better!



- Emily Acosta Lewis





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#### **LARC**

Your support to the MESA program and MESA students has been immeasurable. Thank you for being a safe space for the MESA students!





#### **Julie Barnes**

Thank you for the continuous support you give to me and to the MESA program! We appreciate you so much!





#### **Financial Aid Office**

Thank you for continuously supporting the MESA program! We appreciate everything that you all do!



- MESA



## **Ann-lise Fitting**

Thank you for your patience and flexibility these past few weeks! I appreciate everything that you do for me and MESA program!





#### **Nicole Hannah**

Thank you for everything you do for the MESA program! We appreciate you!



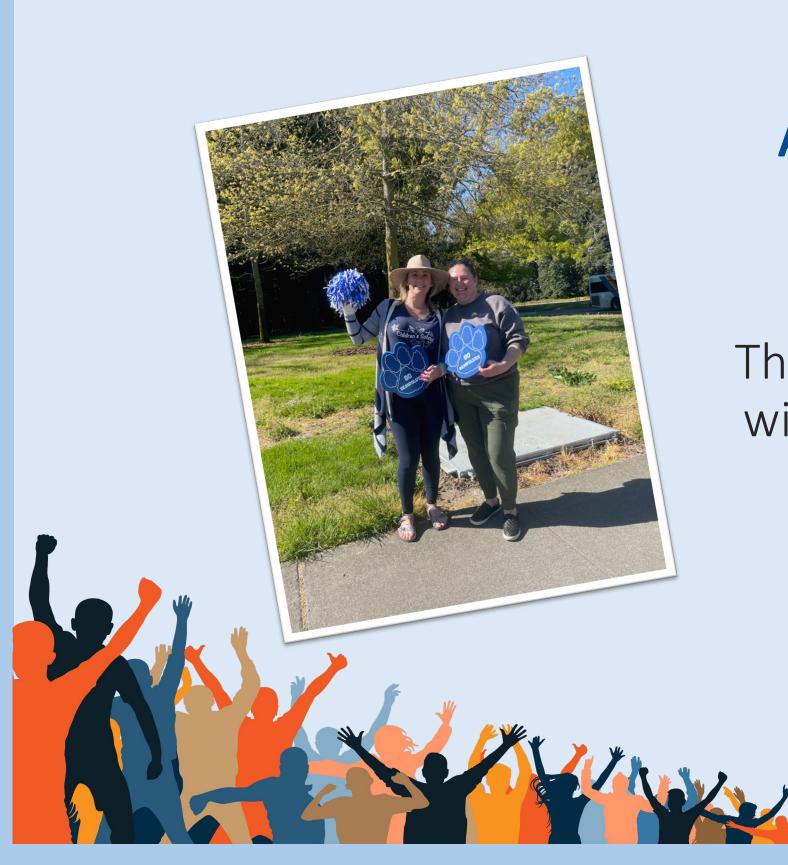


#### **Sarah Tucker**

I deeply appreciate and value everything you do for me, the MESA students and the MESA program. You are truly amazing!







#### Ali Beerli

Thanks Ali for striving to get connected with campus in your first year at SSU!! Your enthusiasm is contagious.

- Melissa Nelson





#### **Jess Truttman**

Thank you Jess for 13 years of service, learning with and from children, creating and maintaining quality environments for young children. The Children's School and SSU are forever grateful for your passion and hard work.

- Melissa Nelson



#### **Children's School**

You do so much to support our students, colleagues, and kids.

Your incredible work is such an important contribution to

Sonoma State and the future of our community. Thank you, thank

you, thank you!!!!



- Kim Purdy



## **Children's School**





## Tiffany O'Neil & Carly Davis

Tiffany and Carly are simply incredible! Their devotion to the success of our students, alumni, faculty, partners, and University overall is remarkable. Giving Day continues to make huge strides in providing funding for student programs, and their outreach fosters strong relationships and enormous pride in being a Seawolf.

- Charlene Lennon



## **Accounting & Property Team**

The Accounting and Property team continually shows up with energy and enthusiasm. They strive for accuracy and they make the campus balance. Everyday I am thankful to work with such a great team.

- Amanda Visser





## The TRIO Student Support Services Academic Specialist Team

Shout out to the TRIO SSS Academic Specialist team for going above and beyond to create a learning community to share information and resources to better support the academic success of students with disabilities and hold space to discuss and troubleshoot the issues and challenges you face in supporting TRIO students. Special kudos to Vicky Garcia for sharing her vast knowledge and resources for supporting our students with disabilities. We are better professionals because of it!

- Rose Calzontzi



## School of Extended & International Education, SEIE Team!



Thank you for being a wonderful team! You all rock!

- Nina Mendia



#### **Damien Hansen**

Thank you for all your support!!! I appreciate your kindness, thoughtfulness, leadership, and dedication to the university and our school. I am so grateful to have such a great supervisor.

