



HIGHLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE

5 YEARS

**KRISTIN
AKINS**

5 YEARS

Automotive Instructor



STACEY BENKERT

Coordinator, Student Accounts

- I'm a fan of Chicago Sport Teams including the Bears, Cubs, and especially the Blackhawks!
- I enjoy reading and participating in book clubs.
- I love vacationing at the beach in South Carolina.

5 YEARS



WESLEY BERTRAM

Student Advisor

5 YEARS

- I have two pets that I consider to be my children: Mox: a 13-breed Shih Tzu Mutt, and Zoe: an African Grey Parrot who can speak over a hundred words.
- I'm a 3rd generation Cheesehead.
- I'm considered to be an amateur Geology enthusiast (Rock on)!



STEVE

CURRAN

Earth Sciences/Geography Instructor

5 YEARS

- Every summer me and my family go to the Pacific Coast.
- My favorite food is coffee.
- I have researched tornadoes most of my life, but I have yet to see one.



STEPHANIE

5 YEARS

EYMANN

Dean, Nursing & Allied Health



TRINETTA HOLMES

5 YEARS

Administrative Assistant, Upward Bound

- I enjoy spending time with my family.
- I love traveling.
- I enjoy good food.



MICHAEL LARUSH

Custodian

5 YEARS

- I'm a proud employee of Highland who enjoys being able to help service the community.
- I enjoy spending time with my family.
- I enjoy listening to music.



ALYSSA

LIPINSKI

Digital Media & Creative Specialist

5 YEARS

- My husband and I have three indoor cats(Arwen, Tonks, & Poppy), three rats(Lloyd, Charlie, & Peter), three outdoor cats(Crookshanks, Cassie, & Hissy), and one guinea pig(Louise).
- I'm a huge Hockey Fan
- My Hogwarts house is Ravenclaw



STACEY MOORE

*Executive Assistant, VP Student Development
& Support Services*

- I'm a huge crime junkie fan.
- I love all things outdoors.
- My mom drove a semi truck for Barnum and Bailey's 3 ring circus, and I performed with them when I was 11 years old. We traveled with them during that whole summer.

5 YEARS



BRUCE

5 YEARS

PITTLUCK

IT Support Specialist



LIZ

5 YEARS

HAMILTON

Administrative Assistant, Project Succeed

- I need a Mountain Dew to survive.
- I saw Lil Wayne in person, so I can die happy
- I would sacrifice my best friend if an Acromantula (Harry Potter spider) was chasing me.





HIGHLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE

10 YEARS

KEVIN

10 YEARS

REMREY

Lead Custodian – 3rd Shift

- I enjoy working at Highland
- Working at Highland has put balance into my life that I didn't have at my previous factory job. My position allows me to spend time with my wife, son, and grandson.
- I love music! I have played guitar in numerous bands over the last 30 years. I am currently a part of 3 bands, and one of them is a Tom Petty tribute band called "Moon Fever".





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20 YEARS

PAUL RABIDEAU

Psychology Instructor

20 YEARS



DANNY TUFARIELLO

English Instructor

20 YEARS

- I have taught at Highland full-time 21 years.
- My streaming history is full of supernatural horror and stand-up comedy.
- My New Year's resolution is to return to reading books on actual paper.





HIGHLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE

25 YEARS

SAMUEL

25 YEARS

FIORENZA

English Instructor



MICHAEL

SOPCIC

Custodian

25 YEARS



LAURA WATSON

Reference Librarian

25 YEARS

- Moonlights as a church organist.
- I am obsessively learning the Dutch language (Nederlands).
- I can recite the alphabet backwards.



PAT DUNN

Director of Operations - Foundation

30 YEARS

- I enjoy spending time with my friends, Highland family, and my four legged kids.
- I enjoy smiling, laughing, and being able to help others.
- I have a good time boating and 4 wheeling.



MADONNA

30 YEARS

KEENEY

Bookstore Manager



ALAN NOWICKI

Biology Instructor

30 YEARS





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