COLLEGE OF PERFORMANCE, VISUALIZATION AND FINE ARTS

General Statement

The College of Performance, Visualization and Fine Arts is the home of the visual and performing arts at Texas A&M University. The college offers students the opportunity to prepare for careers in creative practices and to develop intellectual responsiveness to the problems, questions, and values that will confront them in their professions and as lifelong learners.

The faculty of the college includes artists, computer scientists, designers, historians, performers, creative technologists, and critical theorists. At the foundation of the college's academic programs is an interdisciplinary approach to exploring where art, science, technology and theory combine through dance, music, theater, and visual art and design.

Undergraduate degrees are offered in Performance and Visual Studies, Dance Science, and Visualization with undergraduate minors in Art, Choreography, Dance Performance, Devised Theatre, Film and Media Studies, Game Design and Development, Graphic Design, Music, Music Technology, Performance Studies, Studio Art, and Virtual Production and an undergraduate certificate in Performing Social Activism.

Graduate degrees include the Master of Arts in Performance Studies, Master of Fine Arts in Visualization, and Master of Science in Visualization. Graduate Certificates are offered in Film and Media Studies and in Popular Culture.

Faculty

Adinku, Grace, Senior Lecturer
School of Visualization & Performance Arts Department
PHD, Kwame Nkrumah University, 2013

Akleman, Ergun, Professor
School of Visualization & Performance Arts Department
PHD, Georgia Institute of Technology, 1992

Andreassen, Mayet Maria, Instructional Assistant Professor
School of Visualization & Performance Arts Department
MFA, School of Animation and Visual Effects, 2006

Armstrong, Carisa, Associate Professor
School of Visualization & Performance Arts Department
MFA, Case Western Reserve University, 2002

Ball III, James R, Associate Professor
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PHD, New York University, 2012

Bedford, Diane, Clinical Associate Professor
School of Visualization & Performance Arts Department
MFA, The Florida State University, 2010

Bergeron, Christine, Clinical Professor
School of Visualization & Performance Arts Department
MFA, Florida State University, 1998

Bieber, Susanne C, Associate Professor
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PHD, Freie Universitat Berlin, 2012

Bologan, Anatol, Instructional Assistant Professor
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MFA, Texas A&M University, 2018

Boone, Jessica, Lecturer
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MFA, The University of Utah, 2023

Budzise-Weaver, Tina, Associate Professor
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MLS, University of North Texas, 2012

Bujnoch, Emily J, Instructional Assistant Professor
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MFA, Texas A&M University, 2022

Campbell, Matthew, Lecturer
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PHD, The Ohio State University, 2019

Cardoso De Cardoso, Leonardo, Associate Professor
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PHD, The University of Texas at Austin, 2013
MMU, The University of Texas at Austin, 2010

Cartwright, John, Lecturer
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MFA, The Ohio State University, 2023

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MFA, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2023

Connor III, William Klugh, Lecturer
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PHD, Royal Holloway University of London, 2012

Cook, Meg, Instructional Assistant Professor
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MFA, Texas A&M University, 2019

Dexter, Rayna M, Instructional Associate Professor
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MFA, Kent State University, 2009

Donkor, David A, Associate Professor
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PHD, Northwestern University, 2008

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PHD, University of California, LA, 2009
MMU, California State University, Fullerton, 2006

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MFA, Maryland Institute College of Art, 2000
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Galanter, Philip, Associate Professor
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MFA, School of Visual Arts, 1999

Gayk, Michael, Instructional Associate Professor
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MFA, University of Washington, 2001

Gibson, Elijah, Lecturer
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MFA, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 2013

Goodman, Jeanne, Clinical Associate Professor
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MLS, Simmons College, 2012

Guerra, Merli, Assistant Professor
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MFA, Rutgers University, Mason Gross School of the Arts, 2021

Honeycutt, Amanda J, Instructional Associate Professor
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MFA, Texas A&M University Commerce, 2020

Honeycutt, Wade, Lecturer
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House, Felice L, Associate Professor
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MFA, The University of Texas at Austin, 2011

Howard, Benjamin, Lecturer
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MFA, Florida State University, 2020

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BFA, Ivanovo Art institute, 1987

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PHD, University of Texas at Austin, 2018
MMU, University of Texas at Austin, 2012

Lafayette, Carol J, Professor
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MFA, University of Buffalo - The State University of New York, 1991

Leiderman, Daniil M, Instructional Assistant Professor
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PHD, Princeton University, 2016

Li, Xin, Professor
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PHD, Stony Brook University, 2008

Marini, Francesca, Associate Professor
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DLS, University of California at Los Angeles, 2005

McLaughlin, Timothy D, Associate Professor
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MS, Texas A&M University, 1994

McNamara, Ann M, Professor
School of Visualization & Performance Arts Department
PHD, University of Bristol, UK, 2000

