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**Office of the President**

**Administrative Office**

**David S. Dockery** (1996) President and Professor of Christian Studies. B.S., University of Alabama at Birmingham; M.Div., Grace Theological Seminary; M.Div., Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary; M.A., Texas Christian University; Ph.D., University of Texas at Arlington; Additional study, Drew University.

**Cindy Meredith** (1996) Executive Assistant to the President.

**Melanie Rickman** (1998) Executive Secretary to the President.

**Campus Ministries**

**Todd E. Brady** (1996) Minister to the University and Instructor of Christian Studies. B.S., Union University; M.Div., Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

**Julie Bradfield** (2005) Campus Ministry Associate.

**Andy Pettigrew** (2004) Director of Student Ministries. B.A., Union University. Additional study; Southern Baptist Theological Seminary.

**Athletics**

**David Blackstock** (1973) Director of Athletics and Professor of Physical Education. B.S., Union University; M.Ed., University of Memphis; Ed.D., University of Southern Mississippi.

**Tommy Sadler** (1986) Associate Athletic Director. B.A., Union University; M.Ed., University of Memphis.

**Steven Aldridge** (2000) Sports Information Director. B.S., Union University.

**Teresa Thomas** (2002) Administrative Assistant to the Director of Athletics.

**Office of the Provost**

**Administrative Office**

**Carla D. Sanderson** (1982) Provost and Vice President for Academic Administration and Professor of Nursing. Diploma, Baptist Memorial Hospital School of Nursing; B.S.N., Union University; M.S.N., University of Tennessee Health Sciences Center; Ph.D., University of Florida.

**Barbara McMillin** (1992) Associate Provost and Dean of Instruction and Professor of English. A.A., Northeast Mississippi Community College; B.A., Union University; M.A. and D.A., University of Mississippi. Additional study, Harvard University.

**Cynthia Powell Jayne** (1976). University Professor of Language, and Associate Provost for International and Intercultural Studies. B.A., Mississippi College; M.A. and Ph.D., Louisiana State University; Additional study, Vanderbilt University, University of Kentucky and The Summer Institute of Intercultural Communication.


**Carol Johnson** (1997) Program Coordinator, Institute for International and Intercultural Studies. B.A., Union University.

**Academic Center**

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**Alice Farrar** (1997) Secretary. A.S., Jackson State Community College


**Computing Services**

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**Curt Parish** (1992) Director of Network Support. B.S., Union University.

**Brad Seaton** (1999) Network Engineer. B.S., Union University.


Office of the Dean of Students
Kimberly C. Thornbury (1999) Dean of Students. B.A., Messiah College; M.A., University of Louisville; Ph.D. Regent University.

Career Services
Renée Jones (2002) Secretary. B.S., Union University.

Residence Life
Kelly Elliott (2004) Residence Life Director, McAfee. B.A., King College; M.A., East Tennessee State University; M.Ed., University of Louisville.

Safety and Security

Student Leadership Development

Student Programs

Wellness Services
Brandon Boylan (2002) Associate Director of Wellness. B.S., Union University.
Paul Deschenes (2000) Director of Counseling Services and Assistant Professor of Psychology. B.A., University of Florida; Psy.D., Rosemead School of Psychology.
Cheryl Mercker (2004) Secretary, Health Services.

Germantown Campus
Jimmy H. Davis (1978) Vice President for the Germantown Campus and Director of Institutional Effectiveness and University Professor of Chemistry. B.S., Union University; Ph.D., University of Illinois; Additional study, University of Florida, Oak Ridge Associated Universities, Argonne National Laboratory, Harvard University, and Oxford University, England.
Randy Shadburn (2003) Executive Director of Germantown Campus, Director of Ed.S. and Ed.D., and Associate Professor of Educational Leadership. B.S., Freed-Hardeman University; M.Ed. and Ph.D., University of Mississippi.
Jennifer Hall (2006) Secretary, MAEd.
Shirley Harris (2005) Librarian. B.S., University of Memphis, M.L.S., Texas Women’s University.
Sue Taylor (1999) Coordinator of Graduate Business Programs.

