Dear Colleagues,

Congratulations on this wonderful moment in your career, whether you’re celebrating a milestone anniversary or embarking on a new life in retirement. Truly, you are what makes the University of Delaware great, and Eleni and I are thrilled to recognize your many years of service to our community.

The experience and perspective that you have brought to your job is incredibly valuable. Whether you are faculty or staff, whether you work directly with our students or you work behind the scenes, you make the UD experience possible. You make the campus vibrant and beautiful. You make it exciting and intellectually stimulating. You make it safe and comfortable and welcoming. In short, you make it a home for our students and our fellow employees.

You are the reason I am so excited about everything we are accomplishing here at UD and why I am so optimistic about our shared future. Working together, there’s nothing we can’t achieve.

Once again, thank you—for your many years of service, for your role in shaping our community, and for adding to the University of Delaware’s legacy of excellence. I consider it a privilege to work with you.

Sincerely,

Dennis Assanis, President
Tsu-Wei Chou, Ph.D.

Dr. Tsu-Wei Chou is the Unidel Pierre S. du Pont Chair of Engineering. He joined UD’s Mechanical Engineering Department in 1969 after receiving the Ph.D. degree in materials science from Stanford University. Dr. Chou has authored over 395 archival journal papers and book chapters with a total Google Scholar Citation of nearly 44,300. Dr. Chou is the author of the book, *Microstructural Design of Fiber Composites*, Cambridge University Press, England (1992), the co-author of the book, *Composites Materials and Their Use in Structures*, Elsevier Applied Science, London (1975), and the editor of several books. Dr. Chou is a Fellow of ASME, ASM, ASC, ACerS, TMS and AIAA, and a recipient of the Charles Russ Richards Memorial Award, the Worcester Reed Warner Medal, and the Nadai Medal of ASME, the Albert Sauveur Achievement Award of ASM International, the Distinguished Research Award and the ASC/DEStech Award in Composites of the American Society for Composites, as well as the Francis Alison Medal and the Medal of Excellence in Composite Materials of the University of Delaware. Dr. Chou served as the North American Editor and then Editor-in-Chief (1985-2019) of the international journal *Composites Science and Technology*. He has been recognized by ISI as one of the “Highly Cited Researchers” in the world. Dr. Chou has been named among top 100 materials scientists (ranked 34th) of the past decade (2000-2010) by Times Higher Education. Dr. Chou has been honored as a World Fellow by the International Committee on Composite Materials.
Dr. Jerome Lewis founded and became the director of the Institute for Public Administration (IPA), a public service and research center in the Biden School. In the mid-1970s, he collaborated on the proposal for the Master of Public Administration (MPA) program and became its first director. It is now one of the top programs in the nation. Our MPA graduates include Delaware’s current governor, city managers, state cabinet secretaries, and state legislators.

Dr. Lewis takes pride in mentoring students on the merits of public service. Under his leadership, IPA engages students in experiential learning. Known as “The Delaware Model,” this guiding philosophy equally involves faculty, professional staff, and students in public service and research projects that make a difference in the lives of citizens in Delaware and beyond. In 1982, he created the Legislative Fellows Program, a partnership between the University and the Delaware General Assembly. This year, the program is celebrating 40 years and boasts more than 300 alumni who are working in local, state, and federal governments and nonprofits across the country. In 2009, he was recognized by the legislature for “40 years of distinguished service to the University and to the Citizens of the First State.”

He has received the following honors for his work: 1998 – National Association of School of Public Affairs & Administration’s Elmer B. Staats Public Service Career Award; 2004 – Ratledge Family Award for Delaware Public Service; 2011 – Common Cause Delaware’s Public Service Award; 2017 – American Society of Public Administration’s Elmer B. Staats Lifetime Achievement Award; 2020 – ICMA Academic Award in Memory of Stephen B. Sweeney.
In August 1969 at age 26, I arrived in Newark, Ph.D. in hand, with two children. We rented half of the George Evans House (at the corner of Main St. and South College) for $110 a month, all utilities included. As an Assistant Professor in the English Department, I taught the regular load of 3-3. My first office was in the dining room of a house on South College Avenue. Classes were either MWF or TRS. The English department had no adjunct faculty, only full-time positions. Undergraduate enrollment was about 6,500, although like most colleges and universities at the time, Delaware had seen campus protests over the Vietnam War. Following the assassination of Rev. King, the National Guard had occupied Wilmington for nine months. Hired as a specialist in Renaissance literature, I spent half of my years here as a Department administrator serving under a variety of titles including Director of Composition, Director of Undergraduate Studies, Director of the Writing Program, Associate Chair (3 times), and Chair of the Department. Of my eight children, five graduated from UD; three have Master’s from here, the other three took advantage of the tuition exchange to earn degrees from smaller liberal arts colleges.
Barbara H. Settles, Ph.D.  
Human Development and Family Sciences