Thank you Damien!!



- Nina Mendia



#### **Chandra Holte**

Chandra leans in to everything she does at Sonoma State University. She has found a way to do a sometimes difficult job and still have everyone's respect-which is not easy. Keep doing your thing and real scoops of ice cream next year! =)



- Emily Acosta Lewis



## **Molly Mande**

Thank you for being a data guru for the LARC! Your attention to detail, ability to tell a story with data, and general tech savvy is incredibly impactful for academic student support at SSU. We appreciate you so much!!





# **Lupe Garcia**

Thank you for being a great co-worker! Team work makes the dream work!



- Leslie Johnston





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Biology Staff: Kandis, Liz, Rosemary and Stephanie. Chemistry Staff: Marissa, Ryan G. & Sujan. Computer Science: Roger. Engineering Science: Kate and Shahram. Geology: Phil. Kinesiology: Cory and Gloria. Math: Robbin. Nursing: Ana and Jessica. Physics: Ryan M. Dean's Office: Cathi

"Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm."

--Ralph Waldo Emerson, American Philosopher

- Julie Barnes



# Christina Thao & Sarah Tucker, MESA Program

Big shout out for the amazing support provided to our MESA students from Christina and Sarah. The program is successful due to the direct support and care you both provide.

Thank you!



- Julie Barnes



#### **Kendall Newman**

Kendall puts 110% into everything that she does. She leans into whatever is needed from her on campus. She has gone above and beyond to be helpful and get to know people across divisions. Than you for your hard work!





## **Kim Purdy**

Kim Purdy genuinely cares about people's well-being on this campus and has gone above and beyond to not only do her day job, but make sure that everyone has a relaxing yoga space to escape to each week.





# **Sonoma State Police Department**



We are grateful for all members of the Sonoma State Police Department for all they do to keep the community safe, 24 hours a day / 7 days a week!

- Chief Nader Oweis



#### **Matthew Paolucci**

Matthew is the perfect balance of optimism and reality which is what faculty often need on this campus. He has improved faculty morale through his coffee and connections chats and we appreciate his amazing baked goodies! Thanks for being your true self Matthew!





#### **Lauren Morimoto**

Lauren has been a leader on this campus for years but has taken us through a particularly difficult past year. Her real talk is needed and appreciated. She cares so deeply about her students and colleagues and makes a lifelong impact on them.





### **Shelly Stephens**

As the heart and soul of the Communications and Media Studies Department, Shelly is the at the center of every success we have as a department. She does everything in her power to support our students' academic and personal success!





# **Tiffany O'Neil**

Tiffany is always at the ready to extend a helping hand to those of us that don't regularly put on events! Her thoughtfulness, knowledge and experience are truly appreciated!



- Alicia Hodenfield





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### **Mary Lenoir**

Mary always goes above and beyond and in providing individualized advising assistance to students to provide them with the tools to be successful in the classroom and in life. She challenges students to work to their fullest potential and is an outstanding role model. Mary is also the ideal team member who works diligently to fulfill the core values of Sonoma State University.



# **Christy Giambastiani**

Christy is extremely passionate and dedicated in her work with students and their families, especially with students on the autism spectrum, in helping them be successful in the college environment and to begin planning for a transition into the workplace. Christy provides outstanding training opportunities for students, staff and faculty on neurodiversity throughout the year and is an expert in the field.



### **Michael Eynon**

Michael is an outstanding advisor who quickly connects with his students and provides them with the tools to see that their goals are achievable by breaking things down into manageable steps. This is in addition to Michael overseeing the administration of over 1000 accommodated exams this past year!



#### **Noelia Franzen**

Noelia is an amazing technology expert that speaks in a language that even I can understand. Noelia meets individually with at least 100 students to ensure that they have the most appropriate assistive technology to access their instructional materials, and leads a team that converts approximately 100,000 pages of text into accessible formats for students with print-related disabilities.



## **Sydney Johnston**

Sydney quickly gains the rapport of her students by providing advising and accommodation support in a calm and caring manner. Sydney encourages students to think about their future and how graduate school might be the next step towards reaching their educational and employment goals.



## **Stephanie Graham**

Stephanie is passionate about her work supporting students with disabilities. She helps students feel welcome, because it can sometimes be difficult to come forward to ask for support. Stephanie takes pride in providing instructional materials in accessible formats to students with disabilities.









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### **Anna Reynolds-Smith**

Anna is the consummate professional. She is kind and patient when explaining budget-related things to those who don't understand that world. Additionally, she takes the time to mentor newer professionals on campus. She is much appreciated on campus!





#### **Gillian Estes**

Thank you for your service to the campus community in multiple roles and on various committees - as Staff Council Vice Chair, Staff Rep to the President's Leadership Council, and Union Rep.







