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Professors Robert and Ellen Dawley have been teaching for twelve years. They came to Ursinus in 1969 after various appointments at Cornell University and Bowdoin College. Robert received his B.A. in Chemistry, his B.S. in Biology, and his M.S. in Biology at Wayne State University. He then went on to earn his Ph.D. in Biology at the University of Connecticut before beginning to teach. Ellen earned her B.S. in Biology at the Mercy College of Detroit and her M.S. in Biology at the University of Michigan. She then earned her Ph.D. in Biology at the University of Connecticut several years later. Each has written numerous articles and publications about their specific areas of research. Robert has written a book about these interests entitled *Evolution and Ecology of Unisexual Vertebrates*. Ellen's research interests have included the chemosensory systems of various salamander species. Outside of the spacious confines of "The Beagle," Ellen enjoys the piano and singing, as well as gardening and reading. Robert finds time to practice his handyman skills throughout various building projects on the Dawley residence.
Departmental Staff

Security: Cindy Zerr, Gary Hodgson, Gary Hodgson Jr., Dot Taylor, Brian McCullough

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Dr. Robert Davidson

Dr. Robert Davidson is the head of the Ursinus exercise and sports science (ESS) department. He joined the Ursinus staff in 1972 after receiving his B.S. from Northwestern, an M.A. and a certificate of advanced studies from Springfield College. He earned his Ed.D. in sports administration from Temple University. Dr. Davidson was previously the president of the Pennsylvania State Association of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance. He also received the organization's highest honor, the Elmer B. Cottrell Award, in 1993. He was also the president of the Middle Atlantic States Athletic Conference.
Departmental Staff

Career Services: Pat Mancuso, Carla Rinde

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Berman Museum: Melanie Crossan, Nancy Fago

Student Activities: Todd McKinney, Mary Ann McCabe

Library: Carolyn Wiegel, Tami Schlag, Linda Marchetti, Jane Whitman, Joan Rhodes, Theresa Tuscano

Wellness Center: Phyllis Osisek, Dolores Arnold
Dr. Victor Tortorelli

Professor Tortorelli is an accomplished teacher. He received his B.S. from Manhattan College, then earned the Ph.D. in Organic Chemistry at Princeton University, then he began teaching. Dr. Tortorelli, the current chairperson of the Chemistry Department, entered Ursinus in 1981 after a two-year appointment at Haverford College. Professor Tortorelli's research interests are in the field of organometallic chemistry, involving organosilicon chemistry and/or photochemistry. Chemistry students working under Dr. Tortorelli have the opportunity to generate reactive intermediates known as silylenes using photochemical techniques. Aside from academics, Dr. Tortorelli participates in many areas of campus life. He has served on many committees and helped out with various student events such as the Ursinus Spring Service Day in 1995. A resident of Plymouth, Pennsylvania, Dr. Tortorelli enjoys cycling, baseball, and "anything associated with Walt Disney or Yogi Berra."
Dr. Jay K. Miller

Professor Miller, the current chairperson of the Communication Arts department, came to Ursinus in 1985 after teaching for ten years at Rutgers University and working for the Department of State in Washington, D.C. and for a communications consulting firm for four years. He earned his B.A. and M.C.R.P. at Rutgers University, his M.A. at Miami University, and the Ph.D. at The Union Institute before entering the communications industry. At Ursinus, Dr. Miller teaches television production and editing courses. Dr. Miller has also written many papers and articles, including "A Comparison of Japanese and American International News" that was published in the Keio Communications Review. Professor Miller's research interests include an analysis of television news and new communication technology. Outside of Ursinus, Dr. Miller enjoys mountain biking, swimming, and video work.

Karen Cristiano
Dr. Jeannine Czubaroff
Dr. Joyce E. Henry

Dr. Jay K. Miller
Laura Schwartz

Philosophy And Religion Department

Dr. Stewart Goetz

Dr. Stewart Goetz is the head of the Philosophy and Religion department. He began teaching at Ursinus in 1988. Dr. Goetz received his B.S. from Michigan State University, an M.Litt. from Oxford University, and his Ph.D. from the University of Notre Dame. Along with teaching, Dr. Goetz has published several of his writings and reviews in such journals as Faith & Philosophy and The Philosophical Quarterly.

