

Office of the President

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Daemen College Faculty and Staff

Dear Colleagues,

I hope you are having a productive semester. I am writing with an exciting update regarding the college's advancement operations.

In an effort to be more strategic and aligned with our vision and mission, we have decided to restructure the area of Institutional Advancement. Moving forward, Vice President Emily Burns Perryman will be the Vice President for Marketing and Communications and oversee the areas of marketing, communications and publications.

We have just hired an Associate Vice President for Development, Tony Fulgenzio, who will oversee the areas of major gifts, annual giving, alumni relations and advancement services. He will report directly to the Office of the President. Special events—outside of the annual scholarship gala—will fall under Kara Kane who will be transitioning to Student Affairs.

Tony comes to Daemen with more than 20 years of extensive fundraising experience. He spent over 17 years at Gannon University where he built a robust fundraising operation and secured numerous six-figure gifts for the institution. He has also held leadership fundraising roles at Lake Erie Community College and Mercyhurst. Tony will begin his work with us on March 1 and will join us on campus beginning March 21.

Please help me welcome Tony to the Daemen family: anthonyfulgenzio@gmail.com

I am confident this new model will serve the college well as we continue to become more sophisticated.

Cordially,

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President