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Thank you for your commitment to making each performance truly special for the artists and audiences. You've created a spectacular 10th anniversary season!

- Jacob Yarrow, Executive Director for GMC



### Joseph McNiff

Thank you for your dedication to producing events at Green Music Center. You've created a high standard for excellence.

Happy Retirement!



- Green Music Center Team



## Veronica Dueñas, Priscilla Saldaña, & Aarón Solorio

Thank you for being YOU and making me laugh all the time!!



- Valerie Olivares



# **School of Science & Technology Staff**



Dynamic Team we couldn't function without them, many thanks to all of them.



- Julie Barnes



#### **Gillian Estes**

You are AH-MAZING!!! Your dedication to the LARC's operations, student staff, and the campus community are evident every day.

Thank you for your calm demeanor and positive energy, and being a wonderful member of the LARC team. I appreciate you so much!





# **Stacey Bosick**

Thank you for your support and encouragement. I greatly appreciate knowing that I can trust and depend on you! Plus you're super witty and fun to work with!





## **Sakina Bryant**

Thank you for embracing the position of Writing Center faculty
Director with open arms and a full heart. The time and energy
you give to our student employees - and SSU students in general is incredible. I see your dedication and care, and I greatly
appreciate it.



# **Jennifer Lillig**

Thank you for being an amazing collaborator. I love working with you on projects and initiatives! It has been a great pleasure to get to know you better this year - as a person, an academic, and a leader. Your dedication, thoughtful curiosity, and willingness to get in there and do the work is inspiring!



# **Library Staff**

Thank you for always collaborating with the LARC! We love our library friends. :)





### **Advising Team**

Thank you for collaborating with the LARC and FAST on student success workshops. It was great to partner and work with you all!





#### Office of Financial Aid

Thank you for all you do and the hard work everyone puts in everyday! You all are the best!



- Shanon Little





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# **Graduate & Executive Programs Team, SBE**

Angela, Nicki, Emily & Christien,

Thank you for the good work you do for our programs. Your readiness to embrace challenges and think outside the box to find creative solutions is invaluable. Individually, you are all remarkable human beings, and collectively, you inspire me beyond words.

Thank you for being an awesome team.

- Soo Haylett



## Megan Metz & Cece Caro

Thank you so much for the awesome work you do for our programs. Your insight, creativity and capacity to get so much done is truly remarkable.

Thank you for your support and inspiration.



- Soo Haylett



#### **School of Education Staff**



To all of the amazing staff in SOE whom I am blessed to call colleagues- thank you for your service, dedication, compassion, hard work and despite it all your humor! I love my job because I get to share in this work with all of you!

- Sara Jordan



#### **Seawolf Service Center Team**

The SSC team is AMAZING! I am impressed with how the team consistently shows up for each other and SSU, putting their best foot forward in everything they do. Thank you SSC team....I appreciate you!



- Elizabeth O'Brien



## **Advancement**









#### **Kendall Newman**

Thank you for being a ray of sunshine! It's great working and studying with you!



- John Lynch



## **Cory Oates**

Going above and beyond to put on a fantastic Science Symposium!



- Elisabeth Wade



#### **Julie Barnes**

Keeping everything running smoothly in Science and Tech and consistently representing staff concerns in all venues.



- Elisabeth Wade



## The Equity & Access Programs Team (DREAM Center, EOP, MAVRC, & Seawolf Scholars)

Thank you for your dedication and commitment in supporting and serving our students. You make a world of difference in the lives of our students and continue to make a positive impact in their lives. Keep up the incredible work!

- Khou Yang-Vigil



# Ricky Calderon, Loriann Negri, Katie Musick, Michael Balasek, Nina Bardwell-Chanthalangs

Thank you for all your work this year supporting new programs and processes to plan for the smooth transition and success of incoming first-time first-year students. #SeawolvesF1rst! #JumpStart #English&MathPlacement #BlockEnrollment



#### **Maddie Peterson**

Thank you for all your logistical mastery this year to support faculty participating in our initiatives to increase student success and equity in the classroom!





## Katie Musick, Veronica Lopez-Gonzalez, Michael Balasek

Me Hearties! Shiver me timbers that "ARR-RRRRR!" Workshop turned out some good bounty! Well done!





