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Endowed Professorship

Endowed professorships are awarded to faculty members who demonstrate outstanding research and engagement in community service. Funded by local sponsors, the awards support research projects and professional development for a four-year term.

M. Ryan Haley

Associate Professor, Economics

A rigorous and mathematically demanding professor, M. Ryan Haley, who has been at UW Oshkosh since 2003, has been a significant mentor to students' research efforts while teaching a diverse course load. Among his most notable achievements is a grant he was awarded from the U.S. Department of Education's Fund for the Improvement of Secondary Education for envisioning an e-textbook program to enhance the quality and affordability of higher education. The program has garnered the attention of national media and the UW System Board of Regents. During the last eight years, Haley has published nearly 20 articles on topics ranging from financial portfolio theory to natural resource markets, economic education and labor markets. Six of his works were published in elite journals, including the Journal of Futures Markets, the Journal of Human Resources, the Journal of Empirical Finance, Econometric Reviews and the Journal of Applied Econometrics. He is also a contributing author to a doctoral-level textbook on auction theory.

Haley earned his bachelor's degree in economics, mathematics and applied statistics from the University of St. Thomas, a master's degree in economics and mathematics from the University of Iowa and a doctorate in economics from the University of Iowa.

Richard Kalinoski

Professor, Theatre

Richard Kalinoski is a distinguished and award-winning playwright whose works have been performed both nationally and internationally. An inspirational and versatile teacher, Kalinoski, who has been at UW Oshkosh since 1998, brings creativity and high artistic standards to his classroom. Kalinoski was the recipient of the Distinguished Teaching Award in 2005 and the John McNaughton Rosebush Professorship in 2007. His far-reaching success has won him numerous awards including the Osborn for the best play in America by an emerging playwright in 1996 and the prestigious Molière award in France for *Beast on the Moon*. He also recently won the jury prize at the Fusion Theatre for *Formaldehyde*. His works have been translated into 17 languages and have been produced in venues all over the world, such as Athens, Beirut, Brussels, Buenos Aires, London, Moscow, New York (off-Broadway), Paris, Prague, Sao Paolo, Toronto and Yerevan.

Kalinoski earned a bachelor's degree in English from UW–Whitewater and a master of fine arts in drama from Carnegie Mellon University.

Paul Klemp

Professor, English

An exceptional scholar, teacher and fine ambassador for UW Oshkosh, Paul Klemp has been teaching at the University since 1988. His interest in John Milton's writing led him to publish four books and various articles and to serve as the senior editor of Milton Quarterly since 1987 and as a member of the editorial board of Milton Studies since 1999. As the instructor for one of the English department's most important courses — Introduction to English Studies — Klemp aims to motivate students to become critical thinkers and self-learners. He also regularly teaches honors courses. Klemp won the National Society of Leadership and Success Excellence in Teaching Award in 2010 and the UW Oshkosh Distinguished Teaching Award in 1996. In addition to serving on the University Retention Committee, Klemp also has been a reader for the Faculty Development Board and served on the University's Gender Equity Council, Americans with Disabilities Act Advisory board, the College of Letters and Science Tenure and Renewal committee, as well as almost all of the English department's committees. Klemp also served as the acting chair of the English department from February until June 2010.

Klemp earned a bachelor's degree in English from State University of New York at Brockport and University of Nottingham and a master's degree and doctorate in English from the University of Toronto.

Craig Maher

Associate Professor, Public Administration

Craig Maher's teaching excellence is marked by his pioneering efforts in online course delivery. As department chair and program coordinator, Maher has steered the Masters of Public Administration program at UW Oshkosh. His research on the fiscal condition of local governments has resulted in many published articles and presentations at professional conferences. Maher has also served as a consultant for local government entities and school districts. He serves on the National League of Cities and Urban Institute's Advisory Committee and a Government Accounting Standards Board Service and Accomplishments Task Force. He was also appointed to the Governor's Task Force on Milwaukee County Finances and elected to the Wauwatosa Common Council in 2004. Maher recently signed a book contract that will be part of the American Society of Public Administration Series in Public Administration and Public Policy, which is geared toward those interested in the public administration field.

Maher earned his bachelor's, master's and doctorate degrees in political science from UW–Milwaukee.

James Paulson

Professor, Chemistry

With funding from the National Institutes of Health, James Paulson began research on chromosomes and mitosis in the late 1980s at UW Oshkosh. Since, more than 50 students have spent time doing research in his laboratory. A challenging and dedicated teacher and scholar, Paulson is successful in engaging both chemistry and non-chemistry majors by providing opportunities for students to apply knowledge. Paulson has worked with people all over the world consulting, reviewing manuscripts and journals and writing articles his field. He has also developed new courses and course materials at UW Oshkosh to best serve his students. Two separate sabbaticals led Paulson to the Swiss Institute for Experimental Cancer Research in Switzerland and to the University of Edinburgh in Scotland, which he credits with accelerating his research due to the collaborations that have developed.

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Paulson was awarded the John McNaughton Rosebush University Scholarship in 1995 and served as a member of his department's public relations committee, which involved participation in preview days on campus. He has also served as a public voice in Oshkosh on the controversy over the theory of evolution.

Paulson earned a bachelor's degree in mathematics and a doctorate in biochemical sciences from Princeton University.

Endowed Professors — Current Appointments

2009 Edward H. Rudoy
Gary Adams
2009 SNC Professor of International Relations
Nadejda Kaltcheva
2009 TRISS
David Siemers
2010 EAA/C.R. Meyer
Sharon Chappy
2010 Oshkosh B'Gosh
Teri Shors
2011 TRISS
M. Ryan Haley
2011 John E. Kerrigan International
Richard Kalinoski
2011 Oshkosh Northwestern
Paul Klemp
2011 Alberta Kimball Foundation
Craig Maher
2011 F. John Barlow
James Paulson

