
St. Norbert College

Directory of New Faculty Orientation Program Invitees

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Dr. Lucy A. Arendt, Professor of Business Administration-Management, graduated Summa Cum Laude with a B.S. in Business Administration and Spanish from the University of Wisconsin-Green Bay. Lucy earned her M.S. in Administrative Science from the University of Wisconsin-Green Bay and her Ph.D. in Management Science (Organizations and Strategic Management) from the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. Lucy's scholarship focuses on individual, organizational, and community decision-making relative to natural hazards and resilience.

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Dr. Sharon Bohjanen, Assistant Professor of Teacher Education, graduated with a B.S. from Northern Michigan University. Sharon earned her M.S. in Experimental Psychology (with an emphasis on child development) from Northern Michigan University, her M.Ed. (Early Childhood Special Education) from the University of Alaska Anchorage and her Ph.D. in Special Education from the University of Arizona. Sharon's research focuses on equitable access to high quality early intervention for children aged 0-5 in the U.S.

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Dr. Adam Brandt, Assistant Professor of Biology, graduated with a B.S. and M.S. from Frostburg State University, in Applied Ecology and Conservation Biology. He earned his Ph.D. in Animal Science from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. Adam's research focus is molecular ecology, using genetics as a tool to assist local and international wildlife agencies in making sound conservation and management decisions.

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Dr. Harry Brod, Visiting Distinguished Scholar of Masculinity Studies. Harry Brod is a child of Holocaust survivors and a child of the 60's. Both heritages shape his commitments to justice, expressed in decades of teaching, writing, and activism in the academic study of masculinities (where he is recognized as one of the founding figures of the field) and the profeminist men's movement (for which he has been a leading spokesperson). He holds a Ph.D. in Philosophy and is currently Professor of Sociology and Humanities at the University of Northern Iowa.

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Kendra Bulgrin, Adjunct Assistant Professor of Art

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Dr. Daniel Collette, Visiting Assistant Professor of Philosophy, earned his Ph.D. in Philosophy from the University of South Florida. Daniel's areas of specialty are early modern philosophy and practical philosophy. His research focuses on the work of Descartes, Hobbes, Pascal, and Spinoza as well as the Stoic influence on early modernity.

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Rev. Matthew M. Dougherty, O.Praem., Adjunct Instructor of Theology and Religious Studies, is a Norbertine priest from St. Norbert Abbey in De Pere, Wisconsin. After graduating with a B.S. in Organismal Biology from St. Norbert College in 2009, Fr. Matthew earned his M.Div. in Theology in 2015 and his M.A. in Systematic Theology in 2016 from Catholic Theological Union, Chicago. When he is not in the classroom, Fr. Matthew serves as St. Norbert Abbey's director of vocation at St. Norbert College and regularly celebrates Masses at St. Norbert College parish at Old St. Joseph Church. Fr. Matthew plans to pursue further studies in the biological sciences in the near future.

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Dr. Andrew Duncan, Visiting Assistant Professor of Sociology, earned his M.A. in Demography and Ph.D. in Sociology from the University of California at Irvine. His research is on the evolution of state and market interaction and its implications for industrial development, labor, and the environment, with a special focus on the Chinese economy since 1980.

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Brooke Gustafson, Learning Specialist

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Dr. John Hennecken, Visiting Assistant Professor of Music, graduated Summa Cum Laude with a B.A. from Georgia College and State University, and earned his D.M.A. in Music Composition from the University of Georgia. An active composer, his music has been performed in the United States, France, Italy, Belgium, Poland, and Japan, recorded under the EMPiRES label, broadcasted on Georgia Public Radio, and published by Potenza Music. He has won honors from the International Tuba-Euphonium Association, Virginia Center for the Creative Arts, and Southeastern Composers League, among others.

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Dr. Travis Hurst, Visiting Assistant Professor of Physics & Astronomy, graduated with a B.S. in Physics from the University of Texas at Dallas. Travis received both his M.S. and Ph.D. in Physics from the University of Pittsburgh. Travis's scholarship is focused on the astrophysical effects of Dark Matter and their implications for stellar systems, such as Globular Clusters.