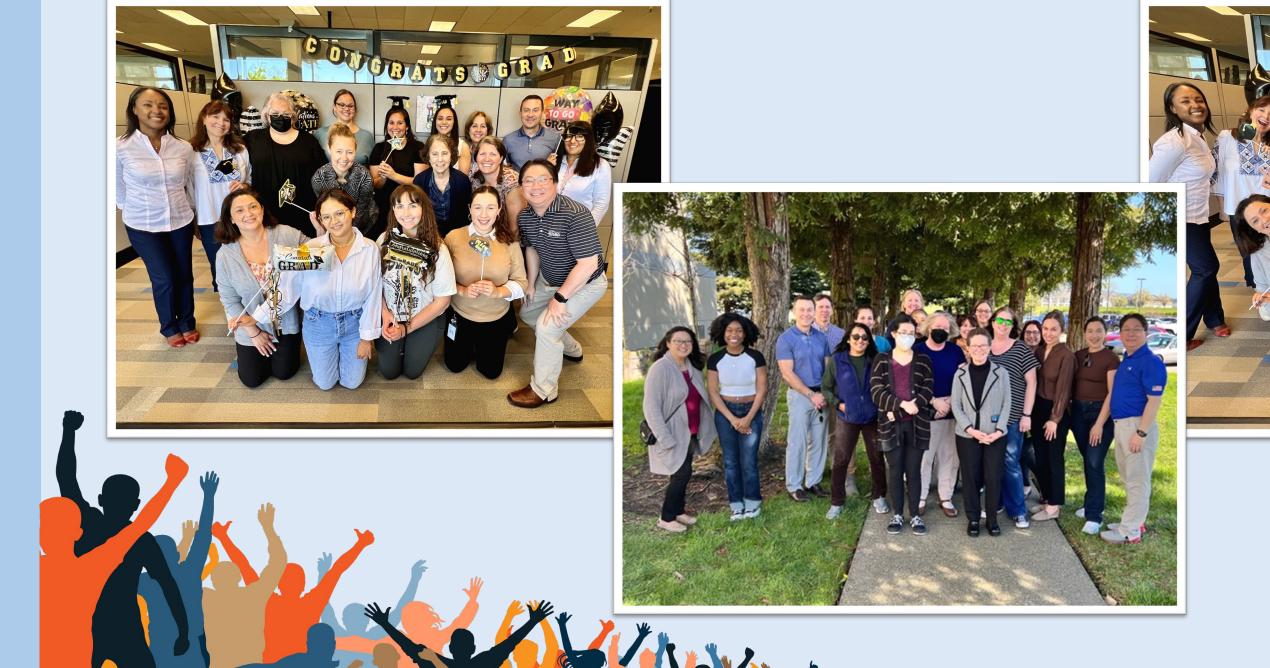
#### Kari Manwiller

Way to Win With the Widget! Thank you for taking the catalog to the next level!





## **SEIE**





## **Loriann Negri**

Thanks for your outstanding leadership of LARC. You're an inspiration to your staff and student employees and a wonderful example of a thoughtful and caring leader.





## Jenn Lillig

Cheers to your awesomely, fun and energetic spirit. You're full of great ideas, and SSU is lucky to have you as a leader!







#### **Merith Weisman**

Thanks for all of your great work connecting SSU and our community! Your commitment to social justice is a huge asset to the University.





### **Tara Bogart & Jamie Hermann**

Who are our "air traffic controllers" in the department when it comes to work orders? Tara and Jamie!

Thank you for your exceptional organizational skills and keeping things moving with a positive and pleasant demeanor. Your presence has a large impact to the department and greater campus community. We are beyond grateful to have you on the Facilities Management Team.

We are just a small sampling of your BIG fan club!

- Facilities Management Leadership Team



## **Nina Bardwell-Chanthalangsy**

You're on fire! I so appreciate your steady style and trust you endlessly!





#### **Katie Musick**

Your contributions to this University are unparalleled. Thank you for your tireless efforts to make this a better institution for our students, faculty, and staff!





## **Hope Ortiz**

Shout out to Hope for supporting our Study Away students as they take off on their academic adventures. Thanks for making this possible for our students to have these experiences!





## Megan Kane

Graduate Studies is better with you as our coordinator. I'm so thankful you're here!







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#### **CPA Staff and Technicians**

Thank you all for another great semester of Shows, Events and Concerts at CPA!

Despite the many challenges faced this semester we were able to execute all productions with skill and efficiency!

Thank you all for all you do! You're the best!

- Yave Guzman



#### **Frank Nides**

Frank, thank you for your consistency and dependability. Your pleasant demeanor and good conversation are a bonus that I really appreciate. You have made my job so much easier. Thanks again.



- Tim Fowle



## Lu Vega

THANK YOU for all you do every day! You are appreciated!





#### **Jami Grosser**

THANK YOU for all you do every day! You are appreciated!





#### **Nicole Stein**

THANK YOU for all you do every day! You are appreciated!





## Joe Wright

THANK YOU for all you do every day! You are appreciated!





#### **Vero Gonzalez**

THANK YOU for all you do every day! You are appreciated!





#### **Monica Borowicz**

THANK YOU for all you do every day! You are appreciated!





## **Ryan Walsh**

THANK YOU for all you do every day! You are appreciated!





#### **Aarón Solorio**

THANK YOU for all you do every day! You are appreciated!