Endowed Professors — Past Appointments

1993	James E. Chaudoir
1993	Nancy Elsberry
1993	Michael P. Ford
1993	Kenneth Grieb
1993	Neil A. Harriman
1993	E. Alan Hartman
1993	Gene L. LaBerge
1993	Edward T. Linenthal
1993	Charles P. Thomas
1993	Peter B. Worland
1994	Vincent Almazan
1994	Marilyn K. Hart
1994	Norris W. Jones
1994	Louis M. Rossetti
1995	Paul S. Donhauser
1995	Jayalakshmi Jambunathan
1996	Carol J. Van Dongen
1997	Berttram Chiang
1997	Linda K. Christian-Smith
1997	Paul J. Klemp
1997	Claire G. Meisenheimer
1997	William N. Mode
1997	James R. Paulson
1997	Baron Perlman
1997	Bron R. Taylor
1998	Lori J. Carrell
1998	Stephen P. Huffman
1998	Hy Sang Lee
1998	Andrew J. O'Shaughnessy
1999	Gregory H. Alder
1999	Margaret H. Genisio
1999	James J. Grunloh
1999	Edward T. Linenthal
1999	Mary E. Wurzbach
2000	Selma F. Brophy
2001	Michael Briley
2001	Andrew J. Gullickson
2001	R. Douglas Heil
2001	Jayalakshmi Jambunathan
2001	Lee I. McCann
2001	Ronald J. Rindo
2001	Charles P. Thomas
2002	Craig R. Fiedler
2002	Marguerite H. Helmers
2002	Ava L. McCall
2003	J. Ben Arbaugh
2003	James Chaudoir
2003	Judith Towne Hankes
2003	Stephen Makar
2003	Simon Sibelman
2004	Teri Shors
2004	Kathleen E. Corley
2005	Roxana Huebscher
2005	Stephen Huffman
2005	Richard Kalinoski
2005	Daniel Lehrmann
2005	Susan McFadden
2005	Carolyn Wells
2005	Robert Wise
2006	Li Hu
2006	Gregory Kleinheinz
2006	Timothy Paulsen
2007	Michael Ford
2007	Eric Hiatt
2007	Marianne Johnson
2007	Jeff Lipschutz
2007	Baodong Liu
2007	Frances Rauscher

Rosebush Professorship

The John McNaughton Rosebush Professorship recognizes UW Oshkosh faculty members for teaching, professional achievement and public service. Nominees are considered in a selection process by a panel representing all University governance groups.

J. Ben Arbaugh

Professor, Management

The first faculty member to offer an online course in the College of Business, J. Ben Arbaugh is truly a pioneer in business education. Not only has he written more than 40 articles on online education, but he also has published multiple articles in the prestigious management education journal, Academy of Management Learning & Education. He also has won numerous "best paper" awards. Arbaugh's writings were so impressive that he was selected as the first scholar from a master's level university to be the editor of an Academy of Management journal, which has significantly increased visibility and prestige nationally and internationally for the College of Business. Arbaugh, who has been a faculty member at UW Oshkosh since 1994, is also a leader and mentor in the UW System MBA Consortium, a program that serves more than 400 students per year throughout the United States and foreign countries. He is also known for speaking nationally to groups about improving online education. Arbaugh's many University service activities include service on the Graduate Council, Online Course Policy group, board of directors of the UW Oshkosh Alumni Association and Institutional Research.

Arbaugh earned his bachelor's degree in management at Marshall University, an MBA from Wright State University and a doctorate in business strategy from Ohio State University.

Michael Ford

Professor, Reading Education

Michael Ford has been a teacher for 32 years. As a teacher of teachers, he constantly updates his content and methodology to model practices in his classes he'd like his students to use in their classrooms. Ford has co-authored five nationally published books as well as made contributions to many others. He has published 35 refereed journal articles and is senior author of a core reading program for elementary classrooms. He is well-known among his peers throughout the educational community. Ford's service is reflected in his professional involvement with local districts, schools, organizations and educators and the more than 400 professional development presentations he's given throughout the country and on international campuses including schools in Beirut and Dubai. Throughout the UW System, Ford has also provided extensive service to the annual UW System Reading Research Symposium and serves as president of the Wisconsin Professors of Reading.

Ford earned his bachelor's degree in elementary education from Augustana College, a master's degree in reading education from UW Oshkosh and a doctorate in elementary education the University of Iowa.

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	Fredrick Schapsmeier
	William E. Sloey
	Harold W. Thorpe
	Farouk A. Sankari
	William J. Urbrock
	Kenneth J. Grieb
	John R. Burr
	Paul S. Donhauser
	Charles W. Fetter
	David W. Chang
	Watson Parker
	Baron Perlman
	Neil A. Harriman
1986	Robert L. Snyder
1987	Robert L. Berner
1987	Brian K. McKnight
1987	Dorothy L. Parker
1988	John F. Lucas
1989	John H. Karl
1989	Gene L. LaBerge
1989	Edward T. Linenthal
1990	Werner E. Braatz
1991	Vincent Almazan
1991	Ibrahim Y. Mahmoud
1992	E. Alan Hartman
1992	Zillur R. Khan
1992	Kuang-Ming Wu
1993	Patricia J. Koll
1995	Norris W. Jones
1995	Claire G. Meisenheimer
1995	James R. Paulson
1996	Berttram Chiang
1997	Susan H. McFadden
1998	James E. Chaudoir
1999	Lane R. Earns
1999	Joan S. Timm
2000	Craig R. Fiedler
2000	Estella L. Lauter
2001	Ava L. McCall
2002	Paul J. Klemp
2002	Frances H. Rauscher
2002	Bron R. Taylor
2003	Lee I. McCann
2003	Andrew J. O'Shaughnessy
2003	Andrea Gullickson
2004	John Koker
2005	Gregory Adler
2005	Kathleen Corley
2006	Marguerite Helmers
2006	Simon Sibelman
2007	Richard Kalinoski
2008	Jayalakshmi Jambunathan
2009	Mary Ellen Wurzbach
2010	Donald Hones
2010	David Siemers

Edward M. Penson Distinguished Teaching Award

Edward M. Penson Distinguished Teaching Award recipients are selected based on their teaching excellence, service, professional commitment and scholarly growth. A committee of faculty, students and staff determines who will receive the honor.

Laurence Carlin

Professor, Philosophy

A passionate and engaging professor, Laurence Carlin inspires students to think critically and engage in difficult course material with enthusiasm. A faculty member at UW Oshkosh since 2000, Carlin teaches his students to consider all sides of an argument and show interest in their studies while making it relevant. In 2003, Carlin initiated a faculty-led study abroad program, which has since sent 131 students to Cambridge, England and Edinburgh, Scotland and directly led him to write "The Empiricists," a book about philosophical development in the 17th century. He serves on the University Honors Council and as president and webmaster of the Wisconsin Philosophical Association. On campus, Carlin participates annually in College Day for Kids to extend his teachings beyond the UW Oshkosh student population.