Library Services
Steven L. Baker (1990) Associate Vice President for Academic Resources, Director of the Library, and Professor of Library Services. B.A., Samford University; M.Div., Southern Baptist Theological Seminary; M.A., University of Kentucky; Additional study, University of South Carolina and University of Memphis.
Jeannie Byrd (1995) Serials Coordinator and Circulation Assistant. B.A., Union University; M.A., University of Mississippi; Additional study, Middle Tennessee State University.
Shirley Sykes Harris (2005) Associate Professor of Library Services. B.S.E., University of Memphis; M.L.S., Texas Woman’s University.
Valerie Howell (2000) Information Services Coordinator. B.A., Union University; M.A., University of Memphis.
Melissa Moore (1992) Reference Librarian, Team Leader for Public Services, Professor of Library Services. B.A., Wake Forest University; M.L.S., University of Kentucky; Additional Study, Union University.
Patricia H. Morris (1979) Collection Development Librarian, Team Leader for Library Resources, and Professor of Library Services. B.A., Union University; M.L.S., Vanderbilt University; Ed.D, University of Memphis.
Mary Platt (1992) Cataloging/Authority Librarian and Associate Professor of Library Services. B.A., Stillman College; M.L.S., University of Alabama.
Louella Stewart (2000) Cataloging Associate. B.S., University of Tennessee at Martin.

College of Arts and Sciences
Gene Fant (2002). Acting Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, Associate Professor of English and Department Chair. B.S., James Madison University; M.A., Old Dominion University; M.Div., New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary; M.Ed., and Ph.D., University of Southern Mississippi.
Deena DeCourt (2004) Biology / Chemistry Secretary.
Angela McDaniel (2005) Art Secretary. B.A., Union University.

McAfee School of Business Administration
R. Keith Absher (2004) Dean of the McAfee School of Business Administration and Professor of Marketing. B.A. and M.B.A., Jacksonville State University’ M.A.S., University of Alabama-Huntsville; Ph.D., University of Arkansas.
Judy Leforgee (1986) Administrative Assistant to the Dean.
Paige Holmes (2001) SIFE Program Director. B.S., Freed-Hardeman University.

School of Christian Studies
Gregory A. Thornbury (1999). Dean of the School of Christian Studies, Associate Professor of Christian Studies and Director of the Carl F. H. Henry Center for Christian Leadership. B.A., Messiah College; M.Div. and Ph.D., Southern Baptist Theological Seminary; Additional study, Oxford University.
James A. Patterson (1999) Professor of Christian Studies and Associate Dean of the School of Christian Studies. B.A., Rutgers University; M.Div., Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary; Ph.D., Princeton Theological Seminary.
Bob Agee (1975-81, 2005) Director of the MCS Program and Professor of Educational Leadership. B.A., Union University; B.D., M.Div., D.Min., Southern Baptist Theological Seminary; Ph.D., Vanderbilt University.

College of Education and Human Studies
Ann Singleton (1985) Associate Dean of Education and Professor of Special Education. B.S., Union University; M.Ed. and Ed.D., University of Memphis.

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Dottie Myatt (1994) Assistant Dean for Teacher Education and Accreditation and Assistant Professor of Elementary Education. B.S., Lambuth University; M.Ed., Union University; Ed.D., University of Memphis.


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Yolanda Woodard (2005) Project Manager, Social Work Department. B.P.S., University of Memphis. M.S.W., University of Tennessee, Health Science Center.


Patti Todd (1996) Secretary/Receptionist, School of Education. B.S.O.L., Union University.

Christy Wyatt (1998) Secretary.

School of Nursing

Timothy Smith (2005) Dean and Associate Professor of Nursing. Diploma, Baptist College for the Health Sciences; B.S.N., University of Memphis; Diploma in Anesthesia, University of Tennessee, Knoxville Graduate School of Medicine; M.S.N. and Ph.D., University of Tennessee Health Sciences Center.