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#### **Athletics Team**

Thank you to the Athletics Administration for hosting TWO successful NCAA Tournaments the same week! I appreciate your commitment to our student-athletes and also the support you provide our coaches.



- Nicole Annaloro



## **Shyla Penn**

Thank you for your time with Sonoma State Athletics! We wish you the best!!



- Nicole Annaloro



## Coaches

Congratulations on a successful year! 10 of 11 teams making CCAA post-season, and 5 programs advancing to NCAAs!! Thank you for your commitment to our student-athletes and their experience here at SSU!



- Nicole Annaloro









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## **Facilities Front Office Staff**

The front office team is always there ready to support the campus with kindness and care. We are all grateful for your assistance and positive and joyful attitudes. Thank you for always being helpful with the customers and working to resolve issues quickly.





# **Facilities Auto Shop**

From flat tires to replacing brakes, the Auto Shop repairs carts and vehicles quickly so departments can get back to doing what's important to them. The shops expertise is invaluable to the campus.





### **Facilities Lock Team**

Thank you, Lock Team, for handling the endless access uploads and getting individuals into spaces around campus. You have worked tirelessly to resolve complicated technical electronic issues in Stevenson. We are grateful for your persistence and ability.





### **Facilities Maintenance Team**

We see and appreciate everything the maintenance team accomplishes from repairing leaks, to building fences. You handle a wide range of issues so the campus community can thrive in their environments and for this we are thankful.





# **Facilities Management Plumbing Shop**

Whether it's installing a water heater or augering a toilet, the Plumbing Shop performs difficult and often unpleasant tasks daily. We thank you for your significant contributions to the campus community.





## **Facilities Electric Team**

Keeping the campus energized and well lit is a massive responsibility. We appreciate all the work, the Electric team does to keep the power on and electricity flowing. Thank you for keeping the campus bright and working to make the campus more sustainable.





## **Facilities Central Plant**

The Central Plant team are masters of juggling many things. From heating and cooling to fire/life safety, this team is all over campus all hours of the day maintaining environments that are comfortable and safe for positive learning, living, and working experiences for our students, staff, and faculty.





### **Facilities CPDC Team**

The CPDC team is continuously working to improve buildings, infrastructure, and other spaces at SSU so the campus community can learn, teach, and play in better spaces. Many thanks for working hard to elevate Sonoma State.





## **Facilities Custodial Team**

Team members have to believe in the merit of their own work and the work of their teammates.

Thank you, Custodial Team, for believing in teamwork and the great work performed this last year. You have all had challenges and you have overcome them all. Here is to a job well done!



### **Facilities Pool Team**

We are grateful to our Pool team for the hard work they put in daily to keep the pools clean and safe for our students, staff, faculty, and guests. Your efforts are noticed and greatly appreciated.





### **Facilities Labor Team**

Thank you, Labor Team, for your tremendous work with event set ups and other tasks. You work diligently to ensure the success of events around campus and at the GMC. Thanks for doing all you can to support the entire campus community and guests.