Carlin earned a bachelor's degree in philosophy from Franklin and Marshall College, a master's degree in philosophy from University of Houston, as well as a master's and a doctorate in philosophy from Rice University.

Kathryn Henn-Reinke

Professor, Education

Kathryn Henn-Reinke has been a strong force in developing and refining the ESL/bilingual program and co-directing the ADELANTE and ESTRELLA Title III grants at UW Oshkosh. As Graduate Program Coordinator, she led the effort to significantly revise the master's program in the Department of Curriculum and Instruction. Henn-Reinke, who came to UW Oshkosh in 2000, has been the leading force for taking ESL and bilingual students to study in Mexico and Costa Rica. Henn-Reinke continuously refines her teaching to include field experiences that prepare pre-service teachers for the realities of the classroom and ensures bilingual education students develop fluency in two languages by teaching some courses in Spanish. She is the co-author of two books and the sole author of another and frequently presents at the annual American Educational Research Association and National Association for Bilingual Education conferences, where in 2010 she presented her findings as they related to studying trilingual education in Spain, Argentina and California. Henn-Reinke also contributes her time to many service activities with area districts related to the development of literacy with English learners. Futhermore, she has served on the College of Education and Human Services Curriculum Committee, the Committee on Graduate Studies, NCATE Committee, the University Equity and Affirmative Action Council and the Graduate Council.

Henn-Reinke earned a bachelor's degree in Spanish from Dominican College, a master's degree in reading from Cardinal Stritch University and a doctorate in urban education with an emphasis in curriculum and instruction from UW–Milwaukee.

Douglas Roubidoux

Senior Lecturer, Communication

Douglas Roubidoux is committed to developing the reasoning and argument skills of all of his students. For the past 11 years, Roubidoux has served as the director of debate for the only debate program in the UW System. His success leading the team is apparent through the more than 500 percent increase in budget for the program and the awards and trophies the team consistently earns. As the program coordinator for the basic public speaking course, which he was selected specifically to oversee and is a requirement for students within the program, Roubidoux is responsible for the administrative aspects of the course. Roubidoux is the first instructional academic staff member to be awarded this critical administrative responsibility. His work conceptualizing UW Oshkosh's annual Speech Festival cannot be overlooked. With more than 70 sections of the public speaking course offered, Roubidoux developed the idea for a speech tournament, which garnered interest from all parts of the University, as a way for students to meet their public speech requirements.

Roubidoux earned a bachelor's degree in communication from the University of Texas San Antonio and a master's degree in communication from Wichita State University.

Stephen Szydlik

Associate Professor, Mathematics

Conveying mathematics as an art is the passion of Stephen Szydlik, who has been teaching math at UW Oshkosh since 2002. Szydlik is a student-centered teacher who dedicates his time to teaching and learning outcomes. He encourages active participation in the learning process and is vigilant in looking for ways to improve himself as an educator. On campus, Szydlik has worked extensively to help develop the general education Problem-Based Inquiry Seminars, which focus on critical thinking in mathematics. He also works with the Scholarly Teaching Excellence Through Peer Support program through the Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning at UW Oshkosh and on the first-year seminar for the University Honors Program. He is also the student activities coordinator for the Wisconsin section of the Mathematical Association of America.

Szydlik earned a bachelor's degree in mathematics and computer sciences from Union College and a master's degree and doctorate in mathematics from UW–Madison.

Distinguished Teaching Award

1966	Nevin S. James
1968	Roberta J. Nelson
1969	John F. Check
1970	Jacob Shapiro
1971	Leonore W. Dickman
1972	Bani S. Mahadeva
1973	Kenneth F. Allen
1974	Elizabeth K. Icks
1974	Neil A. Harriman
1974	Gloria M. Link
1974	Barbara G. Sniffen
1974	John H. Stone
1975	James C. Riddell
1975	Thomas A. Brady
1976	James J. Grunloh
1976	Arlow W. Anderson
1976	Dorlis M. Grubidge
1977	Edward B. Weisse
1977	Harold W. Thorpe
1977	Norma L. Jones
1977	Norris W. Jones
1978	Norman J. Frenzel
1978	Heather A. McPherson
1979	Paul S. Donhauser
1979	Patricia J. Koll
1979	Roy R. Knispel
1979	Keith E. Voelker
1980	Todd A. Fonstad
1980	Donald J. Martin
1981	William S. Brown
1981	Dwight M. Edmonds
1981	Earl J. Hutchinson
1982	Jean I. Caudle
1982	Sherman Randerson
1982	David J. Ward
1983	David G. Blanchard
1983	Elizabeth R. Larson
1983	Brian K. McKnight
1984	Madhu N. Mahadeva
1984	Hilbert K. Schultz
1984	Lawrence E. Estaville
1985	Edward T. Linenthal
1985	Allen R. Utke
1985	Lois M. Pence
1986	Margaret A. Coleman
1987	Stanley D. Sibley
1987	Marilyn J. Fender
1988	Barbara A. Schrimshire
1988	Carol B. Bedwell
1988	Gene L. LaBerge
1989	William J. Bollom
1989	Nancy L. Elsberry
1989	Lakshmi U. Tatikonda
1990	Wendell C. Beane
1990	Paul B. Kelter
1990	Harry Ostendorf
1990	Harry L. Wolff
1991	Michael P. Ford
1991	Mary M. Rigney
1992	Robert L. Feldman
1992	Jupian J. Leung

