

# COS Dean's Staff Organizational Chart

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## Stephanie Santorico

Dean, College of Sciences

oversees academic programs and ensures curriculum quality and relevance; manages faculty employment, development, and evaluation to maintain educational standards

**Nicolas Large**

Associate Dean for Graduate Studies  
develop and implement strategies to enhance graduate programs

**Hector Aguilar**

Associate Dean for Undergraduate Studies  
support student success through advising, student services, and co-curricular programming

**Chris Gamblin**

Associate Dean for Faculty Success  
support faculty recruitment, mentoring, professional development, evaluation, and success initiatives

**Elizabeth Sooby**

Associate Dean for Research  
develop and implement strategies to enhance research initiative and provide research support

**Leslie Neely**

Assistant Dean for Transdisciplinary Research Development  
assist with transdisciplinary research development for College of Sciences

**Monica Palomo**

Assistant Dean for Fiscal Administration  
develop financial policies, provide fiscal advice, and provide budget management

**Magda Riveros**

Sr Program Manager for Graduate Studies and Recruitment  
develop & implement recruitment strategies; provide support services for graduate students

**Daniel Ramirez-Escobedo**

COS Student Success Center Director  
support student mentoring, development, and success initiatives

**Lauren Hoffman**

Sr Program Manager for Undergraduate Studies  
develop & implement curriculum plans for COS undergraduate programs; manage student advising and support services

**Mostafa Fazly**

Assistant Dean for Faculty Support  
assist in providing tenure-track faculty support

**Terri Matiella**

Assistant Dean for Instruction, Assessment, and Faculty Development  
assist in providing fixed-term-track faculty support

**Tina Hill**

Faculty Support Operations Manager  
oversees administrative support operations and manages execution of academic events & conferences

**Monica Trevino Mendez**

Senior Grant Development Manager  
grant development support, including analysis, feedback, and submission management

**John Strubelt**

Associate Director for Fiscal Administration  
oversee financial operations; develop and implement financial policies and procedures to ensure compliance

**Taylor Bird**

COS Chief Development Officer  
strategic growth planning, fundraising efforts, partnerships and expansion efforts for COS

**Olivia Schneider**

Development Coordinator  
oversee project management, donor relations, and event planning

Development Student Worker  
assist staff with development and communications needs

**Ryan Schoensee**

Communications Coordinator  
develop & implement COS communication strategies; manage media relations

**Patty Ramirez**

Web Specialist  
develop & maintain organization and functionality of COS website; implement web strategies for user experience

**Veronica Castellanos**

Administrative Services Officer III  
develop & implement COS communication strategies; manage media relations

Front Desk Student Workers  
filing, data entry, & scheduling; assist student inquiries, appointments, and resources

**Mary Kate Ontaneda**

Assistant to the Dean  
support the Dean through coordination, communications, and project management

A&P Staff/Faculty Positions

Classified Staff Positions

Student Positions