Sibley School of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering
Department Staffing Information

Faculty Administrative Assistants

Assist with travel arrangements, travel reimbursements, purchases & payments, visits by research collaborators, room reservations, course copying, appointments and scheduling, seminars, co-coverage during absences

* Staff → faculty assignments are listed at the end of this document

Patti Wojcik, 440 Upson Hall, pmw27, 5-6981
Craig Ryan, 236 Thurston 5-5062 & 540 Upson Hall 5-3244, cdr58
Judy Thoroughman, 322A Upson Hall, jmt14, 5-0990 (also M.Eng. Assistant Director)
Laura Black, 340 Rhodes, lab49, 5-0992 – also Communications Specialist

Administration

Director & School Support
Colleen McClenahan, Director of Administration, 100 Rhodes Hall, mm40, 5-5949
Oversight of staff, facilities, budget, finance, IT, and academic programs

Ginny McAuley, Executive Assistant to Director, 102 Upson Hall,
McAuley@cornell.edu, 5-3623. Administrative assistant to Director and Director of Administration in daily school business, oversight and facilitation of promotion cases, searches, and department and faculty activities and reports.

Accounting

Pre-Award, i.e. Proposals
RASC@cornell.edu - Research Admin. Service Center, Carpenter Hall
One-stop shopping for all proposals, nda’s, budget, on-line submission via OSP, and current & pending records. Always check with the RASC when considering any and all proposals for resources - $$ or equipment. MAE contact: Tammy Wildenstein, tlw62@cornell.edu, 5-4252.

Accounting, active research grants (post-award)
Monitor active research accounts, and sub-accounts, review commitments & expenditures w. faculty, prepare projections, review invoices and receivables.

Leon Stoll, 188 Rhodes Hall, leon.stoll@cornell.edu, 5-7352 Andarawis-Puri, Barthelmie, Burns, Caughey, Collins, Diaz-Artiles, Erickson, Fisher, George, Hernandez (Judy), Hoffman, Hui, Kirby, Leibovich, Lipson, Mukheree, Peck, Phoenix,
Psiaki, Rand, Resler, Ruina, Sachse, Savransky, Selva, Singh, van der Meulen (Judy), Wang, Warhaft, Zhang

Laurie Patten, ljh3, 184 Rhodes Hall, 5-9411, Avedisian, Bewley, Bhaskaran, Campbell, Dawson, Desjardins, Ferrari, Kress-Gazit, Louge, MacMartin, Miller, Pepiot, Pope, Shepherd, Silberstein, Williamson, Zehnder

Carol Moss, cem58, 186 Rhodes Hall, 5-0996, cem58. Department account monitoring, undergraduate research and projects accounts; Telephone coordinator.

Academic Programs

* Undergraduate: All business concerning student records, curriculum, courses, classroom, grades, & ABET

Nanette Peterson, 106A Rhodes Hall, np18, 5-3573. Undergraduate office coordinator. Provide Associate Director and Registrar with course scheduling, courses of study. Review & guide students on curriculum & degree fulfillment requirements. Provide admin. support to Undergraduate Program Committee

Emily Ivory, 106 Rhodes Hall, 5-1805, eft24. Undergraduate office assistant coordinator. Oversight & assistance with team purchasing, travel, and other administrative requirements. Assist u.g. coordinator with courses of study. ABET organization for faculty committee.

* Ph.D. Program,

Marcia Sawyer, 343 Upson Hall, mjs14, 5-5250, Degree & non-degree Ph.D. students, program requirements & procedures, liaison with University Graduate School, schedule Q, A, and B exams, Fellowships and TA support. Assist Associate Director with admissions & recruitment process, organize annual grad weekend visit.

* M.Eng. Program,

Judy Thoroughman, 322A Upson Hall, jmt14, 5-0990. Program requirements, project solicitations and coordination with faculty. Assist M.Eng. Director Matt Ulinski with all aspects of the M.Eng. program.

Facilities & IT Services – College of Engineering Service Groups

https://help.coecis.cornell.edu/index.php?

Matt Steel, Facilities coordinator. Repairs, maintenance, keys, locks, moves, and renovation coordination. Contact via maefacilities@cornell.edu, or 229-4115 (182 Rhodes Hall)

Computing help: itcoecis-help@cornell.edu, or 306 Upson if no email access.

Advisement on hardware, software, licensing, printers, networks and virus, worm & malware info and protection.
Instructional Program Staff

Rajesh Bhaskaran, 419 Upson Hall, rb88, Director of the John Swanson Computing in the Curriculum Program. Coordinate software used by and in various MAE courses. Training & workshops. Maintain the Swanson computing laboratory, 163 Rhodes Hall.

Matt Ulinski, 443 Upson Hall, mu25, M.Eng. Program Director, Hansen Director of Instructional Laboratories. Coordinate Experiential Learning Lab, Upson Hall basement, and project teams.

Rebecca Mac Donald, Sr. Lecturer, Project Team Director, 196 Rhodes Hall, rm797, 5-1380. Coordinate and manage project teams for College of Engineering.

Rick Schmidt, 187A Rhodes hall, rrs4, 5-0998, Teaching Support Specialist

Joe Sullivan, 116 Rhodes Hall, mjs644, 5-9108, Emerson Machine Shop Manager

David Hartino, 111 Thurston Hall, dah322, 5-5136, Teaching Support Specialist

Liran Gazit, 112 Thurston Hall, Liran.Gazit@cornell.edu, 5-5920, Teaching Support Specialist.

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Laura Black: Barthelme, Bewley, Desjardins, Fisher, MacMartin, Pepiot, Pope, Warhaft, Zhang

Craig Ryan: Avedisian, Hoffman, Hui, Ruina, Shepherd, Silberstein, Singh

Judy Thoroughman: Andarawis-Puri, (Bonassar), Hernandez, Ulinski, van der Meulen

Patti Wojcik: Bhaskaran, Burns, Callister, Dawson, Erickson, Ferrari, Kress-Gazit, Miller, Peck, Savransky, Selva