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1992	Norma Shanebrook
1992	Charles P. Thomas
1993	Don P. Burdick
1993	Susan H. McFadden
1993	Joan S. Timm
1993	Claire G. Meisenheimer
1994	C. Burk Tower
1994	Craig R. Fiedler
1994	Mary A. Barker
1994	Timothy F. Crimmins
1995	Simon P. Sibelman
1995	Jack E. Kile
1996	Paul J. Klemp
1996	Andrew J. O'Shaughnessy
1997	Margaret Humadi Genisio
1997	Scherie Enderlin Lampe
1997	Thomas S. Laudon
1998	Marguerite H. Helmers
1998	Dale M. Feinauer
1998	James A. Benson
1999	Michael M. Briley
1999	R. Douglas Heil
2000	Robert E. Moore
2001	Mary E. Drecktrah
2001	Fumiko Fukuta
2001	Kathleen R. Stetter
2002	Alfred T. Kisubi
2002	John J. Koker
2002	Baron Perlman
2002	Sandra K. Neuendorf
2002	Jane B. Wypiszynski
2003	Gary R. Coll
2003	Cary P. Henson
2003	Ben J. Jarman
2003	Frances H. Rauscher
2003	Teri Shors
2004	Franca Barricelli
2004	Karl Boehler
2004	Gregory Olson
2004	Jennifer Szydlik
2004	William Wacholtz
2005	Donna Altepeter
2005	Joyce Andrews
2005	Richard Kalinoski
2005	Kay Neal
2005	Barbara Rosenthal
2006	Gregory Adler
2006	Margaret Hostetler
2006	Kimberly Rivers
2006	Susana Winterfeldt
2007	Andrzej Dziedzic
2007	Roy Hoglund
2007	Walter Messner
2007	William Mode
2008	Donald Hones
2008	Stephen Kercher
2008	Thomas Rowland
2008	Todd Sandrin
2008	Ann Vogel
2009	Brant Kedrowski
2009	Barry Mulholland
2009	Mary Ellen Wurzbach
2010	Stephen Rose
2010	Robert Wise

Sniffen Faculty Governance Service Award

The Barbara G. Sniffen Faculty Governance Service Award recognizes faculty members who have exceptional University service records.

Kay Neal

Professor, Communication

In her 32 years at UW Oshkosh, Kay Neal has given unselfishly of her time in both the College of Letters and Science and to the University as a whole. Dedicated to the restructuring of the department, Neal has been the chair of the communication department since 2003, on the department executive committee for more than 15 years and a member of the curriculum revision committee since 2008. She began her career at UW Oshkosh as the director of the University's debate program for more than a decade. She also as served on numerous campus committees, including the promotion committee, tenure and renewal committee, several search and screen committees and grievance hearings, the faculty senate, the Distinguished Teaching Award committee, the Rosebush Award Selection Committee, the COLS Faculty Committee and the Academic Policies Committee. Neal serves as the faculty liaison for the Cooperative Academic Partnership Program courses taught in area high schools. She also provides service as a mentor for new tenure-track faculty and instructional academic staff members and is the departmental advisor for more than 50 assigned majors annually.

Neal earned a bachelor's degree in communication and English education from Central Michigan University and a master's degree in interpersonal communication and doctorate in organizational communication from Ohio University.

Barbara G. Sniffen Faculty Governance Service Award

2004	James Simmons
2005	Lee McCann
2006	Anthony Palmeri
2007	John Burr
2008	Katherine Roberts
2009	David Jones
2010	William Wacholtz

Outstanding Service Awards

UW Oshkosh has many nonteaching faculty and academic staff whose contributions enhance the University's overall academic environment and support our educational goals. The Outstanding Service Award recognizes excellence of service that touches each member of the University community.

Lisa Danielson

Registrar

Lisa Danielson is the ultimate advocate for students. Her 25 years in higher education, with 19 years spent at UW Oshkosh, have involved service in the Admissions, Academic Advising and, currently, Registrar's offices. She has never lost her passion for providing stellar service and original solutions tailored to each student's needs. She is an active member of the Wisconsin Association of Academic Registrars and Admissions Counselors and has been spotlighted in the national publication Successful Registrar Magazine for her work on the Graduation Project at UW Oshkosh. Danielson has played a key role in UW Oshkosh's early alert process, helping identify students in jeopardy of failing academic performance or at risk of dropping out. Suspensions and drop rates for students have subsequently decreased. Meanwhile, her work toward the development of a Student Resource Center for student military veterans and service as chair of the Veterans Support Group helped UW Oshkosh earn recognition as "Best for Vets" in Military Times EDGE magazine. The University ranks first in the state and 36th in the nation for veterans programs. Danielson's commitment to serving students on an individual basis was no more poignantly demonstrated than when, in fall 2010, she honored a dying father's wish by developing an in-home, unofficial graduation ceremony for his son, a first-generation college graduate.

Danielson earned a bachelor's degree in communication from St. Norbert College and an MBA from St. Ambrose University.

Lori Develice Collins

Assistant Director, Leadership and Community Development Department of Residence Life

From promotion of diversity and inclusive excellence to creation of residence hall sustainability and off-campus volunteerism, Lori Develice Collins has enhanced the experience of UW Oshkosh students in a multitude of ways. Since joining the Department of Residence Life in 2002, Develice Collins has helped lead a number of diversity and inclusion initiatives, including service with the Student Affairs Inclusive Excellence (IE) Committee, the LGBTQ Council and the group tasked with examining the LGBTQ Campus Climate Index. She has also worked with the University's director of sustainability to pioneer the "Eco-Representative" pilot program. This initiative involved training of and outreach with residence hall envoys able to help establish a culture of conversation in each building's community. Water and energy conservation, waste reduction and reliance on environmentally-friendly transportation were just a few of the topics the initiative promoted. All this is in addition to Develice Collins' fundamental work advising students and building a strong set of community learning outcomes, committing the University to advancing students' study and time management skills, civic engagement opportunities, personal health and well-being and multicultural awareness.

Develice Collins earned a bachelor's degree in secondary education from UW Oshkosh and a master's degree in administration in higher education from Ball State University.

Shelly Rutz

Outreach Coordinator, Clinical Social Worker, Counseling Center

Since her start at UW Oshkosh, Shelly Rutz's compassion for students' well-being has been as evident in individual counseling sessions as it has been in the broader campus community. Rutz's colleagues describe her as a "sophisticated psychotherapist" who has used her empathy and understanding of what is necessary to help students become better adjusted human beings and to also further her department. She has written two successful Substance Abuse and Mental Health Service Administration (SAMHSA) grants infusing a public health approach with hundreds of thousands of dollars to promote mental health awareness and suicide prevention efforts at UW Oshkosh. Additionally, Rutz, who has been with the University Counseling Center since 2002, has been a leader in campus diversity and gender equity initiatives as well as in training students and faculty and staff on identifying and responding to students in distress or dealing with abuse. As the advisor of Campus Awareness for Relationship Education (CARE) internship, Rutz has graduated more than 30 students who have helped spread campus awareness of interpersonal violence to decrease sexual assault and dating violence. Rutz's campus-community connections have also been invaluable to UW Oshkosh, helping to strengthen service collaborations with local support agencies and establishing the Fox Valley Take Back The Night rally and march in support of survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault.