My past year at the University of Delaware has been challenging and interesting as I put up all my courses and survived the Zoom and Canvas challenges. The students were responsive and many of them were able to graduate or move forward toward graduation. My professional participation was also by Zoom and I presented a plenary presentation and joint paper for the Groves Conference on Marriage and Family. Our honorary Kappa Omicron Nu sponsored the initiation on Zoom from national headquarters. Also I have students doing research in New Zealand and the Virgin islands, as well as, locally. My writing has picked up some steam and I look forward to the return to campus.

Carolyn Thoroughgood, Ph.D.  
Food Science and Nutrition

Carolyn Thoroughgood joined UD in 1968 as an Assistant Professor in Food Science and Nutrition. As her research became focused on the nutritional needs of bivalves grown in controlled environment systems, she moved to the newly formed College of Marine Studies in 1974. She progressed through the academic ranks and served in many administrative roles, including her service as the College’s Dean for 20 years. In September, 2004, Dr. Thoroughgood was recruited to become the Vice Provost for Research and Graduate Studies; however, she always promised herself she was going to return to a full-time faculty position and did so in Spring, 2010. Once back on the faculty, she specifically asked to teach freshmen and non-science undergraduates about the ocean, although she still advises graduate students in the School of Marine Science and Policy. Her research and service are now focused on coastal ocean observation. For 16 years, she has served as the Chair of the Board of Directors for the externally funded, UD-based Mid-Atlantic Regional Association Coastal Ocean Observing System, covering the region from Cape Cod, MA, to Cape Hatteras, NC, for the U.S. Integrated Ocean Observing System.
Lawrence Duggan, Ph.D.

In 1970, as I was finishing my dissertation in history at Harvard, I was lucky enough to be offered a job at the University of Delaware, and then blessed to gain tenure in 1977, and I’ve been here since then—51 years of grateful service since then. Besides teaching Renaissance and Reformation history and Western Civ I (what I was hired to do), I’ve been able to study, teach, and write on what has interested me as an historian. And between 1991 and 2011 my wife and I were also able to coach ten students in winning Rhodes, Marshall, and Mitchell Scholarships to universities in the British Isles. I don’t think my life could’ve been much better!

Charles R. Link, Ph.D.

My wonderful ride at UD began on September 1, 1970, when my wife, Mimi, and our one-month old daughter Marianne, arrived in Newark; our family grew to four with the arrival of Katy in 1973. I have witnessed the phenomenal growth at UD as well as in the Economics Department, which has grown from a faculty of 10 to 25, along with the development of an outstanding Economics Ph.D. program in the early 1990s. Along the way, there have been 52 articles (and still counting) in respected economics journals, two monographs, 55 presentations at national and international economics association meetings, and grants of more than $1 million. I have always enjoyed interacting with students at all levels. I have taught more than 25,000 students and have been the major advisor on 16 Ph.D. dissertations, more than 50 Masters theses, and 14 undergraduate degrees with distinction theses. I developed Winter Session programs in Europe (10 years) and Australia/New Zealand (5 years). Teaching awards along the way have been from the Department of Economics, the College of Business and Economics, and finally, the teaching award from the University of Delaware. I have been fortunate to have worked with great colleagues. Most of all, none of this would have been possible without the support of Mimi, my wife of 55 years. By the time I retire in 2024, I will have been the Bank of America Professor of Business for 22 years.
50 Years

