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NEW FACULTY
2008-2009

Gordon Ford College of Business

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Management

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Residence, Management

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University, Assistant Professor,
Computer Information Systems

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Special Instructional Programs

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Student Affairs

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Administration, Leadership and
Research

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Special Instructional Programs

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Educational Administration,
Leadership and Research

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Programs

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Instruction

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Professor, Educational
Administration, Leadership, and
Research

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University, Assistant Professor,
Curriculum and Instruction

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Florida, Assistant Professor,
Psychology

Ogden College of Science and Engineering

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Mathematics

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University, Visiting Assistant
Professor, Mathematics

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Kentucky University, Instructor,
Geography and Geology

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Professor, Physics and Astronomy

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Geography and Geology

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South Florida, Assistant Professor,
Geography and Geology

Steven Gibson, Ph.D., University of
Wisconsin – Madison, Assistant
Professor, Physics and Astronomy

Kristie Guffey, M.S., Murray State
University, Instructor, Agriculture

Charles Kimwele, Ph.D., University
of St. Andrews, Visiting Assistant
Professor, Biology

Stephen King, Ph.D., Oklahoma
State University, Assistant
Professor, Agriculture

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University, Assistant Professor,
Physics and Astronomy

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Calgary, Visiting Assistant
Professor, Physics and Astronomy

Travis Olson, A.B.D., University of
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Professor, Mathematics

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Geography and Geology

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Visiting Assistant Professor,
Geography and Geology

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Professor, Mathematics

College of Health and Human Services

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Pittsburg, Assistant Professor,
Physical Education and Recreation

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Birmingham, Assistant Professor,
Public Health

Potter College of Arts and Letters

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Kentucky University, Instructor,
English

David Bell, Ph.D., University of
Cincinnati, Assistant Professor,
English

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University, Assistant Professor,
Theatre and Dance

Ingrid Cartwright, Ph.D.,
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Professor, Art

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History

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Studies and Anthropology

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Photojournalist-in-Residence,
School of Journalism and
Broadcasting

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Instructor, Philosophy and Religion

Adrian Switzer, Ph.D., Loyola
University – Chicago, Assistant
Professor, Philosophy and Religion

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University, Assistant Professor,
Political Science

Bowling Green Community College

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Kentucky University, Assistant
Professor, Health Sciences

University Libraries

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University of Kentucky, Assistant
Professor, Library Special
Collections

Other Changes Within Academic Affairs

Richard Bowker, Ph.D., Northern
Arizona University, Dean, Graduate
Studies and Research

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Biology

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Northwestern University, Interim
Department Head, Counseling and
Student Affairs

William Hey, Ph.D., Southern
Illinois University – Carbondale,
Department Head, Physical
Education and Recreation

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Head, Engineering

Richard Weigel, Ph.D., University
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Head, Modern Languages

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Stacy Wilson, Ph.D., Tennessee
Technological University,
Co-Interim Department Head,
Engineering

Uta Ziegler, Ph.D., Florida State
University, Assistant Department
Head, Computer Science