

September 2022 Newsletter Faculty Affairs Department

**“Educating the mind without educating the heart is no education at all.”
– Aristotle**





Faculty Monthly Calendar

- September 7** **President's Briefing - [Zoom](#)**
8:45 - 9:45 AM
- September 12** **PKE Committee Meeting - WLA 212**
1:00 - 2:40 PM
- September 13** **Full Time Faculty Meeting - WLA**
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

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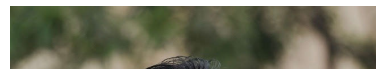
REMINDERS!

- **September 5, 2022:** Labor Day [Holiday](#)
- **September 9, 2022:** [Tenure and Promotion](#) Interfolio Application due
- **September 21, 2022:** Founder's Day, Firestone Fieldhouse
- **September 26, 2022:** Fall 2022 - Session B [textbooks](#) and [syllabi](#) due

Congratulations!

Please join me in thanking these fine faculty members for their dedication to the Graziadio School, demonstrated through their many accomplishments and achievements. I consider myself honored to be considered their colleague and am appreciative of how they have elevated and amplified our mission. I am delighted to see they have been recognized for their work with these new titles.

-Dr. Dave Smith, Interim Dean





Dr. Charla Griffy-Brown

Senior Associate Dean of
Executive and Part-Time
Programs



Dr. Cristina Gibson

University Professor



Dr. Abraham Park

Senior Associate Dean of
Academic Affairs

Updated Course Syllabi Templates

Be sure to upgrade your course syllabi using our updated templates for both [on campus](#) and [online](#) programs. **Be sure to remove or update content [in brackets] from the finalized syllabus.*

These new templates will:

- Provide clarity and consistency in expectations
- Meet accessibility standards
- Include best practices on key syllabus elements
- Incorporate a new clean look and feel

[Learn more](#) by reviewing our website.

Faculty Profile

Profiles published in the faculty [directory](#) are a valuable tool for our students and other constituents. Eligibility to be listed in the directory, along with guidelines for creating and editing profiles, are listed on our [Faculty Affairs website](#).

Recent updates have been submitted on your behalf to match the title on your AY

22-23 contract. If you would like to update any other content, you may submit a request at any time.

E-Learning Tips

With classes underway, eLearning wishes you a productive fall 2022 trimester! The start of a fall semester always feels like a new beginning, with new learning opportunities. The eLearning team is here to support your academic needs with tips for success.

What are some methods you can use to reach out to your students for class introductions? Consider the options below:

- Make a [VoiceThread](#).
- Create a discussion in [Sakai Courses discussions](#).
- Post [Sakai Courses announcements](#).
- Use [Panopto](#) or [Zoom](#) to create an introductory video and share with your students.
- Send a group [message](#) through Sakai Courses.
- Email your class using the [Google distribution list](#).

[Contact eLearning](#) to learn more about any of these options and for on-going support with your fall course.

Faculty Highlight



Reflections on Faculty Adventures Abroad

Kevin Groves
Professor of Organizational Theory and Management

[Read Entire Publication](#)

As many of you are already aware, I was fortunate to have the opportunity to accept a U.S. Fulbright Scholar award to MCI Management Center Innsbruck as a Visiting Professor (February – July, 2022). MCI is one of our international partner schools located in beautiful Innsbruck, Austria, which is in the Tyrol region in the heart of the Alps. Given the length of this appointment and the rare opportunity to conduct research and teach abroad, we decided that this should be a family experience. As such, my wife Jill and daughters Anna (11) and Kate (9) joined our adventure abroad. For my colleagues across PGBS, I would like to share the following reflections on our experience abroad for anyone considering such an experience:

- Cultivating your network abroad: One of the most challenging lessons of my experience was selecting a university for the Fulbright U.S. Scholar award, which only allows applicants to submit an application for one institution. In addition to the central location of MCI, I had been exposed to the university as an attendee at an EDBA (Executive Doctorate of Business Administration) conference in Antwerp, Belgium in 2019. At this conference, I had the opportunity to learn more about MCI's mission, vision, and values, which are aligned with PGBS, as well as hear MCI's rector (Dr. Andreas Altmann) describe the school's program and research centers. My decision to apply for MCI's Fulbright Visiting Professor award was made much clearer as a result of attending this conference and making several connections with attendees and students.

Cheers for Peers

We invite you to submit a ["Cheers for Peers"](#) to acknowledge a colleague that has gone above and beyond the call of duty. In the spirit of "giving each other flowers" continuously, we hope that you consider expressing your gratitude with "cheers"!

Please complete your submission by **Monday, September 12 at 12 PM (PT)** to be featured at the upcoming Faculty Meeting. Keep them coming to be highlighted in future newsletters.

We look forward to highlighting these submissions!