Daniel Rich, Ph.D.  
Biden School of Public Policy & Administration

In 1970, I came to UD because I thought it offered opportunities. Fifty years later, it is clear that I was right! I started as an instructor in the Department of Political Science, still working on my Ph.D. I eventually climbed the academic ladder to a named professorship. I have had numerous leadership opportunities. In 1976, the College of Urban Affairs and Public Policy was established, the precursor of the Biden School of Public Policy and Administration. I served as associate dean and dean. When UD reorganized in 1997, I became dean of the College of Human Services, Education and Public Policy, an experience that focused my efforts on strengthening education at all levels. I then served as University provost from 2001-2009, a period during which UD completed its transformation to one of the nation's leading public research universities. When I returned to the faculty, I renewed my commitment to teaching and research, and especially to mentoring students. My work on community partnerships was enhanced when I became director of the Community Engagement Initiative in 2016. For 50 years, I have been privileged to work with thousands of extraordinary individuals—students, faculty, staff, administrators, alumni—all dedicated to strengthening UD. Throughout that time, I have been a Blue Hen in my heart and in my head. On May 31, 2021, the University awarded me an honorary Doctor of Laws degree. Now I am a “true blue” Blue Hen!
MEMORABLE EXPERIENCES AT UD...

45 Years
David Black
Economics

40 Years
Joseph Bradley
Student Financial Services

35 Years
Walter Dabell
IT-Enterprise Systems & Cloud Services

40 Years
Tamara Schirmer
Economics

35 Years
Susan Barton
Student Financial Services

35 Years
Susan Barton
IT-University Media Services

35 Years
Van Adams
Plant & Soil Science

35 Years
Carl Asti
School of Marine Science & Policy

35 Years
Steven Brown
Discussing my plans for honors course materials and other matters with Burnaby Munson.

35 Years
Anastasia Chirnside
Entomology & Wildlife Ecology

35 Years
William Schenck
Delaware Geological Survey

35 Years
Joseph Scudlark
School of Marine Science & Policy

35 Years
Susan Zatto
Engineering Academic Affairs

40 Years
Tamara Schirmer
I’ve had 40 wonderful years at the University. The acceptance of everyone becoming part of a family.

35 Years
Susan Barton
I love the class sessions in Plants and Human Culture; students post and describe an image or quote that means something to them about material learned. Many students gain appreciation for plants.

35 Years
Walter Dabell
While working at the College of Marine Studies in Lewes, our group supported the multinational TOGA/COARE field studies from Townsville, Australia.
There have been so many incredible memories from the last 35 years it’s too hard to pick just one. I am grateful for my time at UD and the opportunity to work with so many talented and dedicated people.

Working with so many great people, especially the late Mary Hempel, John, Ed/O, Sue, Jerry, my OCM peeps and now the wonderful crew at HR, Wellbeing and OEI. Great memories and great friends.

The students, the people in general.

35 Years

Michael Keefe
School of Education
Antony Beris
Chemical & Biomolecular Engineering
Kirsten Brown
English Language Institute
Steven Brown
Chemistry & Biochemistry
John Courtright
Communication

Michael Cummings
IT-Network & Infrastructure Services
Walter Dabell
Arts & Sciences
Susan Davis
Agriculture and Natural Resources
Thomas Evans
Plant & Soil Science
Mitchell Fields
B&E Finance

Jeffry Fuhrmann
Plant & Soil Science
J. Garrison
History
Mark Grabowski
Library
Karl Hassler
IT-Information Security
Karren Helsel
Faculty Senate
Michael Keefe
Mechanical Engineering

Marie Kuczmarshki
Behavioral Health & Nutrition
James MacDonald
Physics & Astronomy
Ronald Martin
Earth Sciences
Karen May
IT-Enterprise Systems & Cloud Services
Kathleen McCoy
Computer & Information Sciences
Elizabeth Bolt
I received a call from a former Dickinson resident wanting access to his girlfriend’s old room. This was where they met and where he wanted to propose. The custodians and I cleaned the room and left a bouquet of wild flowers on a desk for them.

30 Years

Michael Chajes
My favorite memories involve meeting with former students and hearing how meaningful their UD education was in their life and career.

