

# DIRECTORIES

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### Woodstock Center

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## Full-Time Faculty 2023-2024

Faith Agostinone  
 Professor  
 Education  
 2002

EdD, Oklahoma State University

**Alison Arendt**

Associate Professor; Director of Social Work  
Social Work  
2014  
MSW, Aurora University

**Susan Baird**

Assistant Professor  
Nursing - GWC  
2020  
DNP, Chatham University

**Bridgitte Barclay**

Associate Professor; Chair of English  
English  
2011  
PhD, University of Texas at Arlington

**Jack Barshinger**

University Professor  
Education  
2014  
EdD, Northern Illinois University

**Elissa Belcher**

Assistant Professor  
Nursing  
2018  
MSN, University of Phoenix

**Marianne Benedek**

Lecturer  
Social Work  
2020  
MSW, Loyola University Chicago

**Richard Boniak**

Associate Professor; Assistant Academic Dean - GWC; Assistant Chair of  
Biology  
Environmental and General Science  
2010  
PhD, Southern Illinois University Carbondale

**Kristen Brendel**

Associate Professor  
Social Work  
2011  
PhD, Loyola University Chicago

**Christina Bruhn**

Associate Professor; Co-Director of Assessment  
Social Work  
2009  
PhD, University of Illinois at Chicago

**Gerald Butters**

Professor  
History  
1999  
PhD, University of Kansas

**Andrew Carr**

Assistant Professor; Chair of Undergraduate Business and Finance;  
Graduate Business Director  
Business and Finance  
2016  
MBA, University of Chicago

**Chih-Chiun Chen**

Assistant Professor  
Biology  
2016  
PhD, University of Illinois at Chicago

**Christina Cicero**

Assistant Professor  
Nursing  
2021  
MSN, Chamberlain University

**Juan Colon Santana**

Assistant Professor  
Physics  
2016  
PhD, University of Nebraska

**Margaret Conneely**

Assistant Professor  
Accounting  
2021  
MST, Northern Illinois University

**Eugenie Cook**

Assistant Professor  
Nursing - GWC  
2018  
MSN, Olivet Nazarene University

**Matthew Dabros**

Assistant Professor; Chair Public Policy and Administration; MPA  
Director  
Political Science and Public Policy  
2016  
PhD, Purdue University

**Samantha Dahlberg**

Senior Lecturer  
Mathematics  
2021  
PhD, Michigan State University

**Jane Davis**

Professor; Chair of Human Animal Studies  
Biology  
2006  
DVM,MS, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**Jennifer Davis**

Assistant Professor  
Nursing  
2017  
MSN, Northern Illinois University

**Laura Donavon**

Visiting Assistant Professor; Coordinator of Addictions and Forensics  
Graduate Social Work

2011  
MSW, Aurora University

**Christopher Donnelly**

Assistant Professor  
Biology - GWC  
2021  
DC, National University of Health Sciences

**Patrick Dunn**

Associate Professor  
English  
2006  
PhD, Northern Illinois University

**Sue Durkin**

Assistant Professor  
Nursing  
2019  
DNP, Lewis University

**Therrin Eber**

Theatre Technical Director/Senior Lecturer  
Theatre  
2020  
MFA, The University of Alabama

**Sara Elliott**

Associate Professor  
English  
2002  
PhD, Northern Illinois University

**Julie Ellis**

Assistant Professor  
Nursing  
2018  
MSN, Benedictine University

**Libby Escobedo**

Associate Professor  
Art History  
2007  
PhD, Bryn Mawr College

**Carlos Estrada**

Assistant Professor  
Exercise Science  
2019  
PhD, Oklahoma State University

**Kara Fenne**

Assistant Professor  
Nursing  
2016  
MSN, Clarke University

**Melinda Finch**

Assistant Professor  
Nursing  
2019  
MSN, Loyola University, New Orleans

**Valerie Flynn**

Professor; Co-Director of Assessment

Psychology  
1989  
PhD, Northern Illinois University

**Carolyn Foor**

Lecturer  
Business and Communication  
2021  
MA, Northern Illinois University

**Kimberly Fowler**

Assistant Professor  
Nursing - GWC  
2017  
MSN, Olivet Nazarene University

**Renae Franiuk**

Professor  
Psychology  
2005  
PhD, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**Lisa Fredenburgh**

