University of Illinois at Springfield

LEADERSHIP lived

The College of Public Affairs & Administration (CPA&A)
Excellence in Public Affairs

- Interdisciplinary
- Teaching-focused
- Supportive community
- Serving communities
Leadership Learned

- Curricular, co-curricular & extra-curricular
- Civic engagement
- Social responsibility
- Democratic values

Mark Cheviron
ADM Vice President

Dana Perino
White House Press Secretary

Gordon Heddell
DOD Inspector General

Robert Moore
US Marshal

Tom Livingston
Reg. VP, CSX
Departments & Programs

- **Academic departments & programs:**
  - Criminal Justice (BA, minor)
  - Environmental Studies (minor, BA, MA, MS, Certificates)
  - Global Studies (minor, BA)
  - Legal Studies (BA, MA)
  - Political Science (minor, BA, MA, Certificate)
  - Public Administration (MPA, DPA, Certificates)
  - Public Affairs Reporting (MA)
  - Public Health (minor, MPH, MPH-EH, Certificates)
Leadership Lives On – Current CPA&A Students

Joe McNamara
Environmental Studies

Bamba Njie
Public Health

Rebecca Luke
Legal Studies

Grace Hou
Public Administration

John Tienken
Political Science
Section One: CPA&A Majors

Kimberly Lightford  
IL Senate

Mike Jacobs  
IL Senate

Ann Schneider  
Secretary, IDOT

Marc Miller  
Director, IDNR

Karen Hasara  
Trustee
## Total Student Headcount
### Fall 2012

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<th>Percent of Total Campus</th>
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<td>All Majors</td>
<td>889</td>
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<td>530</td>
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Total CPA&A Student Headcount
Fall 2008 – Fall 2012

- Fall 2008: 333
- Fall 2009: 381
- Fall 2010: 402
- Fall 2011: 367
- Fall 2012: 359
# Median Age & Gender
## Fall 2012

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<td><strong>445 (50%)</strong></td>
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<td>197 (55%)</td>
<td>162 (45%)</td>
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<td>248 (47%)</td>
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Race/Ethnicity of Undergraduates
Fall 2012

- Compared to the campus as a whole, the college’s undergraduate majors are more diverse.
- The college reports fewer international students than the campus.
More than 25% of the current college undergraduate majors are from an underrepresented* group.

The percentage steadily increased from the fall 2008 to the fall of 2012.

* Includes Black, American-Indian/Alaskan Native, Hispanic, and Multi-race students.
Note: The categories of Native Hawaiian and Multi-race were new in fall 2010.
Race Ethnicity of Graduate Students
Fall 2012

- Compared to the campus as a whole, the college’s graduate majors are more diverse.

The college reports fewer international students the campus.
The percentage of college graduate students from underrepresented groups* grew from fall, 2008 to fall, 2012.

Campus percentages increased but remained below CPA&A.

* Includes Black, American-Indian/Alaskan Native, Hispanic, and Multi-race students.
Note: The categories of Native Hawaiian and Multi-race were new in fall 2010.
Number of New Freshmen & First-time Transfers Fall 2008 – Fall 2012

![Bar chart showing the number of CPAA Freshmen and Campus Freshmen from Fall 2008 to Fall 2012.]

![Bar chart showing the number of CPAA Transfers and Campus Transfers from Fall 2008 to Fall 2012.]

- CPAA Freshmen: 309, 288, 294, 241, 270
- Campus Freshmen: 38, 36, 48, 35, 33
- CPAA Transfers: 661, 635, 653, 606, 637
- Campus Transfers: 80, 99, 72, 68, 61
More than 20% of the 1st time transfers in CPA&A are from under-represented groups*.

Across the campus, 17.6% of the new 1st time transfers are from underrepresented groups.

* Includes Black, American-Indian/Alaskan Native, Hispanic, and Multi-race students.

Note: The categories of Native Hawaiian and Multi-race were new in fall 2010.
Percent of 1st Time Freshmen from Underrepresented Groups  Fall 2008 – Fall 2012

- In fall 2012, almost 70% of new first-time freshmen in CPA&A were from underrepresented* groups (compared to a campus average of 44%).

* Includes Black, American-Indian/Alaskan Native, Hispanic, and Multi-race students.

Note: The categories of Native Hawaiian and Multi-race were new in fall 2010.
Undergraduate Students Receiving Financial Aid

- Approximately 68% of CPA&A undergraduates received financial aid in FY12.

- Presidential Award Program Scholarship Recipients
  - 10 CPA&A students received the PAP between the 2003/2004 and 2011/2012 academic years.
  - In 2012/2013, 3 CPA&A students received the PAP.
Section Two: College Full-Time Faculty

Dr. Gwen Jordan
Legal Studies

Dr. Dorine Brand
Public Health

Dr. Tosha Cantrell-Bruce
Public Administration

Dr. Dennis Ruez
Environmental Studies

Dr. Beverly Rivera
Criminal Justice
Tenure Status of Full-time Faculty Fall 2012

- Of the 47 CPA&A full-time faculty, 42 (89.4%) are tenure stream.
- 40.5% of those faculty members are not yet tenured.
Doctorate of Public Administration

Jackie Newman
Exec. Dir., SHA

Scott Swinford
Lt. Col., ILNG

Sarah Mackey
Exec. Dir., SCHH
Race-Ethnicity of Tenure Stream Faculty Fall 2012

- Over 20% of the 42 CPA&A tenure stream faculty, are from under-represented groups.
Since fall 2008, the percentage of tenure stream faculty from underrepresented groups* has increased.

* Includes Black, American-Indian/Alaskan Native, Hispanic, and Multi-race students.
Note: The categories of Native Hawaiian and Multi-race were new in fall 2010.
Median Age of Full-Time Faculty Members Fall 2012

All Faculty
- Tenured:
  52 years old
- Tenure-track:
  41 years old
- Clinical/Visiting
  56 years old

Charles Wheeler
Professor

Dr. Sharron LaFollette
Assoc. Professor

Dr. Michael Miller
Asst. Professor
Teacher/Scholars as Active Scholars

- Kathy DeBarr (Public Health) with M. Pettit, “Perceived Stress, Energy Drink Consumption and Academic Performance among College Students.” *The Journal of American College Health*
- Richard Gilman-Opalsky (Political Science) book *Spectacular Capitalism* honored by Marcuse Society
- Andrew Predmore (Environmental Studies), et al, “Perceptions of Legally Mandated Public Involvement Processes in the US Forest Service.” *Society & Natural Resources*
University Scholar Awards & Distinguished Professorships

- Of the 19 UIS University Scholars, three are from CPA&A.
- The college has two endowed professorships.

Dr. Christopher Mooney
_Distinguished Prof._

Dr. Matthew Holden, Jr.
_Distinguished Prof._

Dr. Doh Shinn
Former Professor

Dr. Barbara Hayler
Professor Emerita
In Summary

- CPA&A track record of producing leaders for Illinois, the region, and beyond
- Increasing diversity among students & faculty
- Faculty with distinguished practitioner & academic careers
- Faculty are teacher/scholars with strong record of public service & scholarship
- Strong growth in graduate programs
Our Future

- Increase enrollments through the addition of high demand undergraduate majors that build on our successes in our graduate programs
- Continue to diversify our student and faculty
- Continue our efforts to internationalize the college curriculum including increasing the number of our students who study abroad
- Increase support for student/faculty research collaboration
Thank You