30 Years

Alexander Selimov

Denise Spencer

30 Years

30 Years

30 Years

30 Years/Retiree

35 Years

Janice McFarland
IT-Network & Infrastructure Services

Robin Morgan
Office of the Provost

Debra Norris
Art Conservation

Mary Pfäelzer
English

Bruce Raker
IT-Enterprise Systems & Cloud Services

Katherin Rogers
Philosophy

Frederick Shermeyer
Engineering Academic Affairs

Karl Unruh
Physics & Astronomy

James Warrington
Marine Science & Policy

Kathleen Wheatley
Human Resources

Joseph Williams
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services
Diana Struzinski
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30 Years
Avron Abraham
Behavioral Health & Nutrition
Douglas Archbald
School of Education
Lori Benscoter
Library
Elizabeth Bolt
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

25 Years
James Ancona
Celebrating my 25th season with the UD Marching Band and finding out that the Heidi I. Sarver and James P. Ancona Marching Band Excellence Fund was created.

Nancy Chase
Attending the very first U DID IT Picnic because it was the first time I could recall that all employees were asked to gather together at UD besides the vigil that was held in light of 9/11.

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Hye-Shin Kim
Commencement and convocation. Celebrating student success!

David Mackenzie
I really enjoyed the challenge of designing new studios for WVUD. Major projects like this only come along a few times in an engineer’s career.

Cheryl Ackerman
Conducting focus groups with preschool children about experiences at Coverdale Farm. One child’s favorite things were the horses... but there weren’t any horses. What an adventure. Lots of laughter.

Tammy Anderson
When I was promoted to a Professor.

Sandra McCormick
Associates in Arts Programs

Ellen Monk
B&E Accounting & MIS

Robert Nelson
Hospitality Business Management

Alexander Selimov
Languages Literatures Cultures

Denise Spencer
IT-Network & Infrastructure Services

William Start
IT-University Media Services

John Stevenson
Library

Diana Struzinski
Library

Klaus Theopold
Chemistry & Biochemistry

Norman Wagner
Chemical & Biomolecular Engineering

Shangyou Zhang
Mathematical Sciences
Diana Baczkowski
I was happy working at UD in the Admissions office for 20+ years with dedicated and talented people. Meeting many parents, alumni, training students, Blue Hen Ambassadors and making lifelong friends was a blessing. I remember with fondness the wonderful Christmas Parties with everyone from Enrollment Management at the Deer Park each year.

Mark Bambach
Enjoying long term friendships with my colleagues.

Judith Buchanan
Working at CDHS has been exciting. One of my fondest memories was at our annual Benefits Fair, when I won the Apple IPad in the drawing. I was so surprised!

Karen Clark
I love the excitement when the new Fall semester starts. It’s fun talking to the parents of the incoming freshmen as everyone is so excited.

Ronet Bachman
Sociology

Richard Braun
Mathematical Sciences

Hans-Joerg Busch
Languages Literatures Cultures

Daniel Cha
Civil & Environmental Engineering

Nancy Chase
Student Wellness & Health Promotion
MEMORABLE EXPERIENCES AT UD...

20 Years

Teresa Clark
Making these two incredible friends Maggie Brumit and Joann Watts as a new employee, and keeping them through thick and thin! These special women are the kind that make UD special.

Doug Crouse
As a member of the Delaware 4-H staff, I’ve had many unique opportunities to work with youth members of our programs throughout the state. The ability to help these young people learn, grow and gain important life skills has definitely been my favorite memory while working at UD.

Amy Estey
UD employees are like a loose-knit family. We take care of each other and try to help out where we can.

Sarah Hearn
Working with grad students through the DE Positive Behavior Support Project (DE-PBS) at the Center for Disabilities Studies (CDS). It is exciting to see them connect course content to CDS/DE-PBS work, and then contribute to the positive social-emotional-behavioral outcomes of the students via school-based work.

25 Years

Junghuei Chen
Chemistry & Biochemistry

Marvin Clark
Police Department

Timothy Conrad
Transportation Services

Edgar Davis
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Rebecca George
University of Delaware Energy Institute

Quentin Golston
Movers Services
Lori Hill
One of my favorites would have to be my very first interview at UD in August 2000 with the Residence Life administrative staff. I came from a corporate working environment and was so pleasantly surprised at the casual—yet professional—way the interview was held. I was never so comfortable! When I was offered the position, I knew I was here to stay!