Rutz earned a bachelor's degree in social work from Gordon College and a master's of social work from George Warren Brown School of Social Work at Washington University in St. Louis. She became a licensed Clinical Social Worker in Wisconsin in 2002.

Outstanding Service Awards

1983	Marilyn M. Potter	1995	Alfred A. Folker	2004	Liz Whalley
1984	Albert H. Ritsema	1996	Nicholas C. Dvoracek	2005	Timothy Danielson
1985	Joel C. Edson	1996	Mary L. Keefer	2006	Joseph Abhold
1985	Jean C. Nelson	1997	Barbara J. Cook	2006	Sarah Aikman
1986	Kenneth E. Cook	1997	Elizabeth R. Heuer	2006	Jacque Bollinger
1987	Edwin B. Smith	1998	Thomas J. Fojtik	2007	Ann Malain
1987	R. Thomas Snider	1999	Debra L. Vercauteren	2007	Laurie Stevens
1988	James M. Chitwood	2000	Marilyn J. Anderson	2007	John Swanson
1988	David W. Weidemann	2000	Douglas R. Freshner	2008	Richard DCamp
1989	Ronald R. Schnier	2001	Karen L. Bowen	2008	Debra Gray Patton
1989	Benjamin J. Zalas	2001	Diane C. Zanto	2009	Jenna Graff
1990	Donald A. Weber	2002	Laura J. Knaapen	2009	Marc Nylen
1991	Ted Balser	2002	Susan M. Neitzel	2009	Gregory Wypiszynski
1992	Marsha D. Rossiter	2002	Saroj A. Thekkanath	2010	Jeanette DeDiemar
1993	Jill M. Endries	2003	Joshua P. Ranger	2010	Jean Kwaterski
1993	Janet Keck	2003	Rebecca A. Spurlock	2010	Houa Xiong
1994	Vernice E. Haase	2004	Lynn Grancorbitz		

Outstanding Performance Award

The University's Outstanding Performance Award recognizes exemplary members of the classified staff whose activities, accomplishments and service are most deserving of acknowledgement.

Amanda Bain

University Services Program Associate, Center for New Learning

Amanda Bain has been a positive force not only in her day-to-day University work in the Center for New Learning but also in her efforts to rally colleagues around the institution's vision and mission. Bain has been a strong representative on many campus councils and committees, including the Classified Staff Advisory Council, on which she served as vice chair in 2009 and chair in 2010. Her leadership and guidance have given staff a strong voice and representation in the University's shared governance structure and biennial budgeting process. She has played a key role in the planning and execution of Classified Staff Development and Appreciation Day programs, a day dedicated to the professional and personal nurturing of hundreds of valued UW Oshkosh employees. Bain has also been involved in a number of campus initiatives, many of which build on the University's commitment to diversity, inclusion and leadership and some of which have bridged into the community. She is the classified staff representative on the Advisory Council for Comprehensive Academic Advising, she served on the LBGTQ Council from 2008 to 2010 and she has been involved in the ongoing Oshkosh Civility Project.

Bain earned a bachelor's degree in social work from UW Oshkosh.

Mary Hale

Administrative Telecommunications Specialist, University Telecommunications

Mary Hale is the reliable "go-to" person at UW Oshkosh when departments establish, move or troubleshoot telephones and other telecommunications technology. That puts her in charge of the billing, voice mail and daily, quality upkeep of more than 2,500 phones and the technology that enables them across the more-than 170-acre UW Oshkosh campus. During her nearly 23 years at UW Oshkosh, Hale has been just as dedicated to her fellow classified staff colleagues. She has co-chaired the Classified Staff Development and Appreciation Day's registration committee for a decade. She was a member of the Classified Staff Advisory Council from 2003 to 2008 and has served on the University's parking committee since 2002. In the community, Hale was involved with the popular Oshkosh Celebration of Lights from 2009 to 2010, another event that has benefitted from what colleagues describe as her enthusiastic, accommodating and willing attitude.

Debra Talkington

University Services Program Associate, Cooperative Academic Partnership Program (CAPP)

Her willingness to go the extra mile and her can-do attitude have made Debra Talkington a valued UW Oshkosh colleague to multiple departments within the institution. While performing her duties with the Cooperative Academic Partnership Program (CAPP), Talkington has been integral in the monthly coordination and delivery of the STAR Award presentations, which recognize exceptional performance by a member of the classified staff who has worked at least six months at UW Oshkosh. During the last several years, she has also been a member of the Classified Staff Advisory Council marketing and finance committees. Talkington has also been involved with the management of multiple initiatives' websites within the College of Education and Human Services and the College of Letters and Science, while simultaneously helping to manage the production of college strategic planning documents and marketing materials. In the Oshkosh community, she has served as a volunteer with Father Carr's Place 2B.

Outstanding Performance Award

2001	Susan M. Hildahl	2005	Jill Reichenberger	2008	Sara Stichert
2001	Linda M. Repenshek	2005	Julie Wilkinson	2008	Nancy Wright
2002	Barbara J. Nemeth	2006	Jean Bord	2009	Sabrina Johnson
2002	Roberta W. Reepsdorf	2006	Susie Gustke	2009	L. Holly Lawryk
2002	Joan C. Ratchman	2006	Karen Reiter	2009	Leanne Monroe
2003	Erin E. Czech	2007	Paulette Feld	2009	Marlene Zdanovec
2003	Red Darland	2007	Brenda Garza	2010	Ruth Eberwine
2003	Jane M. Kramer	2007	Peggy Karls	2010	Sharon Hybke
2004	Mary Bleser	2007	Shawn Kelly	2010	Brian Klinger
2004	Evelyn Meuret	2008	Debra Pulvermacher	2010	Lynn Kriha
2004	Cindy Schultz	2008	Jo Ann Rife	2010	Rick VanDrisse

Regents Teaching Excellence Award

Each year, the University of Wisconsin System Board of Regents honors two faculty members and one department from the UW System for career achievements in teaching with this $5,000 award.

