

## Fall 2025 In-Service

Wednesday, August 20, 2025

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**8:50 am – 12:15 pm Faculty & Staff – EGF Student Commons**

**12:15 pm – 4:00 pm Faculty Sessions – Staff return to home campus**

### AGENDA

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| 8:00 - 8:50 am        | Breakfast & refreshments in EGF Student Commons   |
| <b>8:50 – 9:10 am</b> | <b>All Employee Photo – Front door area</b>   |
| 9:15 – 9:25 am        | New employee introductions – Michelle Benitt, Vice President of Human Resources   |
|                       | Awards and Recognitions   |
| 9:25 – 9:35 am        | HLC update – Dr. John Fields, Vice President of Academic & Student Affairs  |
| 9:40 – 10:15 am       | President’s Update – Dr. Shari Olson, President<br>3 Goals – ongoing work and results<br>Strategic Enrollment Framework Update – “Engage Students Through Transformative Experiences” |
| 10:15 – 10:30 am      | Break   |
| 10:30 – 12:00 pm      | Patrick Kirby – Keynote – Why AI, and Why Now?  |
| 12:00 - 12:30 pm      | Lunch – EGF Cafeteria   |
| 12:30 – 2:30 pm       | <b>Faculty Only - Concurrent Sessions in EGF Student Commons</b>  |
| 12:45 – 1:15 pm       | Patrick Kirby, AI break out session   |
| 1:20 – 1:50 pm        | <b>Executive Leadership</b><br>Dr. Shari Olson, President<br>Kalen Wiseth, Vice President of Finance<br>Michelle Benitt, Vice President of Human Resources                            |



- 1:50 – 2:00 pm     **Cabinet**  
Clinton Castle, Director of Facilities
- 2:00 – 2:15 pm     **Academic & Student Affairs Leadership**  
John Fields, Vice President of Academic & Student Affairs  
Mahogany Morrison, Director of Admissions, Engagement & Retention  
Maura Nelson, Perkins Grant/K-12 Coordinator
- 2:15 – 2:45 pm     **Committee Updates**  
Academic Affairs & Standards Council  
Assessment & Program Review  
Division Chairs: new alignments
- 3:00 – 3:30         MSCF & New Faculty Meeting
- 3:30 – 4:30         **New Employee Reception – EGF Student Commons**



Thursday, August 21, 2025 – 280 EGF / 515 TRF

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**Faculty Only – Remain on home campus**

***Staff – Invited to join for Breakfast***

## AGENDA

8:30 – 9:00 am	<b>Breakfast and refreshments in EGF Commons/TRF Cafeteria</b>	
9:00 – 9:50 am	HLC: Draft Year 4 Assurance Filing & Timeline	EGF 280/ TRF 515
10:00 - 10:50 am	Division & Discipline – Specific Time	

### **DIVISION & DISCIPLINE GROUPS**

### **LOCATION**

#### **Allied Health**

EGF 280/TRF 515

#### **Division Chair: Deb Beland**

Dietetics, EMT, Health Broad Field, Occupational Therapy, Pharmacy, Phlebotomy, Physical Therapist Assistant, Radiologic Technology, Respiratory Therapist, and Surgical Technology

#### **Business**

EGF 234/TRF 263

#### **Division Chair: Bobbie Taylor**

Accounting, Administrative Assistant, Business, Computer Networking, Economics, Marketing & Management, Medical Administrative Assistant, and Sales

#### **Career & Technical Education – Ag & Transportation**

EGF 236/ TRF 635

#### **Division Chair: ADawn Nelson**

Agriculture, Animal Science, Auto Body, Auto Service, Aviation Maintenance, Criminal Justice, Farm Operations, and Uncrewed Systems

#### **Career & Technical Education – Trades & Manufacturing**

EGF 236/ TRF 635

#### **Division Chair: Erin Bulger**

Architectural, Carpentry, Construction Electricity, Construction Plumbing, Fire, Heating Ventilation, Manufacturing, and Welding

#### **Farm Business Management Program**

EGF 292/TRF 605

#### **Program Director: Ron Dvergsten**



**Liberal Arts & Sciences – Science & Math**

EGF 150/TRF 551

**Division Chair: Brent Braga**

Biology, Chemistry, Exercise Science Transfer Pathway, Health & PE, Mathematics, Natural Science, Philosophy, and Physics

**Liberal Arts & Sciences – Social Science & Art**

EGF 150/TRF 551

**Division Chair: Linda Samuelson**

Anthropology, Arts, Early Childhood Education, English, History, Human Relations, Humanities, Music, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, Speech, and Theater

**Nursing, AD**

EGF 280/TRF 515

**Program Director: Kari Koenig (Sabbatical)**

**Nursing, PN**

EGF 280/TRF 515

**Program Director: Lisa Anderson**

11:00 – 12:30 pm

Continuous Improvement

EGF 280/ TRF 515

- ASA aspirational tagline
- Onboarding new faculty
- Academic Coordinator updates – Julie Roisland
- Closing the loop on AY25 continuous improvement projects
- Assessment & Program Review: *Close the loop with Cohort 1, launch Cohort 2, Cohort 3 continues annual assessment*

1:30 – 2:30 pm

Academic Affairs & Standards Council meeting EGF 280/ TRF 515