Dawn Jory
I have too many memories to choose just one favorite. Over the years, I have enjoyed the energy the students bring everyday. Like looking out your window and seeing students swing dancing in Mentor Circle. Additionally, I appreciate that my career at UD has allowed me to be part of some amazing research efforts leading to positive impacts on society.

Stephanie Kotch-Jester
So many great moments in 20 years! My favorite memories are from attending Alumni Weekend to reconnect with students! I’m so proud of our Blue Hen Elementary Education Teachers!

Dana Perry
UD has been my home for 21 awesome years. There is always something new to learn, new people to meet and wonderful opportunities. I am proud to be a member of the Blue Hen family!

Lisa Grimsley
English Language Institute

Scott Grzenda
Admissions Office

Julie Hubbard
Psychological & Brain Sciences

Thomas Ilvento
Applied Economics & Statistics

Leah Jackson
Student Health Services

Yan Jin
Plant & Soil Science

Keith Jones
Library

Nancy Jordan
School of Education

Hye-Shin Kim
Fashion & Apparel Studies

Raul Lobo
Chemical & Biomolecular Engineering

David Mackenzie
Student Centers

Susan McKenna
Languages Literatures Cultures
Carolyn Quinci
It is not a single memory but a collection of memories that makes my time at UD special - getting to work with wonderful people and develop life-long friendships.

Tammy Simpson-Turner
I am thankful to work with a great department full of dedicated and talented faculty and staff for over 20 years. I have met people from all over the world. Every day I learn something new. I am always proud to say, I work for the University of Delaware and I love my job!

Michele Walfred
Without a doubt, taking advantage of UD’s educational benefits and earning my AA, BA and MA while working, and watching my daughter earn her BA also! This position, which I accepted when I was 45 years old changed my life, a personal renaissance in every sense of the word! Also being honored with Excellence in Service in 2017.

Leland Ware
When I led an effort to end racial disparities in student discipline in public schools. Former State Senator Margaret Rose Henry proposed a law that requires schools to reduce racial disparities in student discipline. The provision was passed by the House and Senate and signed into law by the Governor in 2018.

Timothy Morrissey
Student Services for Athletes

Janice O’Neill
Conferences-Newark

P. Peterson
Behavioral Health & Nutrition

John Rabolt
Materials Science

Melvin Rau
IT-Enterprise Systems & Cloud Services

Anne Morris
School of Education

25 Years
Jeffrey Rosen
Psychological & Brain Sciences

Heidi Sarver
School of Music

Jeffrey Schneider
Kinesiology & Applied Physiology

Amy Slocum
Delaware Environmental Institute

Raja Rao Surampudy
IT-Enterprise Systems & Cloud Services

Mark VanGessel
Plant & Soil Science

Xiang-Gen Xia
Electrical and Computer Engineering

John Xiao
Physics & Astronomy

20 Years

Cheryl Ackerman
Center for Drug & Health Studies

Ali Alalou
Languages Literatures Cultures

Tammy Anderson
Sociology

Kathleen Atkinson
Communications & Marketing

Jason Atkinson
IT-University Media Services

Alice Ba
Political Science & International Relations

Diana Baczkowski
Admissions Office

Sergey Baldychev
IT-Enterprise Systems & Cloud Services

Mark Bambach
Business Administration

Jennifer Barker
School of Music

Thomas Beebe
Chemistry & Biochemistry

Kristin Bennighoff
University Honors College

Erin Bernberg
Animal and Food Sciences

Katharina Billups
School of Marine Science & Policy

Judith Buchanan
Center for Drug & Health Studies

Kyle Chappell
IT-University Media Services

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Cashier’s Office

Teresa Clark
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Sheldon Demby
Engineering

Timothy Deshields
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Kevin Dobson
Energy Conversion