Regents Teaching Excellence Awards

1995 **James Grunloh**, Economics
1998 **Kenneth J. Grieb**, International/Interdisciplinary Studies
1999 **Susan McFadden**, Psychology
2007 **John Koker**, College of Letters and Science
2009 **R. Douglas Heil**, Communication
2010 **Jennifer Szydlik**, Mathematics

Regents Teaching Excellence Awards for Academic Departments and Programs

1997 Chemistry Department
2001 English Department
2005 Biology and Microbiology Department

Regents Academic Staff Award for Excellence

Each year, the University of Wisconsin System Board of Regents honors two non-instructional academic staff members from the UW System for exceptional service to their universities with this $5,000 award.

Joseph Abhold

Director, Counseling Center

Since joining UW Oshkosh in 1999, Abhold has played a significant role in student success and retention activities, including the use of assessments to help identify high-risk students. Abhold is a licensed clinical psychologist who brings a student-centered attitude to his areas of expertise, which include substance abuse, crisis and trauma, sexual assault, suicide prevention, depression and anxiety. He is committed to understanding the developmental issues faced by college students, enhancing campus culture and student success and retention. In addition to the Counseling Center, Abhold oversees the University Employee Assistance Program, Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse program, Campus Violence Prevention and Advocacy Program and is the co-chair of the Student at Risk Response Team. Abhold also chaired the UW System-wide Mental Health Task force, which was responsible for modifying Regents' mental health policies to better meet the needs of students. Abhold also served as the interim Dean of Students from August 2010 until March 2011.

Abhold earned a bachelor's degree in psychology from UW Oshkosh and a master's degree and a doctorate in clinical psychology from the University of Arkansas.

Regents Academic Staff Award for Excellence

2005 **Elizabeth Heuer**, Human Resources
2010 **Lynn Freeman**, Director, Academic Advising

Regents Diversity Team Award

Each year, the University of Wisconsin System Board of Regents honors individuals and programs from the UW System that foster access and success in university life for historically underrepresented populations.

Community Liaison Counselors, Admissions

This team of four full-time and one part-time staff members specifically targets the recruitment and enrollment of students from the African-American, Hispanic and Latino, Hmong/Asian and Native American populations. The role of the community liaison officers is to not only serve as the initial contact on campus, but to also bridge the transition of the student to other support services and activities while partnering with government agencies, other colleges and student organizations. Since the team's founding 10 years ago, the number of applications received from students of color at UW Oshkosh has tripled and the number of students of color enrolled at the University has doubled. In 2010, more than 11 percent of first-year students at UW Oshkosh identified themselves as students of color.

The team members include: Beverly Benston, admissions counselor/Milwaukee outreach; Brian Jackson, admissions counselor/student recruitment specialist; Quincy La Grant, admissions counselor; Marie Flora Valtierra-Stapel, admissions counselor/Hispanic community liaison; and Thomas Xiong, admissions counselor. Jill Endries, director of admissions, oversees this dedicated team.

Edward M. Penson Faculty Awards

The Edward M. Penson Faculty Award recognizes faculty members who have made significant contributions to their colleges and the University.

Lori Carrell, College of Letters and Science
Carl Chapman, College of Letters and Science
Michael Ford, College of Education and Human Services
Bryan Lilly, College of Business
Kimberly Udlis, College of Nursing

Promotions 2011–2012

Faculty Promotions

Associate Professor to Professor

Isabel Alvarez, Foreign Language and Literatures
Stephen Bentivenga, Biology and Microbiology
Catherine Bryan, Foreign Language and Literatures
Laurence Carlin, Philosophy
Sharon Chappy, College of Nursing
Penny Garcia, Human Services and Educational Leadership
Pamela Gemin, English
Daniel Gier, Foreign Language and Literatures
Timothy Gleason, Journalism
David Gomez-Torres, Foreign Language and Literatures
Birgit Leisen Pollack, Marketing
Miles Maguire, Journalism
Roberta Maguire, English
Perry Rettig, Human Services and Educational Leadership
Thomas Scofield, Professional Counseling
Michael Tippins, Marketing

Assistant Professor to Associate Professor

Chad Cotti, Economics
Donald Faggiani, Public Affairs
Vincent Filak, Journalism
David Penniston, Mathematics
Marsha Rossiter, Human Services and Educational Leadership
Alison Shaw, Music

Tenure

Faculty Promotions to Associate Professor and Tenure

Norlisha Crawford, English
David Furcy, Computer Science
Michelle Kuhl, History
David Lishner, Psychology
Charles Lindsey, Professional Counseling
Colin Long, Geography
Leigh Ann Mrotek Gorzek, Kinesiology
Druscilla Scribner, Political Science
Stacey Skoning, Special Education

Faculty Promotions Tenure (only)

Jeri-Mae Astolfi, Music
Victoria Beck, Public Administration
Kevin Crawford, Chemistry
Karina Cutler-Lake, Art
Eric Kuennen, Mathematics
Barbara Susan Maxwell, Art
Christopher Rose, Public Administration

Academic Staff Promotions

Nicole Bell-Corelli, Residence Life
Steve Brown, Student Recreation
Natalie Johnson, Integrated Marketing and Communications
Andrew J. Miller, College of Business
Wendy Potratz, College of Business
Guadalupe M. Salinas, Center for Academic Support and Diversity

Classified Staff Promotions

Parvez Adil, Administrative Computing
Michael Fatla, Administrative Computing
Rob Gordon, Facilities Management
Jane Kramer, Registrar's Office
Traci Luft, Information Technology
Tera Malinksi, Administrative Computing
Michael Morrissey, Central Stores
Elizabeth Mueller, Registrar's Office/ Veteran's Affairs
Jeanne Pobanz, Testing Services
Susan Poff, Administrative Services
Debra Pulvermacher, Integrated Marketing and Communications
Susan Robl, College of Nursing
Erika Ruedinger, EXCEL Center
Vicki Stadler, Facilities Management
Laura Zirbel, Polk Library

