

Student Affairs Update Sept. 1, 2016

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Division Units:

Admissions

Dean of Students

Academic Success Center
Greek Affairs
Hixson Opportunity Awards
Judicial Affairs
Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual
and Transgender Student Services
Margaret Sloss Women's Center
Multicultural Student Affairs
National Student Exchange
Parents' Association
Recreation Services
Student Assistance and Outreach
Student Disability Resources
Student Legal Services
Vocational Rehabilitation
Writing and Media Center

Department of Residence

Educational Talent Search

Financial Aid

International Students & Scholars

ISU Dining

Learning Communities

Memorial Union & Student Activities

Registrar

Research and Assessment

Student Health & Wellness

Student Support Services

Thielen Student Health Center

Student Counseling Service

Upward Bound

Division Priorities

- Student Success
- Diversity and Inclusion
- Staff Well-being
- Health/Wellness/Safety
- Space/Facilities
- Enrollment Management

Cabinet Reorganization

Improved responsiveness and efficiency is the intent behind a new leadership structure in the student affairs division. The new structure features two associate vice presidents and two assistant vice presidents who, with the senior vice president for student affairs, make up a five-member leadership team. One of the four positions is new; the others involve promotion, consolidation of duties, or both. It replaces a two-person format: the senior VP and one associate VP. The leadership function of the student affairs cabinet remains unchanged. *(Additional information available from the Aug. 11, 2016 edition of Inside Iowa State)*

New Programs

Student Affairs Development

A development officer dedicated to the student affairs division has been hired through the Foundation. Elizabeth (Liz) McAllister started in this position on Aug. 8.

Research and Assessment

Matthew Pistilli has been named director of assessment and research. He started this position on Aug. 9. He will be charged with leading division-wide design, evaluation and implementation of assessment and research projects for student affairs programs and services.

Student Health and Wellness

Mark Rowe-Barth has been named director of student wellness. He started this position on Aug. 15. As director of student wellness, Rowe-Barth will oversee the development of a Campus-Wide Wellness Program (CWWP). ISU Student Wellness strives to partner with a number of ISU departments and students by providing services and resources that empower a balance between *mind, body and spirit* to enhance student success, learning, engagement and overall well-being.

Staff Wellness Initiatives

Live Healthy Iowa Step Challenge

Student Affairs has encouraged staff to participate in the Step Challenge that starts on Sept. 12. The SVPSA office has covered registration for 25 teams (187 participants).