Tobin Driscoll
Mathematical Sciences

Paul Dumigan
Earth Ocean & Environment

Charles Elson
B&E Finance

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Graduate/Executive Programs

Ruth Fleury
Human Development & Family Science

Benjamin Fleury-Steiner
Sociology

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Student Health Services

Daniel Freeman
Business Administration

Deni Galileo
Biological Sciences

Guido Geerts
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MEMORABLE EXPERIENCES AT UD…

20 Years

Marcia Hutton
PPD–Large Projects

Dawn Jory
NIIMBL

Barry Joyce
History

Patrick Jubb
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

David Kalb
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Stephanie Kotch-Jester
School of Education

Peter Lenhoff
Police Department

Robert Majewski
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Kenneth Milewski
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Alice Moore
Office of Equity and Inclusion

Kasandra Moye
Center for Black Culture

Chaoying Ni
Materials Science

Ikem Okoye
Art History

Catherine Painter
IT-Network & Infrastructure Services

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Lauren Petersen
Arts & Sciences

Carolyn Quinci
Office of University Registrar

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Student Health Services

Sydney Riggi
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Louis Rossi
Graduate College

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Tina Sheing
Theatre

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Center for Composite Materials

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Economics

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Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Therese Stratton
Center for Composite Materials

Gary Testerman
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

John Thiravong
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Douglas Tobias
History

Robert Vigliotta
Transportation Services

Dionisios Vlachos
Chemical & Biomolecular Engineering

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Leland Ware
Biden Institute

Sharon Webb
Agriculture Research/Education

Daniel Weile
Electrical and Computer Engineering

Stacy Weile
IT–Academic Technology Services

Owen White
History

James Wingrave
Chemistry & Biochemistry

K. Wommack
Agriculture and Natural Resources

Diane Wright
B&E Accounting & MIS

Lily Wu
IT-Network & Infrastructure Services
CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR RETIREES

Carol Bedgar
I loved every day at UD. Conversations and learning from students, hearing their viewpoints and contributions gave me energy and a better understanding of the world. As I continue to take classes I look forward to expanding my world.

Patricia Brinley
I have had so many memorable experiences at UD in the past 32 years and have enjoyed every moment. The one that really stands out is chaperoning 24 undergraduate students with two faculty on a travel study abroad program to Paris, France. We attend the Louvre and saw the original “Mona Lisa”, Eiffel Tower and more.

Jan Burns
All the great people I had the pleasure to know and work with.

David Caldwell
Helping to build the first ECALC computer classroom in Colburn Lab. A group of us worked until 4 a.m. on the first day of classes to have it ready.

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Transportation Services
Robert Alphin
Animal and Food Sciences
Carol Anderer
IT-Client Support & Services
Elizabeth Appleby
Animal and Food Sciences
Diana Baczkowski
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MEMORABLE EXPERIENCES AT UD…

Susan Castelli
All of the friendships I have made along the way.

Deborah Cohen
My favorite memories are working at the CCSM; assisting students and colleagues alike to bring out their best and most unique selves.

Juanita Crook
There are many. Working with great members of the University Community and graduating with my Bachelor’s Degree while working for the University.

Walter Dabel
Although made up of many memories, I enjoyed supporting research using technology that I helped build.

Stuart Binder-Macleod
Physical Therapy

Theodore Blackson
Police Department

Christopher Boorse
Philosophy

Deborah Booth
Library

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Peter Brakhage
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James Byrnes
Engineering

William Cain
Biological Sciences

David Caldwell
Mathematical Sciences

Richard Campbell
Library

Gene Cane
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Martha Carothers
Art and Design

John Carter
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services
I always loved to stand at the gate to the football field during Commencement to watch the graduates and faculty enter in all their regalia. It is very beautiful.

I’ve met so many people and made some very good friends during my time at UD.

Working with the student employees in the Technology Solutions Center. Seeing them grow into their professional opportunities after they finished school.

Employee Appreciation Day is a time when all employees at the University have the opportunity to come together and share their experiences as one body not defined by department. We were all just people with a common goal to make UD a place where we are all welcomed.

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Deborah Durant
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Amy Connell
James Corbett
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Juanita Crook
Walter Dabell
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Earl Davis
Freida Davis
Judith Dellose
Patrick Dennis
MEMORABLE EXPERIENCES AT UD...