Parolini Distinguished Associate Professor of Music; Director of Choral;  
Chair of Music  
Music  
2010  
DMA, University of Arizona

**Lani Gardner**

Assistant Professor  
Athletic Training  
2021  
DAT, Indiana State University

**Sara Gerend**

Associate Professor  
English  
2008  
PhD, University of California-Santa Barbara

**Michele Gill**

Assistant Professor  
Business - GWC  
2021  
MBA, Aurora University

**Gregory Goalwin**

Assistant Professor; Chair of Sociology  
Sociology  
2018  
PhD, University of California-Santa Barbara

**Janice Gont**

Assistant Professor  
Business - GWC  
2021  
MBA, Aurora University

**Cornelius F. Gorman III**

Assistant Professor  
Social Work  
2016  
DSW, Aurora University

**Elizabeth Grabowski**

Assistant Professor  
Marketing  
2019  
MBA, Northwestern University

**Kendra Graham**

Assistant Professor  
Undergraduate Social Work  
2015  
MSW, Aurora University

**Shawn Green**

Haase Distinguished Professor of Marketing  
Marketing  
1991  
PhD, Union Institute

**Janice Gries**

Assistant Dean  
Nursing - GWC  
2013  
DNP, University of Illinois at Chicago

**Gopal Gupta**

Associate Professor, Joe Dunham Distinguished Professorship in Ethics  
Ethics  
2021  
PhD, University of Oxford

**Donovan Gwinner**

Associate Professor  
English  
2004  
PhD, University of Arizona

**Stacie Haen-Darden**

Lecturer  
Criminal Justice  
2021  
PhD, University of the Cumberland

**Marissa Happ**

Associate Professor; Coordinator MSW Health Care Specializations  
Social Work  
2013  
MSW, Aurora University

**Ashley Harris**

Assistant Professor; Clinical Education Coordinator  
Athletic Training  
2017  
PhD, Oklahoma State University

**Meredith Harvey**

Associate Professor  
English - GWC  
2010  
PhD, Idaho State University

**Denise L. Hatcher**

Professor; Chair of Foreign Languages  
Spanish  
2002

EdD, Northern Illinois University

**Mariem Hathout**

Lecturer  
Health Science  
2021  
MD, Mohammed V University Medical School

**Jennifer Hayden**

Assistant Professor  
Nursing  
2018  
MSN, Aurora University

**Elbert Hearon**

Assistant Professor  
Business Analytics  
2018  
MS, DePaul University

**Steven Henry**

Lecturer  
Computer Science  
2021  
MBA, Northwestern University

**Keith Herrmann**

Visiting Assistant Professor  
Physical Education  
2005  
MAT, Aurora University

**Lindsey Hill**

Senior Lecturer  
Mathematics  
2021  
PhD, Purdue University

**Daniel Hipp**

Professor  
English  
1999  
PhD, Vanderbilt University

**Julie Hipp**

Associate Professor; Director of Faculty Development  
English  
2011  
PhD, Vanderbilt University

