



UTULSA IS EXPANDING ITS DISTINGUISHED FACULTY.

FALL 2023 NEW FACULTY

The University of Tulsa Kendall College of Arts and Sciences



Mary Anne Andrei

Presidential Professor of Media Studies
Ph.D. | University of Minnesota
Scholarship | Multimedia storytelling with a focus on the environment, food, and the American West



Christopher Frey

E.B. McFarlin Chair in Philosophy
Ph.D. | University of Pittsburgh
Scholarship | Ancient Greek philosophy, metaphysics, and philosophy of mind



Natasha Lueras

J.P. Walker Visiting Assistant Professor in U.S. History
Ph.D. | Indiana University
Scholarship | American history, race, gender, popular culture, comedy studies, and the history of country music



Alican Çamcı

J. Donald Feagin Assistant Professor of Music and Film Studies
Ph.D. | University of Chicago
Scholarship | Experimental, electronic and algorithmic music, creative coding, improvisation, genre studies, and field recording



Ted Genoways

Presidential Professor of Media Studies
Ph.D. | University of Iowa
Scholarship | Magazine journalism, 19th- and 20th-century American print culture, and American poetry



Stuti Thapa Magar

Assistant Professor of Psychology
Ph.D. | Purdue University
Scholarship | Well-being, emotion, text mining, big data, social media research, cross-cultural research, and psychometrics



Thomas Conner

Visiting Assistant Professor of Media Studies
Ph.D. | University of California, San Diego
Scholarship | Holograms, augmented reality, hauntology, media history, and pop culture



Tammara Gnaedig

Applied Instructor of Spanish
M.A. | Universidad de Salamanca
Scholarship | Spanish language and Hispanic cultures



Jason Rafferty

Applied Assistant Professor of Art
M.F.A. | University of Georgia
Scholarship | Contemporary painting, drawing and 2D design, narrative and identity in studio art, and art and sustainability



Jennifer Croft

Presidential Professor of English and Creative Writing
Ph.D. | Northwestern University
Scholarship | Literary translation, world literature, prose poetry, digital media, Poland and Central Europe, Argentina and Latin America, and the U.S.



Lauren Holt

Applied Assistant Professor of Psychology
Ph.D. | The University of Tulsa
Scholarship | Community-based programs, injury prevention, early intervention, children, and families



David Rettinger

Applied Professor of Psychology
Ph.D. | University of Colorado
Scholarship | Academic integrity, teaching and learning, and ethical judgments



Boris Dralyuk

Presidential Professor of English and Creative Writing
Ph.D. | University of California, Los Angeles
Scholarship | Poetry, translation, and criticism



Wanling Huang

Assistant Professor of Economics
Ph.D. | Concordia University
Scholarship | Applied macroeconomics, applied econometrics, financial economics, and international economics



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Assistant Professor of Psychology
Ph.D. | Purdue University
Scholarship | Clinical psychology, transdiagnostic dimensional psychopathology, personality disorder, measurement invariance, and differential item functioning



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Applied Associate Professor of Philosophy
Ph.D. | Princeton University
Scholarship | Ancient, modern, and American political thought, questions of democracy, democratic individualism, Enlightenment thought and its critics, the role of universities in American democratic life, and politics and literature



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Applied Assistant Professor of Film Studies
Ph.D. | Indiana University
Scholarship | Feminist media studies, race, gender, sexuality and media, film studies, and documentary



Corey Taylor II

Music Industry Professional in Residence
B.S.B.A. | The University of Tulsa
Scholarship | Music and entertainment industry and music venue operations



Lesley Eason

Visiting Assistant Professor of Anthropology
M.A. | University of Arkansas
Scholarship | Human and non-human primate phylogenetics, comparative morphology, evolvability, functional anatomy, and biomechanics



Juseob Lee

Assistant Professor of Psychology
Ph.D. | University of Central Florida
Scholarship | Occupational stress, recovery from work, technology adoption, and recruitment



M. Wright

Associate Professor of Art
M.F.A. | School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Scholarship | Visual communication design, typography, independent publishing, activist art and design, and feminist and queer histories



Xinying Edens

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Ph.D. | Harbin (China) Institute of Technology
Scholarship | Chinese language and literature, translation and interpretation, Asian folk dances, and stage performing



Russel Lemmons

Lubell Visiting Research Scholar in Judaic Studies
Ph.D. | Miami University
Scholarship | Modern Germany, antisemitism, the Holocaust, and modern Judaism



Jason Yang

Assistant Professor of Digital Art
B.F.A. | Oklahoma State University
Scholarship | Motion and graphic design, animation, branding, illustration, product photography, and toy design