STAR Award Recipients

September 2010	**Claire Armstrong**
October 2010	**Robert Gordon**
November 2010	**Jennifer Nason**
December 2010	**Ricky Johnson**
January 2011	**Sue Polzin**
February 2011	**Marlene Flack**
March 2011	**Nicole Zedler**
April 2011	**Tera Malinski**
May 2011	**Beverly Flanagan**
July 2011	**Amy Ready**
August 2011	**Debra Weiske**

Professional Productivity Award Recipients

Lori Carrell
Susan Cramer
John Cross
Dale Feinauer
Michael Ford
Alfred Kisubi
Paul Klemp
Jeff Lipschutz
Christine Tipps

New Faculty, Academic Staff and Classified Staff

Timothy Anderson, M.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Biology, Laboratory Manager

Eric Barnum, M.M., Minnesota State University, Music, Lecturer

Michael Beitz, M.F.A., University of Buffalo, Art, Assistant Professor

Ellen Beltz, M.S., University of Portland, College of Nursing, Lecturer

Martha Bergren, D.S.N, University at Buffalo, State University of New York, College of Nursing, Lecturer

Mark Bowen, Ph.D., University of Kansas, Geography, Assistant Professor

Thomas F. Breunig, M.S., University of Wisconsin–Madison, Admissions Office, Admissions Counselor

Laura Briskie, B.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Polk Library, Library Services Assistant

Justin Brown, M.S.E, University of Kansas, Financial Aid, Student Services Coordinator

Paul Brown, M.S., University of Wisconsin–La Crosse, College of Education and Human Services, Lecturer; Intercollegiate Athletics, Coach

Rosemary Brumbelow, M.M., University of Wisconsin–Madison, Music, Lecturer

Jeffery Brunner, M.S., University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee, Polk Library, Associate Academic Librarian

Paula Brusky, Ph.D., The University of Sydney, Music, Lecturer

Robert Burg, Ph.D., Purdue University, History, Lecturer

Kimberly Busse, B.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Biology, Research Specialist

Silvia Campazzo, M.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Foreign Language, Lecturer

Hillary Carl, B.S., University of Wisconsin–River Falls, UW Oshkosh Foundation, Associate Development Specialist

Marjorie Carlson, Center For New Learning, University Services Associate

Jennifer Childress, M.A., Capella University, Mathematics, Associate Lecturer

Chong Chow, M.S., University of Texas at Dallas, Psychology, Instructor

Christine M. Christensen, M.A., Lakeland College, Counseling Center, AODA Coordinator

Kelsey Churchill, B.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Children's Learning and Care Center, Student Services Specialist

Chad Deering, Ph.D., University of Canterbury, Geology, Assistant Professor

Esmeralda Delgado, Office of Equity and Affirmative Action, Equal Opportunity Specialist

Roberta B. Dobrzanski, M.S.N., University of Wisconsin–Madison, College of Nursing, Lecturer

Dejan Dukic, B.S.N, University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, College of Nursing, Lecturer

Jon Feyen, B.A., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Intercollegiate Athletics, Assistant Sports Information Director

Daniel Fiser, M.Des., University of Cincinnati, Art, Lecturer

Sara Frees, B.Ed., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Head Start, Head Start Program Participant

Heidi Frey, College of Education and Human Services, Academic Department Associate

Kathryn Griffiths, M.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Biology, Associate Research Specialist

Kathleen Hagens, M.B.A., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, College of Business, Administrative Program Specialist

Linda Hammer, M.B.A., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Center for New Learning, Associate Advisor

Paula Hella, B.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Center for Career Development and Employability Training, Outreach Specialist

Anne Herlache, M.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Vice Chancellor's office, Instructional Program Manager

Tracy Herrewig, M.S., University of Wisconsin–La Crosse, Kinesiolgy, Associate Lecturer

David Hietpas, B.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Information Technology, Information Systems Development Services Professional

John Hobbins, M.A., University of Wisconsin–Madison, Religious Studies, Lecturer

John Hren, B.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Information Technology, Information Systems Development Services Professional

Melissa Jean Huckabee, B.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Facilities Management, University Services Associate

Alexander Hummel, B.S., University of Wisconsin–Platteville, Integrated Marketing and Communications, Associate Director, News and Public Information

Mallory Janquart, B.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Medical Technology, Administrative Program Specialist

Sally Kaiser, M.S., University of Wisconsin–Stout, Center for Career Development and Employability Training, Outreach Specialist

Dattaraj Kamalapukar, Ph.D., Western Michigan University, College of Business, Assistant Professor

Sara Kind, M.M., Youngstown State University, Music, Lecturer

Sharon Kipetz, Ed.M./Ed.D., University of Massachusetts Amherst, Dean of Students office, Assistant Vice Chancellor

Nathan Krueger, M.M., University of New Mexico, Music, Lecturer

Elizabeth Kujawa, B.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Intercollegiate Athletics, Coach

Samantha Looker, Ph.D., University of Illinois at Urbana–Champaign, English, Instructor

Christine Luke, B.A., Ripon College, Campus Center for Equity and Diversity, Associate Administrative Specialist

Crystal Marschall, B.A., Alverno College, UARC, Academic Advisor

Theresa E. Martin, D.M.A., University of Michigan, Music, Lecturer

Trent Martin, University Police, Police Officer

Maureen Mascha, Ph.D., University of Kentucky, College of Business, Assistant Professor

Eric Matson, Ph.D., Iowa State University of Science and Technology, Biology, Assistant Professor

Kate McQuillan, M.P.A., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Vice Chancellor's office, Program Assistant

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New Faculty, Academic Staff and Classified Staff *continued from page 17*

Alejandro Mendoza, M.S.E., Loyola University of Chicago, UARC, Academic Advisor

Kathleen Mengel Flesch, M.B.A., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Business Success Center, Outreach Specialist

Rhonda Mesko, B.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Biology, Research Specialist

Laine Mikkelson, College of Business, Dean's Assistant

Edward Miller, Ph.D., University of Illinois at Chicago, Geography, Assistant Professor

Shari Mitchell, Student Accounts, Financial Specialist

Laurie Mollenhauer, D.P.T., Creighton University, Kinesiolgy, Lecturer

Elizabeth Mordan, College of Nursing, Dean's Assistant

John Muraski, M.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, College of Business, Lecturer