**Denise Hobbs**

Assistant Professor  
Education  
2015  
EdD, Loyola University Chicago

**Edward Howerton**

Associate Professor  
Education  
2015  
EdD, Aurora University

**Willie Jackson**

Assistant Professor  
Social Work

2020  
PhD, Loyola University Chicago

**Charmaine Jake-Matthews**

Lecturer  
Psychology

2021  
DFT, Amridge University

**Meghan Jarpe**

Assistant Professor  
Graduate Social Work

2019  
MSW, University of Pittsburgh

**Ami Johanson**

Assistant Professor  
Chemistry

2018  
PhD, Northwestern University

**Kristen Johnson**

Assistant Professor; Chair of Therapeutic Recreation and Autism Studies

Therapeutic Recreation

2017  
MS, Aurora University

**Sara Johnson**

Associate Professor; Assistant Chair of Psychology  
Psychology - GWC

2013  
PhD, Northern Illinois University

**James Kao**

Assistant Professor

Art  
2013  
MFA, School of the Art Institute of Chicago

**Renaë Kaspar**

Assistant Professor

Nursing - GWC  
2021  
DNP, Capella University

**Ruby Kaur**

Assistant Professor

Health Science  
2021  
EdD Aurora University

**Kelly Kellen**

Assistant Professor

Marketing  
2021  
MBA, Lake Forest Graduate School of Management

**Kenneth King**

Associate Professor; Chair of Elementary Education  
Education

2019  
EdD, Northern Illinois University

**Matthew Kneller**

Associate Professor; Director of General Education; Chair of General  
Education

Communication  
2003  
EdD, Northern Illinois University

**Jennifer L. Kohnke**

Associate Professor

Education  
2008  
EdD, Roosevelt University

**Brandon Kooi**

Professor

Criminal Justice  
2006  
PhD, Michigan State University

**Michelle Korir**

Assistant Professor

Biology  
2020  
PhD, Michigan State University

**Thomas Kunstbeck**

Assistant Professor

Nursing  
2019  
MSN, Western Governor's University

**David Lash**

Assistant Professor

Computer Science  
2017  
PhD, Illinois Institute of Technology

**Martin Lave**

Assistant Professor

Parks and Recreation  
2021  
MBA, Aurora University

**Caleb Lewis**

Assistant Professor

Economics  
2018  
PhD, Northern Illinois University

**Ariana Carlson Maggio**

Assistant Professor; Chair of Undergraduate Social Work

Social Work  
2020  
MSW, Aurora University

**Georgine Maisch**

Assistant Professor; Simulation Lab Coordinator

Nursing  
2015  
MSN, Kaplan University

**William Martin**

Assistant Professor

Biology  
2016

PhD, University of Wisconsin-Madison

**John McCormack**

Assistant Professor  
Religion  
2016  
PhD, University of Notre Dame

**Kyle McElhoney**

Associate Professor  
Chemistry  
2014  
PhD, Tufts University

**Felix Medina-Gonzalez**

Senior Lecturer  
ESL/Bilingual  
2021  
EdD, Aurora University

**Shaun Neitzel**

Assistant Professor  
Sport Management  
2020  
EdD, Creighton University

**Tiffany Nelson**

Assistant Professor  
Social Work  
2021  
DSW, Aurora University

**Margaret Obermann**

Assistant Professor  
Nursing – GWC  
2019  
MSN, Northern Illinois University

**Joseph Oleck**

Lecturer  
Social Work  
2021  
MSW, Dominican University

**Marguerite Page**

Lecturer  
Communication  
2021  
PhD, Southern Illinois University

**Meredith Paskert**

Assistant Professor  
Exercise Science  
2021  
PhD, Kent State University

**Cristian Pastorello**

Associate Professor  
Music/Theory and Keyboard  
2011  
DMA, The University of Connecticut

**Chetna Patel**

Professor; Smith Distinguished Chair of Biology and Physical Science  
Chemistry

1996

PhD, University of Illinois at Chicago

**Melissa Pertl**

Assistant Professor  
Nursing  
2015  
MSN, Lewis University

**Mark Petersen**

Assistant Professor; Adm/Director of Dunham Scholars  
Public Policy and Administration  
2017  
PhD, Purdue University

**James Petkus**

Assistant Professor  
Computer Science and Mathematics  
2016  
MS, Northern Illinois University

**Donald W. Phelps**

Professor  
Social Work  
2001  
PhD, University of Illinois at Chicago

**Austin Pickup**

Assistant Professor  
Education  
2014  
PhD, The University of Alabama

**Mark Plummer**

Associate Professor  
Music  
2009  
DA, University of Northern Colorado

**Regina Rahn**

Associate Professor; Chair of Mathematics  
Mathematics  
2011  
PhD, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**Alma Rodriguez Estrada**