Dr. Stewart Goetz
Dr. Keith Hardman
Dr. Paul Stern
Dr. Colette Hall

Dr. Colette Hall, Professor of French, has a very diverse educational background. Dr. Hall received her undergraduate degree in English at the Universite de Nanterre, a university close to Paris, and her Ph.D. in French at Bryn Mawr College. Before teaching at Ursinus, where she has taught for seventeen years, Dr. Hall served in the Peace Corps. During her distinguished career at Ursinus, Dr. Hall has received such awards as the Lindback Award in 1984 and the Laughlin Professional Achievement Award at last year's commencement ceremonies.

Dr. Hall has done an abundance of research on twentieth century women writers in France. Among her works is a series of essays published in 1991 entitled Redefining Autobiography in Twentieth Century Women's Literature, which she co-edited. In 1994, another work of Dr. Hall, Marie Cardinal, was published. She is currently working on Violette Leduc. Adding to the list of Dr. Hall's work regarding women in literature, Dr. Hall is also the president of an international organization, Women in French.
Physics Department

Dr. Martha Takats

Dr. Martha Takats, chairperson of the Physics Department, can be found teaching such classes as modern physics and math physics as well as instructing physics labs. During her twenty-six years at Ursinus, Dr. Takats has had several abstracts published in various scientific journals. Since working with computers is one of Dr. Takats' main interests, she is currently developing computer software to be used in labs.

Dr. Takats received her B.A. from Wellesley College and received her M.S. at the University of Wisconsin. After earning her Ph.D. at the University of Pennsylvania, Dr. Takats began teaching at Ursinus, where she has been teaching since 1969. Dr. Takats views her time at Ursinus as a very positive and fulfilling experience.

Classics Department

Dr. John Wickersham

Professor John Wickersham, chairman of the Classics Department, came to Ursinus in 1972. Dr. Wickersham earned his A.B. degree in Greek and Latin and his M.A. degree in Greek at the University of Pennsylvania, before beginning his academic career. Later, in 1972 he earned his B.A. degree in Literae Humaniores at Oxford University and the Ph.D. in Classical Philology at Princeton University. Dr. Wickersham has written three books, numerous articles and reviews, and given various public lectures. A resident of Strafford, Pennsylvania, Professor Wickersham enjoys classical and country western music and gardening. In consideration of his experience at Ursinus, "On a normal day it would be carpe diem. On every other day it isn't."
Carol Dole is the head of the English department here at Ursinus. Dr. Dole attended Manhattanville College where she received her B.A. in English. She attended Louisiana State University where she received her M.A. and then went on to Cornell University where she earned her Ph.D. This year is Dr. Dole’s ninth year teaching at Ursinus where she can be found teaching courses in British Literature, Film, World Literature and Writing. Prior to teaching at Ursinus, Dr. Dole began her career as a proofreader in a Wall Street law firm, soon after becoming a paralegal. She then became a copy editor for a literary journal entitled The Southern Review. Finally, while working on her masters degree, she taught at Louisiana State University. In her career, Dr. Dole has had several works published including commentaries on Steven Spielberg’s Adaptation of ‘The Color Purple’ and Harrison Ford’s Star Persona. Dr. Dole is currently preparing for her sabbatical. Outside of teaching at Ursinus, Dr. Dole spends most of her time with her three boys. She also enjoys traveling.
Music Department

John French
Norman David

Anthropology/Sociology Department

Dr. John Kovach
Dr. Dimantino P. Machado
Dr. Regina Oboler

Art Department

Mr. Ted Xarns

Education Department

Dr. Del Engstrom, Dr. Patricia Gross, Dr. Steve Saboe, Dr. Marsha Florio
Most Ursinus students know Dr. Bernard Lentz as Professor and Chairperson of Economics and Business Administration, yet Dr. Lentz has also gained recognition as a result of his fascinating research. During the past several years, Dr. Lentz has had several editorials in the *Philadelphia Inquirer* and *USA Today* regarding his research on the influence of the O.J. Simpson trial on work productivity. For example, some of Dr. Lentz' research focused on the amount of time people spent talking about the trial instead of performing their work tasks. *Sex Discrimination in the Legal Profession*, which was published in 1995 and co-authored with David Lahard, is the most recent of Dr. Lentz' three books.