# **Facilities Landscaping Team**

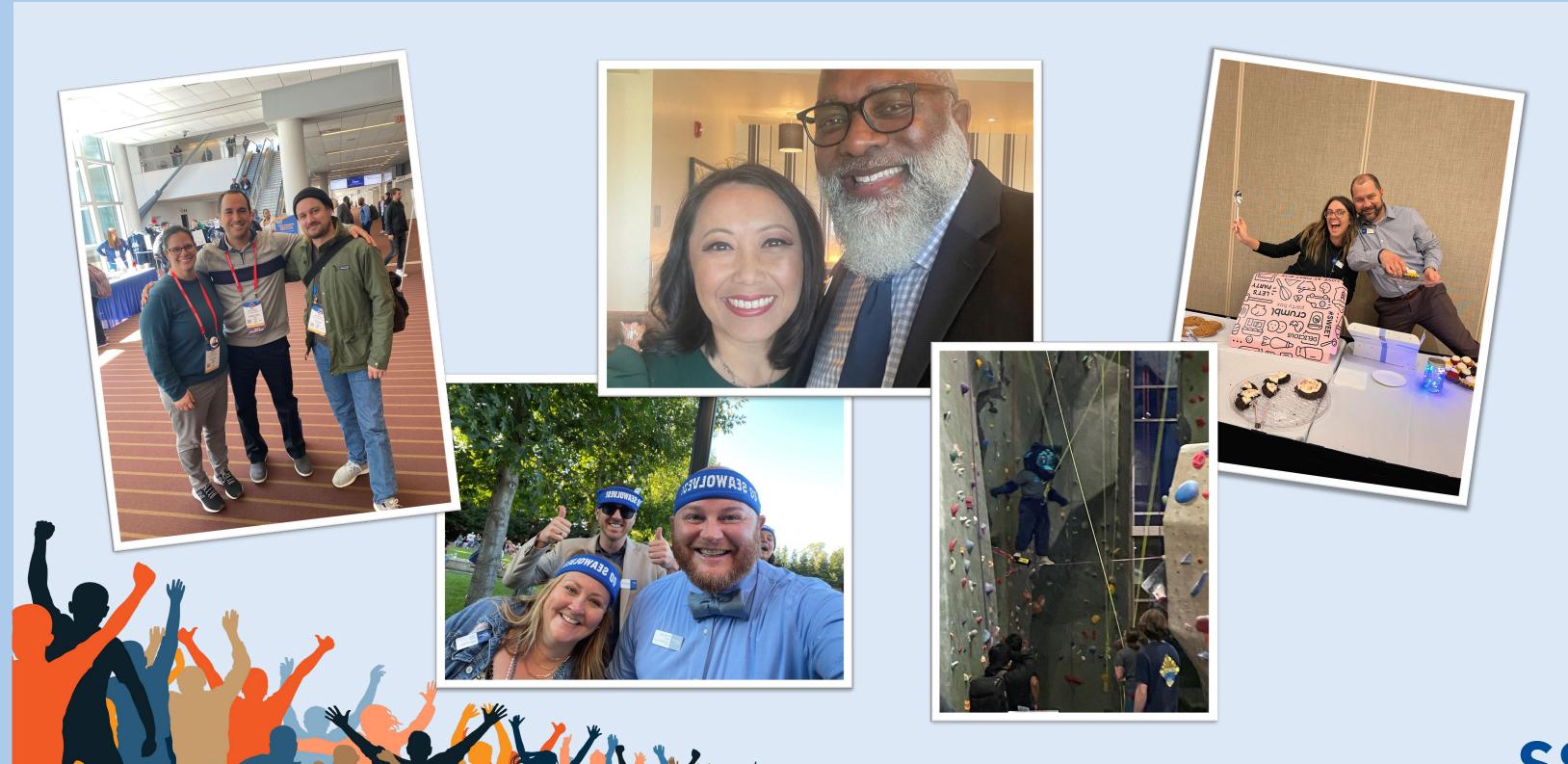
We wanted to pass along words of appreciation and gratitude for the very dedicated members of our Landscape Team. In the face of continual challenges, they have endeavored to work hard, they show respect and kindness towards our campus community, and the pride that they take in the campus landscape is reflected for the entire community to see.



# **Facilities Paint Shop**

We are grateful for our one painter who handles everything during the academic year from touch ups, to entire repaints, to getting rid of graffiti. Your dedication and commitment is displayed in your workmanship on campus. Your efforts are noticed and appreciated. We also appreciate the temp painters who support the campus housing summer painting program.





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# **Payroll**

Thanks for your role in helping ensure folks timely receive their pay, we appreciate you.



- Campus



# Sam, Janelle, Tramaine, Julie, Rob, Robin, & Sandy

You, along with your staff work hard and do your best work everyday......l see you!



- Jerlena Griffin-Desta, Chief of Staff & VP of Strategic Initiatives & Diversity





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# **University Advancement Team**



Shout out to my colleagues in University Advancement for making work such a fun place to be.

- Tiffany O'Neil



# **Campus Partners**

We are so appreciative of our campus partners who remind us daily why Sonoma State is such a special place. THANK YOU!



- Alumni Engagement & Annual Giving Department



## **Sonoma State Alumni**

We love our Sonoma State alumni who are now employees on campus! Thank you for making a difference on campus.



- The Alumni Engagement Office



# **Advancement Operations Team**

Shout out to the Advancement Operations team for their help in making Giving Day a huge success!



- Carly & Tiffany



# **Carly Davis**

Thank you for spreading your positivity and joy in our department. I'm so lucky to have you part of my team.



- Tiffany O'Neil



#### **Human Resources Team**

I am incredibly grateful to be a part of the Human Resources team. The dedication the team brings everyday is admirable. Thank you all for the thoughtful and hard work that you do with grace. You are so appreciated!



- Trisha Ramos



## **Seawolf Service Center**

Thank you to the Seawolf Service Center for being our partner in pay warrant distribution. We appreciate you for all that you do to help keep the process running smoothly!



- Trisha Ramos



# **Cheryl Santa Cruz**

Thank you to Cheryl Santa Cruz who is our HRIS expert. Your support of Human Resources on the projects, queries and day-to-day questions is so appreciated. We are forever grateful for you!



- Trisha Ramos





#### **Lena Fromme**

There are dreamers and there are those who make our dreams come true. Thank you, Lena, for all that you do to turn ideas into reality by setting up the paperwork for approvals, sourcing and purchasing materials, providing valuable feedback on cost savings, and designing quality teaching kits that bolster our reputation. Thank you!