Associate Professor  
Biology  
2013  
PhD, Pennsylvania State University

**David Rudek**

Professor; Chair of Psychology  
Psychology  
2007  
PhD, Loyola University Chicago

**Stacy Searle-Gulli**

Associate Professor; Chair of Theatre  
Theatre  
2014  
MFA, The University of Alabama

**Wendy Seerup**

Assistant Professor

Undergraduate Social Work - GWC  
2017  
MSW, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**Eva Serrano**  
Associate Professor; Emeritus Dean of Latino/a Initiatives  
Foreign Languages  
2019  
EdD, 2009, Northern Illinois University

**Jay Shahed**  
Senior Lecturer  
Health Science  
2021  
MBA, Robert Morris College

**Terry Shapiro**  
Associate Professor  
Psychology  
2009  
PhD, University of Iowa

**Sharon Sillitti**  
Assistant Professor  
Nursing  
2017  
MSN, Aurora University

**Valerie Simpson**  
Assistant Professor  
Nursing - GWC  
2021  
MS, Northern Illinois University

**Mark Soderstrom**  
Associate Professor; Chair of History  
History  
2011  
PhD, Ohio State University

**Aubrey B. Southall**  
Assistant Professor; Chair of Secondary Education and ESL/Bilingual  
Education  
2016  
PhD, Georgia State University

**Caroline St. Clair**  
Professor  
Computer and Data Science  
2021  
PhD, DePaul University

**Deborah Stevens-Marchigiani**  
Professor; Chair of Initial Licensure Elementary Education, Early  
Childhood Education, and Special Education ESL/Bilingual  
Education  
2001  
PhD, Loyola University Chicago

**Tracey Stilley**  
Assistant Professor  
Nursing  
2021  
MSN, St. Xavier University

**David B. Taylor**  
Visiting Assistant Professor  
Education-Principal Endorsement  
2016  
MEL, Aurora University

**Jerald Thomas**  
Professor  
Education  
2003  
EdD, Northern Illinois University

**Laura Vargas**  
Assistant Professor; Coordinator of Child Welfare Specialization  
Social Work  
2019  
EdD, Northern Illinois University

**Giulia Visconti**  
Lecturer  
Social Work  
2021  
MSW, Aurora University

**Mark Walter**  
Associate Professor  
Philosophy  
2006  
PhD, DePaul University

**Kelsey Walters**  
Lecturer  
Mathematics  
2021  
BS, Wheaton College

**Steven Webber**  
Lecturer  
Business  
2021  
MS, Indiana Wesleyan University

**Christopher Wells**  
Associate Professor; Chair of Sport Management and Parks and  
Recreation Leadership  
Parks and Recreation  
2008  
MS, Aurora University

**Lynn White**  
Kieso Distinguished Professor of Accounting  
Accounting  
2018  
PhD, University of Illinois, Chicago

**Stephanie Whitus**  
Professor  
Criminal Justice  
2007  
PhD, Sam Houston State University

**Pamela Wicks**  
Associate Professor  
Communication

2011  
EdD, Northern Illinois University

**Lisa Woods**

Assistant Professor  
Education

2021  
EdD, Aurora University

**Sebastian Wyman**

Associate Professor  
Mathematics

2013  
PhD, University of Florida

**Stephanie Yelton**

Assistant Professor  
Nursing

2018  
MSN, Benedictine University

**David Young**

Assistant Professor  
Criminal Justice

2021  
MA, The Chicago School of Professional Psychology

**Haley Zimmerman**

Assistant Professor, Clinical Education Coordinator of Athletic Training  
Athletic Training

2021  
MS, Northern Illinois University

**Scott Zinzer**

Assistant Professor  
Mathematics

2017  
PhD, Arizona State University

## Faculty/Dean Emeriti

**Sandra Alcorn**

Dean Emeritus - GWC; Dean of the School of Social Work and Professor  
of Social Work, 1986-2003

