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Mason President Gregory Washington has announced his Anti-Racism and Inclusive Excellence Task Force, a major university-wide initiative with committees that include nearly 100 people representing all of Mason’s schools, colleges, and units. Thank you to Dan Taggart, Karen Underwood, Genevieve McKenna, Anne Reynolds, Tamyra Washington, and Stephanie Lister for their leadership and commitment to Mason, and to the many committees that are working diligently to make Mason a more inclusive and equitable institution.

Events

Faculty Friday - Thank you to our department chairs

Last week’s #FacultyFriday recognized all of Mason Science’s department chairs, and this week we’d like to recognize the people who coordinate our many programs, research opportunities, and resources to support each other. Here are some of the people helping Mason Science thrive:

- Biological Sciences: Diana Kwon (EIP) and Will B. McPherson (bioinformatics)
- Chemistry: Angela Cheatham (Grants Management), Carmen Alvarado (Grad Studies), and Christie Whitehead (Admin)
- Mathematics: Scott A. Heyman (Dean’s Office), Saleet Jafri (Grad Studies), and Kimberly Hamilton (Grad Studies)
- Physics and Astronomy: John Hollis (Dean’s Office), Iosif Vaisman, and Gerald Weatherspoon
- Atmospheric Oceanic and Earth Sciences: Fernando R. Miralles-Wilhelm (Dean’s Office), Dan Taggart (Grad Studies), and Kelly Knight
- Geological Sciences: Dede Chasten (Grad Studies) and Stephanie Lister
- Computational and Data Sciences: Dieter Pfoser and Samantha Cooke
- Computer Science: Mark Uhen, Genevieve McKenna, and Christine Amaya
- Mathematics: Paul So
- Psychology: Karen Akerlof
- Biology: Stephen Siu and Diana Kwon
- Medical Microbiology and Immunology: Saleet Jafri and Stephanie Lister
- Environmental Science and Policy: Gerald Weatherspoon, Tamyra Washington, and Stephanie Lister
- Forensic Science: Dann Sklarew
- Epidemiology: Jeannette Allen
- Human Biological Anthropology: Karen Akerlof
- Biomedical Sciences: Kelly Knight, Tanya Wilson, and Genevieve McKenna
- Molecular Biology Laboratory: Jeannette Allen
- Neurosciences: John Hollis, Kelly Knight, and Tanya Wilson
- School of Systems Biology: Yuki O’Toole and Karen Underwood
- Mathematical Sciences: Gordon Hachtel and Virginie Kozyreff
- Health Sciences: Saleet Jafri
- Sociology: Dan Taggart
- Psychology: John Hollis and Tanya Wilson
- College of Science: Mark Uhen, Paul So, and Dan Taggart
- I-Achieve Scholarship: Karen Underwood and Stephanie Lister

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