# **Jeffery Reedy**

As a grant-funded department, the EdEon STEM Learning Department needs people who can innovate quickly using coding, engineering, and physics. Mr. Reedy never fails to impress with his technology solutions, whether it be code for 9th graders creating a mud-based fuel cell, or building a NASA JPL Rover with an autistic intern, and everything in between. Thank you!



### **Aurore Simonnet**

World renowned for her scientific illustrations, Ms. Simonnet keeps SSU and the EdEon STEM Learning Department in the spotlight, where it is making merging black holes and neutron stars real for the general public, initiating the Los Lobos character's look, or making the invisible magnetic field around earth visible in educational illustrations. Thank you!



#### **Darlene Yan**

New to SSU and to the EdEon STEM Learning Department, Ms. Yan has jumped in and quickly contributed to supporting our complex budget projections to creating high school student guides from the teacher guides for our NASA's Neurodiversity Network project. Thank you!



# **Troy Wilson**

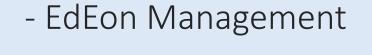
Newly graduated from SSU, Mr. Wilson has already provided valuable support to the EdEon STEM Learning team with his troubleshooting issues students in 9th grade classrooms were having coding on our custom Web App, keeping our computer systems running, creating dynamic and well-design websites.

Thank you!



## **Casey Lewiston**

Having launched an innovative Web App as part of our 9th grade integrated STEM+Coding curriculum, tested it with over 500 California students in Roseland and rural communities, Casey continues to support EdEon STEM Learning with support as we work to expand the use of this technology. Thank you!





### **Erin Rock & the HR Team**

Our grant-funded EdEon STEM Learning Department is continually changing with the grant-funded projects that begin and end, as others start us in another direction. This leads us to some complicated HR needs, which the entire HR Department helps us navigate with Erin Rock as our main support. We couldn't do it without you!



# **Erin Taylor & the HR Team**

As we navigate compliance and learning new ways of treating one another using the platinum standards, Erin Taylor has been incredibly helpful to EdEon STEM Learning both in ensuring that our team's SSU trainings are relevant to our jobs as well as providing a very appreciated MPP training series with other HR colleagues. Thank you!



## **Julie Barnes**

There are few at SSU who know the ins and outs of the rules and regulations, like Julie Barnes. Her expertise and experience, not to mention her problem solving and can-do attitude, has kept our EdEon STEM Learning group headed in the right direction when the grant-funded projects need seem completely at odds with SSU policy and procedures. Thank you for your guidance!



# Rosie Schramm, Andru Luvisi, Adam Kinmont, & the IT Team

With the grant-funded EdEon STEM Learning projects, there are times when the needs of the grant deliverables run contrary to the needs of the SSU IT system. Rosie, Andru, Adam and the entire IT team help us navigate solutions to these apparent contrary requirements, allowing us to remain within the SSU system, while meeting our deliverables. Thank you!



# **Payroll Team**

With the ever-changing payroll of the EdEon STEM Learning team, we appreciate how well the payroll team works with us to ensure our staff and students are paid accurately and on time! With multiple fund numbers to work with, this is no small feat and we appreciate what you do!



# **Accounts Payable & Procurement Team**

With the ever-changing purchasing and contract needs of the EdEon STEM Learning team due to the new, continuing, and ending grant-funded programs, we appreciate how quickly and precisely the accounts payable and procurement team works with us. We are grateful for your support with the thousands of purchases and hundreds of contracts each year.



# **Sonoma State Faculty**

Thanks to the faculty at Sonoma State, each and everyone—part-time, full-time, lecturers and tenure-track. These challenging years have demonstrated the depth of commitment you have for our students. You have given of yourselves in remarkable ways, and we thank you for being the amazing teacher-scholars you are.

- Provost Karen Moranski



## **Sonoma State Staff & Administrators**

Thanks to all staff and administrators across Sonoma State who work tirelessly to make sure our students have the best experience possible at Sonoma State. I am grateful for your dedication and hard work. Thank you!

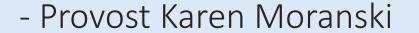


- Provost Karen Moranski



# **Staff in Academic Affairs**

Under the most challenging of circumstances, the Staff in the Division of Academic Affairs excel in providing academic support to our students and faculty. Educating our students takes everything we've got . . . and sometimes more than we knew we had. Know you are appreciated, and thank you for all you do!





# **Academic Master Planning**

Thanks to everyone who participated in the Academic Master Planning process this year, including members of our Executive Committee, Steering Committee, and Working Group members. It was a truly collaborative blend of faculty, staff, students, and administrators who dedicated their time and energy to building academic excellence and student success at Sonoma State.

- Provost Karen Moranski







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## **CES**

Thanks for always being a great partner to support campus events - HR has "Scoops of Gratitude" for your team!