Misemer, Sarah M, Professor
School of Visualization & Performance Arts Department
PHD, University of Kansas, 2001

Morris, Jeffrey M, Professor
School of Visualization & Performance Arts Department
PHD, University of North Texas, 2007

Perez, Francisco, Instructional Assistant Professor
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PHD, University of Kentucky, 2018
MMU, University of Kentucky, 2015

Pooley, Alexandra, Assistant Professor
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MFA, Trinity Laban Conservatoire of Dance, 2019

Pugh, Rebecca, Instructional Assistant Professor
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MFA, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, 2015

Quackenbush Ammons, Anne E, Instructional Assistant Professor
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BA, Scripps College, 1986

Ramadan, Hadeel M, Instructional Associate Professor
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MFA, Virginia Tech, 2014

Regan, Martin P, Professor
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PHD, University of Hawai'i at Manoa, 2006

Rojas-Munoz, Edgar, Assistant Professor
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PHD, Purdue University, 2020

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PHD, Texas A&M University, 2011
MFA, Regent University, 2015

Schuld, Dawna L, Associate Professor
School of Visualization & Performance Arts Department
PHD, The University of Chicago, 2009

Seo, Jinsil, Associate Professor
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PHD, Simon Fraser University, 2011
MFA, School of Visual Arts, 2004

Smith, Mason, Instructional Assistant Professor
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MS, Texas A&M University, 2018

Spalink, Angenette Marie, Assistant Professor
School of Visualization & Performance Arts Department
PHD, Bowling Green State University, 2014

Starrett, Courtney, Associate Professor
School of Visualization & Performance Arts Department
MFA, Temple University, 2005

Sullivan, Patrick, Instructional Assistant Professor
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PHD, University of Rochester, 2022

Sutherland, Susan D, Lecturer
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MA, University of Wisconsin, Madison, 1994

Tao, Jian, Assistant Professor
School of Visualization & Performance Arts Department
PHD, Washington University in St. Louis, 2008

Tassinary, Louis G, Professor
School of Visualization & Performance Arts Department
JD, Boston College, 2003
PHD, Dartmouth College, 1984

Thibault, Aaron, Associate Professor of Practice
School of Visualization & Performance Arts Department
BS, University of Texas, Austin, 2004

Thomas, Andre, Associate Professor of The Practice
School of Visualization & Performance Arts Department
MFA, Laguna College of Art and Design, 2017

Tong, Wai, Instructional Assistant Professor
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PHD, The Hong Kong University of Science & Techology, 2023

Uchacz, Tianna, Assistant Professor
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PHD, University of Toronto, 2016

Vigus, Glen, Lecturer
School of Visualization & Performance Arts Department
MED, Texas A&M University, 2005

Walsh, Michael, Associate Professor of the Practice
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MFA, University of Southern California, 2001

Wilborn, David F, Associate Professor
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PHD, The University of Texas at Austin, 1994

Woodfin, Samuel, Instructional Assistant Professor
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MFA, Laguna College of Art and Design, 2018

Majors

School of Performance, Visualization and Fine Arts

- Bachelor of Arts in Performance and Visual Studies (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/performance-visual-studies-ba/)
- Bachelor of Science in Dance Science (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/dance-science-bs/)
- Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology, Dance Science Track (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/kinesiology-bs-dance-science-track/)
- Bachelor of Science in Visualization (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/visualization-bs/)

Minors

School of Performance, Visualization and Fine Arts

- Art Minor (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/art-minor/)
- Choreography Minor (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/choreography-minor/)
- Dance Minor (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/dance-minor/)
- Dance Performance Minor (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/dance-performance-minor/)
- Devised Theatre Minor (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/devised-theatre-minor/)
- Film and Media Studies Minor (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/film-media-studies-minor/)
- Game Design and Development Minor (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/game-design-development-minor/)
- Graphic Design Minor (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/graphic-design-minor/)
- Music Minor (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/music-minor/)
- Music Technology Minor (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/music-technology-minor/)
- Performance Studies Minor (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/performance-studies-minor/)
- Studio Art Minor (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/studio-art-minor/)
- Virtual Production Minor (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/virtual-production-minor/)

Certificates

School of Performance, Visualization and Fine Arts

- Performing Social Activism Certificate (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/performance-visualization-fine-arts/performing-social-activism-certificate/)

Masters

School of Performance, Visualization and Fine Arts

- Master of Arts in Performance Studies (http://catalog.tamu.edu/graduate/colleges-schools-interdisciplinary/performance-visualization-fine-arts/performance-studies-ma/)
- Master of Fine Arts in Visualization (http://catalog.tamu.edu/graduate/colleges-schools-interdisciplinary/performance-visualization-fine-arts/visualization-mfa/)
- Master of Science in Visualization (http://catalog.tamu.edu/graduate/colleges-schools-interdisciplinary/performance-visualization-fine-arts/visualization-ms/)