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Office of University Relations

Administrative Office

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Valerie Trautman (2003) Assistant Director of Church Services and Administrative Assistant to the Senior Vice President for University Relations. B.A., Union University.

Office of Development

Randy Phillips (2004) Senior Associate Vice President for Grant and Foundation Support.

Gary Williams (1998) Associate Vice President for Advancement and Alumni Services. B.S., Union University; M.R.E., Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Cristian Murdock (2004) Special Assistant to the President for University Advancement.


Belinda Moss (1993) Secretary, Alumni/Annual Giving.

Office of University Communications

Mark Kahler (2004). Associate Vice President for University Communications. B.A., Samford; M.A., Northwestern University.


Juanita Cotner (1992) Assistant Director of University Communications.


Office of Enrollment Services


Sherry Tignor (1996) Director, Office of Academic Support. B.S., Union University; M.Ed., University of Memphis; Additional study, University of Memphis.
Penney Smith (2005) Nursing Admissions Coordinator. B.S.N., University of Memphis; M.S.N., University of Tennessee Health Science Center.
Sheri Barden (1997) Enrollment Systems Project Manager and Data Coordinator.
Carol Courtner (2004) Secretary.
Suzzie Smith (1989) Assistant Data Coordinator.

Office of Student Financial Planning
Bobbie Bishop (1990) Financial Aid Officer/Loan Coordinator.
Mary Beth Daniel (2006) Secretary/Receptionist.
Amy Miller (2004) Staff Assistant. B.S., Union University.

Union Station

Office of Business Services
Administrative Office
Beverly Fisher (1983) Administrative Assistant to the Senior Vice President for Business and Financial Services.

Business Office
John Carbonell, IV (2006) Director of Human Resources
Tina Giddens (1985) Student Accounts Bookkeeper. B.S., Union University.

College Services and Mail Services

Facilities Management
**Part-time Faculty**

- Brenda Alexander (1993) History
- Lisa Bennett (1999) English
- Timothy D. Britt (1997) Mathematics
- Ellen Broussard (2005) English
- Cynthia Carruth (1999) Biology
- Kathie Cepparulo (1997) Music
- Charles Clark (2004) Education
- Andy Combs (2004) Biology
- Kimberly Cotter (2003) Sociology
- Kimberli Easley (2002) Communication Arts
- Marilyn Ebben (1999) Art
- Kay Flippo (1998) English
- Barbara Fowler (2001) German
- Brent Fronabarger (1999) Physical Education, Wellness and Sport
- Steven Gream (2005) Physical Education, Wellness and Sport
- Sandra Hathcox (1986-88; 1994) Education
- Paul Jackson (1993) Christian Studies
- Troy Leach (1990) Music
- Carol McClure (2003) Music
- David Niven (1999) Physical Education, Wellness and Sport
- Alan Odiam (2005) Christian Studies
- Mary E. Poore (1999) Music
- Dwight Porter (1996) Music
- Luanne Powell (1984-87, 1999) Business Administration
- Irene C. Schock (1992) Languages
- Seungwon (Chris) Song (2002) Engineering
- Patricia A. Taylor (1999) Social Work
- Cam Tracy (1995) Communication Arts
- Carol Venable (1997) Psychology
- Danny Walker (2001) Biology
- Sandra Williams (1983) Physical Education, Wellness and Sport
- Walt Winterbottom (2003) Engineering

**Emeritus Professors**

- James Alex Baggett (1977) Dean Emeritus, College of Arts and Sciences and Professor Emeritus of History.
- Linda Feeley Barber (1975) Assistant Professor Emeritus of Nursing.
- Mable Pauline Bridger (1965) Professor Emeritus of Nursing.
- George E. Clark (1962) Professor Emeritus of English.
- Curtiss E. Scott (1965) Professor Emeritus of Business Administration.
- Regina Saffel (1977) Associate Professor Emeritus of Nursing.
- Sandra Williams (1983) Associate Professor Emeritus of Physical Education.