Brenda Foraker
Assisting our students.

Charles Garbin
Dealing with the Grad Students.

M. Dina Giambi
A highlight was meeting Vice President Joe Biden at a dinner at the UD President’s house on September 16, 2011, to honor his donation of his senatorial papers to the Library. I waited in a long line after the dinner to shake hands with a very gracious VP. That meeting holds even more significance to me today!

Lillian Grannum
My favorite memories are my children graduating from the University: Nicolette in 2014 from the College of Engineering and Christopher in the Class of 2015, Lerner College of Business & Economics. I’ve worked with a great group of people over the years. I want to thank you all for your kindness and friendship.

Nancy Deputy
Transportation Services

Marsha Dickson
Fashion & Apparel Studies

Cheryl Doherty
Earth Sciences

Pamela Donnelly
College of Earth Ocean & Environment

James Donovan
Police Department

Kimberly Doucette
Interdisciplinary Science Learning Labs

Nelcenia Downer
Institute for Public Administration

Richard Duggan
Arts & Sciences
Cindy Holland
I was proud to be part of Project Search, UD’s education job fair, held annually for 40 years (I was involved for 30 yrs). Considered by school administrators to be one of the best education recruitment events in the country, it was exciting to be part of something so important... helping to launch the careers of thousands of graduates.

Deborah Durant
IT-Client Support & Services

Allen Earl
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Scott Eatough
Intercollegiate Athletics Program

Valerie Jones
I don’t have just one. I worked with wonderful people at the Library, in every department that I worked, especially the Film & Video Collection. My colleagues were wonderful, which made it a pleasure to come to work each day.

Winifred Erbe
Library

Rose Ann Essick
Procurement Services

Yong Evans
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

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Paul Fahringer
University Printing

Allan Fanjoy
Special Sessions

Betty Farmer
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Stephen Fols
IT-Enterprise Systems & Cloud Services

David Kirchman

Michael Keefe
Congratulating a student after the graduation ceremony knowing the extra effort that student needed given the student’s unique circumstances.
MEMORABLE EXPERIENCES AT UD...

Marie Kuczmarski
Traveling with students on global study programs and collaborating with colleagues.

David Levandoski
It is difficult to pick one memory when I have so many. The project that I will never forget was managing the decommissioning and demolition of the former Chrysler Automobile plant. The 1743 Holdings team was second to none! I am grateful to have supported the mission and will always cherish my friends and colleagues at UD.

Crystal Maccari
Making lifelong friends.

Beth Maliner
Working with the great team in the FSU; volunteering at the Food Bank

Brenda Foraker
Office of International Students and Scholars

John Frett
Plant & Soil Science

Charles Garbini
Materials Science

Paula Germack
PCS-Associate Provost

Carlene Fox
Library

Rose Gaasbeck
Controller’s Office

J. Garrison
History

M. Dina Giambi
Library
Sandra Matthews  
One of my favorite memories was helping with the Doctoral Hooding ceremonies throughout the years. It was always such an inspirational and happy event to see all of the doctoral students, families, professors, co-workers, bagpipers, etc. celebrating together.

Michael Newton  
I enjoyed the people, especially the people at Clayton Hall that I was honored to work with and for every day, the vendors that helped us all do our jobs professionally, and the clients that trusted us to manage, produce and execute their events.

Douglas Nixon  
I have many great memories of working at UD, but the loyal support I received from faculty, staff and students in CBC was the most gratifying. I had the opportunity to serve as scientific glassblower for over 25 years after which I was offered a rewarding facilities role until retirement. It was an amazing career. Many thanks to all my friends!

Sheldon Pollack  
Retiring

Mark Golden  
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Kathryn Goldman  
University Studies Program

Ronald Gouge  
Agriculture-Newark Farm

David Graham  
Sustainable Energy & Engineering

Lillian Grannum  
Office of University Registrar

Stephen Grasson  
Student Health Services

Victor Green  
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Thomas Griffin  
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Lorraine Grube  
Institute for Global Studies

Cynthia Guerrazzi  
IT-Client Support & Services

Kenneth Haas  
Sociology

Deborah Hall  
Agriculture and Natural Resources
MEMORABLE EXPERIENCES AT UD...