GWC  
2003  
PhD, University of Illinois at Chicago

**Joan K. Arteberry**

Professor Emeritus of Nursing and Communication; Professor of Nursing  
and Communication, 1979-2002

Nursing and Communication  
2002  
PhD, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**Rayonia A. Babel**

Associate Professor Emeritus, Phillips Library; Reference Librarian,  
Phillips Library, (Associate Professor), 1971-2000

University Library  
2001  
MA, Northern Illinois University

**Ronald Banaszak**

Professor Emeritus of Education; Professor of Education, 2000-2013  
Education

2013  
PhD, Indiana University

**Ronald G. Benson**

Dean Emeritus, John and Judy Dunham School of Business and  
Professional Studies; Dean, John and Judy Dunham School of Business  
and Professional Studies, Professor of Management, 1999-2001

John and Judy Dunham School of Business and Professional Studies  
2001  
PhD, University of Iowa

**Roald O. Berg**

Associate Professor Emeritus; Associate Professor of Mathematics and  
Education, 1967-1999;

Mathematics  
1999  
MEd, University of Florida

**Henry Boer**

Professor Emeritus of Education; Professor of Education, 2001-2016;  
Education

2016  
PhD, Southern Illinois University

**Sara E. Bonkowski**

Professor Emeritus of Social Work; Professor of Social Work, 1986-2001  
Social Work

2001  
PhD, University of Illinois at Chicago

**Deborah Brotcke**

Professor Emeritus of Education; Professor of Education, 1992-2016  
Education

2016  
EdD, Northern Illinois University

**Raymond S. Christiansen**

Associate Professor Emeritus, University Library; Head of Media  
Services, Phillips Library; Associate Professor, 1977-2003

University Library  
2003  
MSEd, Northern Illinois University

**Laurel Church**

Professor Emeritus of Communication; Poetry Artist in Residence,  
Professor of Communication, 1985-2003

Communication  
2001  
PhD, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**Carol D. Crane**

Professor Emeritus of Biology; Associate Professor of Biology,  
1968-1971, 1978-2006

Biology  
2006  
MA, University of North Carolina

**Robert A. Dillon**

Professor Emeritus of Mathematics; Associate Professor of  
Mathematics, 1977-2006

Mathematics  
2006  
MA, Ball State University

**Willam B. Duncan**

Senior Vice President Emeritus - GWC; Vice President and Chief Academic Officer – GWC; Assistant Professor of Recreation Administration, 1970-2011  
GWC  
2011  
EdD, Northern Illinois University

**Carol R. Dunn**

Vice President for Enrollment Emeritus; Vice President for Enrollment, 2000-2009; Director of Adult and Continuing Education, 1982-1985  
Enrollment  
2009  
EdD, Northern Illinois University

**Marvin Edwards**

Professor Emeritus of Education; Professor of Education, 2002-2017  
Education  
2017  
EdD, Northern Illinois University

**Joan Fee**

Professor Emeritus of Education; Professor of Education; Chair EdD Program, 2003-2016  
Education  
2016  
PhD, University of Chicago

**David Frost**

Professor Emeritus of Business; Associate Professor of Business, 2006-2016  
Business  
2016  
MBA, Harvard University

**Donald A. Fuller**

Professor Emeritus of English; Professor of English, 1963-1999  
English  
1999  
PhD, Northern Illinois University

**Mary Glenn**

Associate Professor Emeritus, School of Nursing; Associate Professor of Nursing, 1984-2004  
Nursing  
2004  
PhD, University of Illinois at Chicago

**John Gudenas**

Professor Emeritus of Computer Science; Professor of Computer Science, 1991-2010  
Computer Science  
2010  
PhD, Illinois Institute of Technology

**Crystal R. Janaskie**

Professor Emerita of Economics and Business; Assistant Dean, Director of Academic Advisement and Associate Professor of Economics and Business, 1959-1977  
Economics and Business  
1977  
MBA, University of Chicago

**Gary D. Jewel**

Dean Emeritus, College of Education; Director, Graduate Programs, 1994-1996; Dean, College of Education 1996-2003; Executive Director, Institute for Collaboration, 2003-2005; Part-Time Instructor, 2005-2012  
Education  
2012  
MS, Illinois State University

