Highline College Academic Affairs Organzational Chart

INTERIM VICE PRESIDENT FOR ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

DR. ROLITA FLORES EZEONU

- ACCREDITATION LIAISON OFFICER

Senior Director, Academic Affairs
Carrie Davidson

- AA Division Administration
- Executive Level Support to VPAA
- Faculty Operations
- Faculty Contract Compliance & Labor Relations
- Facilities & Campus Liaison
- Program Specialist Team Leader
- Tenure & Promotion Management

Director, Instructional Planning & Budgets
Kim Hassell

- Budget Management
- Faculty Stipend Lead
- Finance Division Liaison
- Fiscal Trainer for Academic Affairs

Dean, Academic Services & Transfer Pathways
Liz Word

- Academic Pathways Planning & Articulation
- AI Committee Co-Chair
- Curricular Learning Communitites & College Success
- Curriculum
- Faculty Advising
- Honors
- Instructional Scheduling
- Teaching Innovation Development Lab(TIDL)
- Testing Center
- Faculty Administrative Assistants (Humanities)

Dean, Workforce Pathways
Jodi Novotny

- Curriculum Management
- Nursing*
- Perkins Grant Management
- Professional Technical Education*
- Workforce Education
- Faculty Administrative Assistants (Business, Health, P.E.,Education, & Math)

Dean, Workforce Partnerships & Extended Learning
Gabrielle Bachmeier

- Continuing Education: Contract Training, Community & Personal Enrichment
- High School Engagement & Academic Success (HSEAS)
- MaST Center Aquarium
- The Hub: Federal Way Higher Education Center
- Faculty Administrative Assistants (Social Science & PAS)

Associate Dean, Accessibility Resources
Jenni Sandler

- Access Services
- Accessible Technology
- Accessibility Task Force Co-Chair
- Accessibility Resources
- Achieve
- Community & Employment Services
- Neurodiversity Access & Accommodations

Associate Dean, ELCAP
Steve Washburn

- ABE/GED
- IBEST
- Non-Credit ESOL
- ORIA Grant Management
- Puget Sound Welcome Back Center
- Transition Success Center

Associate Dean, Library & Learning Resources
Gerie Ventura

- Academic Success Center
- Digital Literacy
- Library
- MESA
- Reference Librarians

Associate Dean, Workforce Pathways
Dr. Tanya Powers

- BAS Programs
- Workforce Navigation & Advising
- Education Program Data Specialist & Certifying Office

Division Chair, Arts & Humanities
Gayatri Sirohi
Sangeeta Sangha (Fall 2026)

- Public Speaking Center
- Writing Center
- Communication Studies & Journalism
- English/Film Studies
- Music
- Philosophy
- World Languages
- HONORS
- Library Technician*
- Art & Design*
- Fine Art & Multimedia Design*
- BAS-Integrated Design*

Division Chair, Business
Sam Alkhalili

- Accounting*
- Business*
- Business Technology*
- Hospitality & Tourism Management *
- Healthcare Professions*
- Paralegal Studies*
- Criminal Justice*
- BAS-Business Management*

Division Chair, Health, PE, & Education
Darin Smith

- Counseling
- Physical Education
- Education*
- Nursing*
- Respiratory Care*
- BAS-Early Childhood Education: Leadership & Inclusive Practices*
- BAS-ElementaryEducation*
- BAS-Education*
- BAS-Respiratory Care*

Division Chair, Pure & Applied Science
Cait Cramer

- Computer Science
- Engineering
- Life, Ocean. & General Science
- Mathematics
- Math Resource Center
- Physical Science
- Computer Information Systems*
- BAS-Cybersecurity and Digital Forensics*

Division Chair, Social Sciences
Dr. Diego Luna

- Anthropology
- Economics
- English Language Career & Academic Prep (ELCAP)
- Ethnic & Gender Studies
- Geography
- History
- Psychology
- Political Science
- Sociology
- Human Services*
- BAS-Human Services*
- BAS-Youth Development*

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