Maryann Rapposelli
Escorting freshmen World Scholars to Rome for their first semester abroad.

Pablo Sanchez
Los talleres de capacitación y entrenamiento

Melissa Sarver
My favorite memories of UD were the times spent collaborating with colleagues on projects that were for the good of University of Delaware. I carry with me, many friends from my 20 years on campus.

Laura Schmitt
Having the opportunity to work with so many talented colleagues and students.

Keith Handling
Kinesiology & Applied Physiology

Marcia Hartline
Center for Teaching & Assessment Learning

Frances Haskins
Psychological & Brain Sciences

Karl Hassler
IT-Information Security

Melba Haynes
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Lester Haynes
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Keith Heckert
Communications & Marketing

Mark Heissenbuttel
Institute for Global Studies

Karren Helsel
Faculty Senate

Debbie Hendrickson
Campus Delivery

Joan Higgins
IT-University Media Services

Alison Hill
Student Centers

Cindy Holland
Career Services Center

Nadine Howatt
Theatre
Marcia Scott
Starting the UD International City/County Management Association (ICMA) Student Chapter

Linda Somers
The first week of fall semester with the campus full of new students, walking across the beautiful campus with colleagues and the Carillon playing in the background.

Michael Tate
Erecting and installing the new HD Satellite Dish on the roof of East Hall.

Janis Tomlinson
My best memories are of the wonderfully engaged Museums’ team that oversees all art and mineralogical collections as well at exhibitions in three gallery spaces. Thanks to Amanda, Ashley, Brian, Jan, Peggy and Sharon for all your great work!

Lisa Hutton
Parking Services

Paul Hyde
IT–Academic Technology Services

Brenda Irwin
Office of Student Conduct

Debra Jackson
Cashier’s Office

Debra Jeffers
IT–Academic Technology Services

Joanne Jennings
Office Educational Technology

James Jianniney
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Quintin Johnson
Agriculture Research/Education

Cheri Jones
Arts & Sciences

Michele Jones
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Valerie Jones
Library

David Kalb
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Erick Kalb
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Theresa Kalesse
Engineering Academic Affairs

Michael Keefe
Mechanical Engineering

Frank Kerr
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

David Kirchman
School of Marine Science & Policy
MEMORABLE EXPERIENCES AT UD...

Kenneth Kirschner  
CHS-Biostatistics Core

Michael Klein  
Chemical & Biomolecular Engineering

Gail Kracyla  
Disaster Research Center

Marie Kuczmarski  
Behavioral Health & Nutrition

Constance Worthington  
I enjoyed spending time with all of my colleagues.

William Wright  
Working with a first-class and exceptionally professional group of people, which includes my former UD Publications and OCM co-workers, and University project clients. Too many good memories to pick out just one.

Glen Loller  
IT-Network & Infrastructure Services

Katherine Lyons  
Agriculture and Natural Resources

Crystal Maccari  
Engineering

Yuk Leung  
Mathematical Sciences

David Levandoski  
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Barbara Lewis-Kuszyk  
Business Administration

James Malin  
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Beth Maliner  
Education & Human Development-Office of Dean

Terri Manley  
University Development

Kenji Matsuura  
College of Earth Ocean & Environment

Joseph Matterer  
English Language Institute

Sandra Matthews  
Graduate and Professional Education

Brian McCandless  
Energy Conversion

Gary McCool  
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Janice McFarland  
IT-Network & Infrastructure Services

Gerald Turkel  
I especially loved working with graduate students as they developed knowledge, skills, and their independence as scholars.

During my forty-five years at UD, I continued to learn from my colleagues, both faculty and administrators.
Connie McKinney  
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Thomas Melvin  
Library

William Meyer  
Political Science & International Relations

Sandra Millard  
Library

Marcia Miller  
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Patricia Miller  
Facilities, Real Estate & Auxiliary Services

Danny Molligan  
Center for Composite Materials

Michael Moore  
Biological Sciences

Sharon Mouton  
Academic Enrichment Center

Thomas Moy  
Police Department

Dermott Mullan  
Physics & Astronomy

Michael Mundy  
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