**Christina Krause**

Associate Professor Emeritus of Psychology; Associate Professor of Psychology, 1996-2016  
Psychology  
2016  
PhD, Northern Illinois University

**Steven R. Lay**

Professor Emeritus of Mathematics; Professor of Mathematics, 1971-1990  
Mathematics  
1990  
PhD, University of California-Los Angeles

**J. Kenneth Leask**

Professor Emeritus of Psychology; Professor of Psychology, 1966-2001  
Psychology  
2001  
EdD, Northern Illinois University

**Maryanne Locklin**

Associate Professor and Director Emeritus, School of Nursing; Director, School of Nursing; Associate Professor of Nursing, 1995-2006  
Nursing  
2006  
DNS, Rush University

**Barbara Lockwood**

Associate Professor Emeritus of Nursing; Associate Professor of Nursing, 2003-2016  
Nursing  
2016  
PhD, University of Illinois at Chicago

**Stephen P. Lowery**

Professor Emeritus of Art; Professor of Art, 1986-2013  
Art  
2013  
MFA, Tulane University

**John J. Melles**

Professor Emeritus of Physics; Professor of Physics and Engineering Science, 1974-2006  
Physics  
2006  
PhD, University of Missouri

**Mary A. Harper Miller**

Dean Emeritus, School of Nursing; Dean, School of Nursing; Professor of Nursing, 1996-2001  
Nursing  
2001  
PhD, University of Colorado

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Professor Emeritus of Social Work; Professor of Social Work, 1987-2008  
Social Work

2008  
DSW, Hunter College, City University of New York

**Carolyn Mull**  
Professor Emeritus of Nursing; Professor of Nursing, 1987-2003  
Nursing  
2003  
PhD, University of Illinois at Chicago

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Associate Professor Emeritus of English; Associate Professor of English and Communication, 1991-2003  
English  
2003  
PhD, University of Chicago

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Dean Emeritus - GWC; Dean, School of Professional Studies - GWC, 2002-2010; Director of Continuing Education, 2010-2012  
GWC  
2012  
PhD, Marquette University

**Kenneth A. Olenik**  
Professor Emeritus of Sociology; Associate Professor of Sociology, 1966-1996  
Sociology  
1996  
MDiv, Trinity Evangelical Divinity School

**Susan L. Palmer**  
Professor Emeritus of History; Professor of History; Curator of Jenks Collection, 1973-2010  
History  
2010  
PhD, Northern Illinois University

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Associate Professor Emeritus of Music; Associate Professor of Music, 1974-1994  
Music  
1994  
MM, Northwestern University

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Social Work  
2007  
DSW, Loyola University Chicago

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Philosophy/Interdisciplinary Studies  
2010  
PhD, Syracuse University

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Professor Emeritus of Social Work; Professor of Social Work, 1995-2010  
Social Work  
2010  
EdD, Northern Illinois University

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Professor Emeritus of Fine Arts; Professor of Fine Arts, 1985-2011  
Fine Arts  
2011  
PhD, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**Sonja Scarseth**  
Associate Professor Emeritus, University Library; Catalog Librarian, Phillips Library, (Associate Professor), 1964-1998  
University Library  
1998  
MLS, University of Michigan

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Professor Emeritus of Social Work; BSW Program Director, 1987-1991; Field Coordinator of Field Placement, 1991-1992  
Social Work  
1994  
PhD, University of Minnesota

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Nursing  
2016  
MSN, Wayne State University

**Hanni U. Taylor**  
Professor Emeritus of English; Professor of English, 1978-2006  
English  
2006  
PhD, Northern Illinois University

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Education  
2008  
EdD, Loyola University Chicago

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Professor Emeritus of English; Professor of English, 1971-2010  
English  
2010  
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Dean Emeritus, School of Experiential Leadership; Dean, School of Experiential Leadership; Professor of Leisure Studies, 1987-2008  
Experiential Leadership  
2008  
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