- Chandra Holte



# **Sonoma State Police Department**

Thanks for bringing the Black and Brown in Blue Series to our campus!



- Chandra Holte



#### **Human Resources**

Thanks for partnering with campus to provide guidance when it comes to navigating recruitment, workforce administration, payroll, benefits, employee relations and training related questions - your diligence and expertise is appreciated by many.



- Chandra Holte



# **Ashley Blaylock & Carrie Schmidt**

You have been so patient and supportive as I navigated learning Concur. Thank you for everything you do to support our campus!



- Kim Purdy





## **Facilities Team**

I would like to give a SHOUT OUT to our Facilities team for always coming through with keeping our campus beautiful and supporting the many wonderful events that are taking place since we have returned from the pandemic. They do an amazing job keeping us excited to be on the beautiful grounds and in the buildings on SSU campus.

- Monir Ahmed, VP for Admin & Finance





## **Student Affairs Exec Team**

Thank you, Rachel Carbone, Erik Dickson, Dr. Laura Williams, Anna Reynolds-Smith, and Dr. Ryan J. Henne for all you do in leadership of your respective areas. I absolutely love working with ya'll!





## **EOP**

Thank you EOP team for the way you show up to help connect the dots to ensure our EOP students have the knowledge, support, and resources to thrive at Sonoma State!





## **DREAM Center**

Thank you Alma for leading our DREAM center with passion and unwavering commitment to our DREAM Center students!







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# **Seawolf Scholars**

Thank you Khou and Veronica for stepping in to make sure our Seawolf Scholars' needs are met and then some!





## **DSS**

Big shout out to the entire DSS team for all that you do to make sure our DSS students accessibility needs are met. The humility in which you do your job is greatly appreciated and WE SEE YOU!





# **Duck/Mushroom Mystery Maven**

Thanks for your shenanigans which have been enjoyed by many!



- Second Floor of Salazar



## **MAVRC**

Yvonne, you've done a great job hitting the ground running this year. Keep up the strong work!







## **MSI**

Andre, thank you for teaching, guiding, supporting, and leading the students of the Male Success Initiative. Salute!





# **Cal Promise**

Aarón, outstanding job leading the Cal Promise program!









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# **TRIO SSS**

TRIO SSS U4S and MAP staff, you rock! Thanks for helping our students achieve academic success!





# **Advising**

Learning how to select the right classes and which course fits what area is made a whole lot easier because of our awesome Advising team! Cheers!





# **Transfer Advising**

#1 for transfer graduation rates in the entire CSU system! Enough said - you rock Transfer Advising team!







## **PCP**

Making the college-going dreams a reality for our low-income, first-generation college students and their families throughout Sonoma, Napa, Lake, and Mendocino Counties is because of our awesome Pre-Collegiate Programs staff - Academic Talent Search, Upward Bound, and Upward Bound Math & Science projects!





#### **Career Center**

Becky and Yaneth, a hearty thanks for your service in preparing our students for now and later! And your career fairs are always topnotch!





## **Basic Needs**

Thank you Edie Brown for making sure our students have their basic needs met. Salute!





# **Calee Spinney**

You have been such a steady person of support for our students in need! Thank you for your absolutely selfless work.





## Orientation

Rolling up their sleeves and getting it done so our new students are welcomed into the Seawolf community





## **Ben Ellis**

The thought and care you demonstrate in supporting our students through the conduct process is greatly appreciated.





## **REACH**

I cannot say enough about the REACH for all that you do 24/7. Your hard work, commitment, and long hours in support of our students is remarkable.





# **Student Involvement Programming**

Thank you for all your efforts in connecting students to the campus, helping create a sense of belonging and making all students feel apart of the Seawolf family and community.





# **Abbie Page**

Thank you for all your hard work and support of our Greeks! We see you out there making sure everything is rocking & rolling!





# **Bianca Delgado**

You are so appreciated in your dual role in Student Involvement! We aren't sure how we ever made it without you! Thank you!!





# **Campus Rec**

Campus Rec is where to be! Thank you all for your hard work, your enthusiasm for the students and your commitment to fitness and teaching our students how to live well!





#### **CAPS Team**

You are so very appreciated! We see you carrying the weight of our students on your shoulders! There aren't enough words to express our gratitude!! THANK YOU!





## **Student Health Center Team**

Thank you so much for all that you do! You've been thrown challenges from Mother Nature that we couldn't have imagined and you met the challenge! We appreciate you!!





## **Susan Pulido**

Thank you for your strong advocacy for our student survivors! Your support and passion are second to none! You are appreciated!





# Associated Students, Government, Basic Needs, Productions, JUMP, & The Children's School

Thank you for all that you do in helping our represented students find their voices in support of their fellow students. Thank you for teaching caring for the children of our students, staff and faculty.











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