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Assistant Professor of Education; Chair, Department of Education. B.S.E., Williams Baptist College; M.S.E., Arkansas State University; Ph.D., University of Arkansas.

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Sloan Professor of Business; Chair, Division of Professional Studies. A.A., Williams Baptist College; B.S. and M.S., University of Arkansas; Ph.D., Georgia State University.

Summer DeProw, 1997

Associate Professor of Business; Chair, Department of Business. B.S., M.B.A., S.C.C.T., Arkansas State University; currently enrolled Ph.D., University of Mississippi.

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Assistant Professor of Religion. B.A., Oklahoma Baptist University; M.Div. and Ph.D., The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary.

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Professor of English; Chair, Department of English and Communication Arts; Chair, Division of Arts and Sciences. A.A., Williams Baptist College; B.S.E. and M.A., Arkansas State University; further study Indiana University, University of Memphis, University of Arkansas.

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H. E. Williams Professor of Religion; Chair, Department of Christian Ministries. B.A., Hannibal-LaGrange College; M.Div.BL and Ph.D., Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

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Professor of Music; Chair, Department of Music; Director of Choral Activities. B.C.M., William Carey University; M.C.M., Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary; D.M.A., University of Southern Mississippi; further study, Conservatorio Nacional de Bogota.

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Associate Professor of Biology. B.S., SUNY-Binghamton; M.S. Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey; Ph.D., University of Miami.

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