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Dr. Elena A Khapalova, Assistant Professor of Business Administration-Supply Chain Management, graduated with a B.A. from Mount Holyoke College, South Hadley, Massachusetts. Elena earned her M.B.A. (MIS concentration) and her Ph.D. in Business Administration (Operations Management concentration) from Washington State University. Elena's research interests include time series analysis with a focus on change-point analysis and simulation.

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Young-Im Lee, Visiting Assistant Professor of Political Science, graduated Magna Cum Laude with a B.A. in American Studies and Political Science from Sogang University, Seoul, South Korea. She is a Ph.D. candidate in Political Science at the University of Missouri-St. Louis, where she earned her M.A. in Political Science. Young-Im's scholarship focuses on gender quotas in legislative elections and women's paths to presidency around the world.

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Cristina Ortiz, Assistant Professor of Sociology, graduated from U.C. Berkeley with a B.A. in Sociology. Cristina earned an M.A. in Social Sciences and an M.A. in Social Work from the University of Chicago. She will be earning her Ph.D. in Social Work from the School of Social Service Administration at the University of Chicago. Cristina's scholarship focuses on racial socialization and the strategies that parents in multiracial families use to teach their children about race and ethnicity.

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Dr. Simon Pfeil, Assistant Professor of Mathematics, graduated with a B.S. in Mathematics from Southeastern Louisiana University. He earned his M.S. and Ph.D. in Mathematics from Louisiana State University. Simon's research focuses on properties of connectivity in graphs and matroids.

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Dr. Grant Rozeboom, Assistant Professor of Business Administration-Business Ethics, graduated Summa Cum Laude with a B.A. in Philosophy from the University of Northern Iowa and received his Ph.D. in Philosophy from Stanford University. Prior to arriving at SNC, he taught courses in ethics and philosophy at the University of San Francisco and Stanford University. His research focuses on how the idea of respect for persons is borne out in important social practices, and his current work involves both historical thinkers (such as Kant and Rousseau) and contemporary issues in public policy and business ethics.

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Todd Sarnstrom II is a Visiting Instructor of Economics for the 2016–2017 academic year. Todd grew up in Western Wisconsin and earned his B.S. in Economics from the University of Wisconsin, River Falls. He went on to earn his M.A. from Western Michigan University in 2015, and will be receiving his Ph.D. in Applied Economics from Western Michigan University in 2016. Todd's current research focuses on determinants of foreign direct investment. He is especially interested in how financial constraints met by firms, such as collateral availability, affect their investment decision.

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Dr. AnaMaria Seglie is a Visiting Assistant Professor in English. After graduating Summa Cum Laude with a B.A. in English and history from Creighton University, she went on to earn her M.A. and Ph.D. at Rice University in Houston, TX. AnaMaria's research focuses on the religious implications of U.S. geopolitics in nineteenth-century U.S. literature. She also enjoys teaching courses in early American literature and transnational studies as well as genre, gender, and race studies.

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Dr. Kim Smith, Assistant Professor of Communication and Media Studies, earned her B.A., M.A., and Ph. D. in Organizational Communication from the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. Kim's scholarship focuses on alternative work arrangements and boundary management in contemporary organizational settings. In addition to organizational communication, Kim's pedagogical interests include groups and teams, research methods, and persuasion.

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Jonathan Solarte Espinosa joins the St. Norbert College community as a Visiting Instructor in French and Spanish. He earned his B.A. in French literature with a minor in Translation and Intercultural Communication from Princeton University and his M.A. in Romance Languages and Literatures at Harvard University. He will be completing his doctoral dissertation while at St. Norbert College, which focuses on the historical and present-day cultural representations of the Haitian-Dominican border.

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Ms. Chrystal Woller, Sr. Director of Health and Wellness, began employment with St. Norbert College in August 2016. Ms. Woller has a Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing from the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh and has completed 16 credits of a Master in Public Health with Des Moines Health Sciences University, Iowa. Chrystal comes to St. Norbert College with sixteen years of governmental public health experience. Most recently, she served as the Health Director/Officer with the City of De Pere Health Department.

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