Peggy Murphy, B.S., Marquette University, College of Nursing, Lecturer

Florence Chuzu Muwana, M.S., Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, Special Education, Instructor

Marvin Noltze, M.P.A., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Office of Institutional Research, Information Manager

Michell Pascarella, M.S.N, University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee, Living Healthy Community Clinic, Senior Clinical Nurse Specialist

Sara Pritzl, M.B.A., Davenport University–Lansing, Michigan, Administrative Services, Financial Specialist

Joseph Radke, Ph.D., University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee, English, Lecturer

Shelly Rankl, M.S., Missouri State University, Residence Life, Residence Hall Director

Ashley Reifschneider, Assoc., Mid–State Technical College–Wisconsin Rapids, University Police, Police Officer

Allison Reineck, B.A., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Integrated Marketing and Communications, Web Content and New Media Specialist

Therese Rudolph, Assoc., LaSalle Extension University–Chicago, Purchasing office, Purchasing Associate

Laura Sandberg, M.S.W., University of Wisconsin–Madison, Counseling Center, Counseling Development Specialist

Nikki Schettle, B.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, University Police, Police Communications Operator

Michele Schlinsog, M.A., Eastern Michigan University, Academic Advisement, Advisor

Diane Schroeder, A.S., National College of Business–Rapids City, SD, Residence Life, University Services Associate

Margaret Schuelke, B.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Chemistry, Research Specialist

Tara Schuessler, M.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Reading Study Center, Lecturer

Sara Seidling, B.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Science Outeach, Instructional Specialist

Kevin Shumann, B.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Facilities Management, Facility Design Journeyman

Terrence A. Smith, B.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Admissions Office, Admissions Counselor

Andrew Smock, M.L.S., Eastern Michigan University, Communication, Instructor

Sandhya Sridhar, Ph.D., Ohio State University, College of Business, Lecturer

Tracey Starck, M.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Reading Study Center, Lecturer

Justin Stigler, B.S., Carroll University, Admissions, Associate Administrative Specialist

Victoria Stimac, B.A., Cardinal Stritch University, Intercollegiate Athletics, Assistant Director

Susan Stites, M.A., Northwestern University, Center for Career Development and Employability Training, Senior Outreach Specialist

Douglas Sundin, B.A., Winona State University, Integrated Marketing and Communications, Photographer

Jerry Thomas, Ph.D., University of Kentucky, Political Science, Assistant Professor

Joseph Troskoski, M.S.E, University of Arkansas, Center for New Learning, Student Services Program Manager

Chih Tsai, Ph.D., Montana State University, Chemistry, Research Associate

Lynne Verbruggen, Facilities Management, Facility Design Journeyman

Diane Vollstedt, Integrated Marketing and Communications, Office Operations Associate

Shawna Vreeke, B.A., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Human Resources, Human Resources Assistant

Robert Wagoner, M.A., University of Kentucky, Philosophy, Instructor

Maggie Waid, B.A., Western Kentucky University, Communication, Lecturer

Roger Wescott, B.S., University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, Admissions, Associate Student Services Coordinator

Rae Ann Wetzel, Reeve Union, University Services Associate

Jessica Wilcox, B.S.E, Northern Illinois University, Intercollegiate Athletics, Assistant Coach

Bradford Wiley, M.S.E, University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, International Education, Associate Advisor

Amanda Wimmer, B.A., University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee, Integrated Marketing and Communications, Editor/Writer

Jenny Wraalstad, Cashier's office, Financial Specialist

Jeffery Wurm, Facilities Management, Facility Design Journeyman

Nicole R. Zedler, B.A., University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee, Admissions Office Admissions Counselor

Laura Zirbel, Polk Library, Library Services Assistant

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UW Oshkosh Points of Pride

At the University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, faculty, staff and students come together to form a distinctive institution that prides itself on engaging people and ideas for common good. The following Points of Pride are just a sample of the many achievements that set us apart:

- UW Oshkosh has had the most successful Model United Nations Program in the world, receiving 26 Outstanding Delegation awards at international competitions.
- The College of Nursing passing rate for the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX) for undergraduate students continues to be the highest in Wisconsin.
- The *Advance-Titan* has won the top national award for student newspapers five times.
- More than 200 UW Oshkosh graduates have gone on to receive the Herb Kohl Teacher Fellowship of the Year award for excellence and innovation in teaching.
- Senior business majors at UW Oshkosh taking the Educational Testing Services business knowledge assessment test ranked in the top 5 percent nationwide, while MBA graduates ranked in the top 5 percent nationally on the MBA students' assessment exam.
- College of Letters and Science graduates are coveted by the best graduate programs in the nation.
- UW Oshkosh students who took the CPA exam placed the University in the top 10 percent of schools nationally.
- UW Oshkosh has won 43 national championships, including 27 NCAA Division III and three NCAA Division II competitions.
- Six individual faculty members and three departments have received the Regents Teaching Excellence Awards.
- College of Letters and Science faculty, staff and students serve as a cultural anchor to the region by contributing to the quality of life through theater productions, musical performances and art exhibits.
- UW Oshkosh is recognized as a national model for developing and highlighting exemplary campus-wide liberal education programs.
- More than 80,000 graduates from all four UW Oshkosh colleges make an impact daily across the globe through their exemplary professional and community service.
- UW Oshkosh ranked 35th nationally on the Sierra Club's Cool Schools list for its sustainable practices.
- The total UW Oshkosh economic contribution to the state is more than $500 million. The campus is responsible for directly and indirectly creating more than 9,000 jobs, generating more than $37.5 million in tax revenue and giving more than $4 million in time and money to local charities.
- The University's graduate school boasts 12,000 alumni and remains one of the largest graduate schools of the comprehensive universities in the UW System.
- The UW Oshkosh Foundation has partnered with the University to build the first dry fermentation anaerobic biodigester plant in the Americas, serving as a model community program for food and yard waste and assist UW Oshkosh in meeting the Governor's off-the-grid energy goal for campus.

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UW Oshkosh is committed to recruiting, supporting and fostering a diverse community of outstanding faculty, staff and students, and is an AA/EEO employer.