



THE
GRADUATE SCHOOL

Graduate Faculty Mentors of the Year Award Winners

2025

Tara Brown, *Teaching and Learning, Policy and Leadership*

Kang Namkoong, *Communication*

Abani Pradhan, *Nutrition and Food Science*

Rachel Romeo, *Human Development and Quantitative Methodology*

Linda Steiner, *Journalism*

Chandra Turpen, *Physics*

2024

Jie Chen, *Health Policy Management*

Sonalde Desai, *Sociology*

Laura Duncanson, *Geographical Sciences*

Catherine Knight Steele, *Communication*

Jessica Magidson, *Psychology*

Xiaoli Nan, *Communication*

Marisa Parham, *English*

Tracy Riggins, *Psychology*

Zeena Zakharia, *Counseling, Higher Education, and Special Education*

Carina Zelaya, *Communication*

2023

Jessica Fisher, *Family Science*

Sharon Fries-Britt, *Counseling, Higher Education, and Special Education*

Bridget Kelly, *Counseling, Higher Education, and Special Education*

Susan Moeller, *Journalism*

Robyn Muncy, *History*

Neil Sehgal, *Health Policy and Management*

Marie Thoma, *Family Science*

Carly Woods, *Communication*



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2022

Anna Alberini, *Agricultural Resource Economics*
Perla Guerrero, *American Studies*
Siv Lie, *Music*
Brooke Liu, *Communication*
Candace Moore, *Counseling, Higher Education and Special Education*
Maria Polinsky, *Linguistics*
Sushant Ranadive, *Kinesiology*
Karin Roseblatt, *History*
Cixin Wang, *Counseling, Higher Education and Special Education*
David Weintrop, *Teaching and Learning, Policy and Leadership*
Delores Ziegler, *Music*

2021

David Andrews, *Kinesiology*
Melissa Blanco Borelli, *Theatre, Dance and Performance Studies*
Karen Carleton, *Biology*
Naomi Feldman, *Linguistics*
Claudia Galindo, *Teaching and Learning, Policy and Leadership*
Amanda Lazar, *Information Studies*
Kevin McIver, *Cell Biology and Molecular Genetics*
Nancy Mirabal, *American Studies*
Elizabeth Redcay, *Psychology*
Sergii Skakun, *Geographical Sciences*

2020

Elizabeth Aparicio, *Behavioral and Community Health*
Andrew Brantlinger, *Teaching and Learning, Policy and Leadership*
Peter Carruthers, *Philosophy*
John Dickerson, *Computer Science*
Michelle Espino, *Counseling, Higher Education, and Special Education*
Shannon Jette, *Kinesiology*
Paul Paukstelis, *Biochemistry*
Martin Rabenhorst, *Environmental Science and Technology*
Anita Atwell Seate, *Communication*
Sivakumar Viswanathan, *Decisions, Operations, and Information Technology*



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2019

Trevor Parry-Giles, *Communication*

Antony Jose, *Cell Biology and Molecular Genetics*

Geetha Ramani, *Human Development and Quantitative Methodology*

Amy Lewin, *Family Science*

2018

Steven Jay, *Bioengineering*

Amna Kirmani Khawaja, *Marketing*

Erik Lichtenberg, *Agricultural and Resource Economics*

Karen O'Brien, *Psychology*

Ashwini Tambe, *Women's Studies*

2017

Christopher Jewell, *Bioengineering*

Ellen Lau, *Linguistics*

Shawn Parry Giles, *Communication*

Laura Stapleton, *Human Development and Quantitative Methodology*

2016

Faetra Carpenter, *Theatre, Dance and Performance Studies*

Sangeetha Madhavan, *African American Studies*

Edmond Shenassa, *Maternal and Child Health*

Allan Wigfield, *Human Development and Quantitative Methodology*

2015

John Fisher, *Bioengineering*

Mohammad Hajiaghayi, *Computer Science*

Jeffrey Harring, *Human Development and Quantitative Methodology*

Linda Valli, *Teaching and Learning, Policy and Leadership*

2014

Ricardo Araneda, *Biology*

Augusta Lynn Bolles, *Women's Studies*

Jonathan Dinman, *Cell Biology and Molecular Genetics*

Jessica Enoch, *English*

Jason Rudy, *English*



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2013

Rajshree Agarwal, *Business and Management*

Laura Demaria, *Spanish and Portuguese*

Ben Shneiderman, *Computer Science*

Psyche Williams-Forson, *American Studies*

2012

Andrew Elby, *Teaching and Learning, Policy and Leadership*

Elke Frederiksen, *School of Languages, Literatures, and Cultures*

James Hagberg, *Kinesiology*

KerryAnn O'Meara, *Counseling, Higher Education and Special Education*

2011

Gregory Hancock, *Human Development and Quantitative Methodology*

Melanie Killen, *Human Development and Quantitative Methodology*

Megan Peercy, *Curriculum and Instruction*

Colin Phillips, *Linguistics*