Dr. Lentz received his B.A. from Oberlin College and received both his M.A. and Ph.D. from Yale University. Prior to teaching at Ursinus, Dr. Lentz at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University as well as State University of New York at Albany. In 1994, Dr. Lentz was the recipient of the Laughlin Professional Achievement Award.

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**The ECBA Department**

Barry N. Bowers, C.P.A.  Dr. Wilfrid W. Csaplar, Jr.  Dr. Andrew J. Economopoulos  Cindy K. Harris, C.P.A.

Dr. Bernard Lentz  Dr. Heather O'Neill  Sally Rapp, Secretary
Dr. Steven J. Hood

Steven Hood, Ph.D., is the head of the politics department at Ursinus. Dr. Hood attended Brigham Young University where he received a bachelors degree in International Relations. He then earned his masters degree at Brigham Young and his Ph.D. at the University of California at Santa Barbara.

This year is Dr. Hood's tenth year teaching at Ursinus where he can be found instructing courses in comparative politics, IR theory, Chinese politics, Japanese politics and political development. In his career, Dr. Hood published a book entitled The Democratization of Taiwan and is currently working on another book, Democratic Virtues and the Prospect for Democracy in China.

Outside of teaching at Ursinus, Dr. Hood is married with three children. In his spare time, he enjoys hiking, fishing, gardening and traveling.

The Politics And IR Department

Dr. J. Houghton Kane

Dr. Nicholas O. Berry

Dr. Paul Stern

Dr. Steven J. Hood

Dr. Gerard J. Fitzpatrick
Dr. Hugh Clark

Hugh Clark, Ph.D., is the head of the history department here at Ursinus. Dr. Clark attended the University of Pennsylvania where he received his bachelor's degree in Political science, then his masters degree and Ph.D. in history.

This year is Dr. Clark's 15th year teaching at Ursinus, where he can be found instructing courses in World History, East Asian History and Historiography. Prior to teaching at Ursinus, Dr. Clark taught part-time both at Haverford College and ran the study abroad program at Penn. He has published one book and is currently working on another.

Last year, Dr. Clark participated in an AIDS ride, in which he biked from Philadelphia to Washington, D.C. in three days. He also enjoys baseball and the outdoors.
Dr. Peter Jessup

Dr. Peter Jessup, professor and chairperson of mathematics and computer science, has had a great influence on the Ursinus community during his 23 years here. After bringing computing to Ursinus, Dr. Jessup served as the head of academic computing for 15 years. He received his A.B. from Kenyon College, his M.S. from Villanova University, and his Ph.D. from Lehigh University. Prior to teaching at Ursinus, Dr. Jessup taught at Clarkson College, which is an engineering school school now named Clarkson University. Presently Dr. Jessup teaches such classes as computer science and statistics. In addition to his work dealing with computers, Dr. Jessup is also interested in model railroads and photography.

Front - Dr. Hagelgans, Dr. Jessup, Dr. Lorenz
Back - Dr. Neslen, Dr. Shuck
Dr. Catherine Chambliss

Dr. Chambliss is the head of the psychology department at Ursinus. She began teaching here in 1979 after receiving her B.S. from Yale University and her M.S. and Ph.D. from the University of Miami. In addition to teaching, Dr. Chambliss has had numerous publications. Outside of her life at Ursinus, Dr. Chambliss has four children; three sons and one daughter. She also enjoys escaping in her garden. Dr. Chambliss commented on how she has greatly enjoyed watching students take on greater leadership roles in community and volunteer projects associated with the department. She feels that students function more as professionals by the time they are seniors which helps them obtain the respect they deserve.
Right: Those endless hours in the museum seem to finally be getting to Lisa Barnes.

Below: President Strassburger and his right hand, Eileen Hughes.

Above: Dr. Xaras show a student the importance of shading.

Right: Dr. Neslen and family.
Left: Does someone have a little problem they need to talk about?

Below: Physical Plant guys go for a joy ride.

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Nancy Bates - English
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Keith Brand - Communication Arts
Kathy Caruso - Psychology
Pam Chlad - ESS
Stacy Gayman - Modern Languages
Barbara Knapp - ESS
Zell Kravinsky - English
Bonita Luttcher - Modern Languages
John Martin - Physics
Margo McMahon - Psychology
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Donna Monheit - Modern Languages
Peter Perreton - English
Connie Poley - ESS
Derk Visser - History
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