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As the newest Faculty at the University of Alberta, Augustana is also one of the oldest educational institutions in the province. Augustana was founded as Camrose Lutheran College in 1910 by an association of Norwegian immigrant congregations. In its early years, it was primarily a high school recognized for the quality of its academic program and its endeavour to provide an education that extended beyond the intellect to “the heart and its affections.” The College began offering university courses in the fall of 1959 as an affiliated college of the University of Alberta, and added a second year of university transfer in 1969. It became a university college in 1985, when its first B.A. degrees were granted. Augustana took its present name in 1991. The name refers to a Lutheran confession published in Augsburg in 1536, which became known more commonly in Scandinavia as “the Augustana.”

At the time Augustana University College officially merged with the University of Alberta, on July 1, 2004, it granted baccalaureate degrees in arts, sciences, music, and management.

Augustana Faculty is committed to building on its reputation for rigorous, high-quality teaching. It offers small classes and personal attention from professors who are passionate about what they teach and who exemplify the kind of inquiry, creativity, and critical ethical reflection that they encourage of students. Augustana is also known for its experiential learning opportunities, internationally and in wilderness settings, and its fine arts, Nordic sports, and campus life programs. It is proud of its rural location, but its student body is drawn from across Alberta, Canada, and the world.

Augustana Faculty teaches about 1000 undergraduate students on picturesque residential campus in the small city of Camrose, 90 km southeast of Edmonton.

## 51 The Professors

### Members of the Faculty

#### Officers of the Faculty

**Acting Dean**  
RI Epp, PhD

**Associate Dean, Academic Programs**  
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H-D Mündel, PhD

#### Faculty Departments

##### Fine Arts

**Associate Professor and Chair**  
KB Harder, MVA (Art)

**Professors**  
PE Johnson, MA (Drama)  
MR Schlosser, DMus (Music)

**Associate Professors**  
KA Corcoran, MMus (Music)  
KB Harder, MVA (Art)

**Assistant Professors**  
AT Hoefnagels, PhD (Music)  
A-ML Link, PhD (Art)  
LA Ries, DMus (Music)  
K Sutley, MFA (Drama)

##### Humanities

**Professor and Chair**  
PW Harland, PhD (English)

**Professors**  
DW Dahle, PhD (Classical Studies)  
PW Harland, PhD (English)  
JG Johansen, PhD (English)  
PM Merklinger, PhD (Philosophy)  
H-D Mündel, PhD (Religious Studies)  
HVS Prest, PhD (English)  
JO Spencer, PhD (French)

**Associate Professors**  
KI Fordham, PhD (German)  
RD Milbrandt, PhD (English)  
IK Urberg, PhD (Scandinavian Studies)  
JLC Waschenfelder, PhD (Religious Studies)

**Assistant Professor**  
VH Fielding, MA (French)

##### Physical Education

**Associate Professor and Chair**  
YM Becker, MA

**Associate Professors**  
M Asfeldt, MSc  
YM Becker, MA  
SL Lorenz, MA  
GD Snyder, MSc

##### Sciences

**Associate Professor and Chair**  
NC Haave, PhD (Biology)

**Professors**  
HA Carter, PhD (Chemistry)  
WW Hackborn, PhD (Mathematics and Computing Science)  
J Hoddinott, PhD (Biology)  
DG Larson, PhD (Biology)  
JJJ Mohr, PhD (Computing Science and Music)  
M Mucz, PhD (Biology)  
JO Olson, PhD (Chemistry)

**Associate Professors**  
D Audet, PhD (Biology)  
NC Haave, PhD (Biology)  
GT Hvenegaard, PhD (Geography)  
ML Lauber, MEd (Mathematics)  
GM Lotz, PhD (Physics and Mathematics)

##### Social Science

**Acting Chair**  
CH Beck, PhD

**Professors**  
RI Epp, PhD (Political Studies)  
TW Parker, PhD (Psychology)

**Associate Professors**  
JW Horley, PhD (Psychology)  
VA Manaloor, PhD (Economics)  
PF Marentette, PhD (Psychology)  
P Mirejovsky, PhD (History)  
R-V Palo, MSc (History)

**Assistant Professors**  
Y Fahmy, PhD (Economics)  
KC Hatt, PhD (Sociology)  
JM McTaggart, PhD (Sociology)  
M Méthot, PhD (History)  
GB Osborne, PhD (Sociology)  
SC Wilton, MA (Political Studies)

#### Additional Members of Faculty Council

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RE Hook, BA  
D Kilarski, STM  
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DG Swanson, BSc  
BN Vall, MMFTh

**Head Librarian – Augustana**  
NE Goebel, MLIS

**Reference Librarians**  
A Mandeville, MLIS  
PJ Neff, MLIS

**Sessional Staff**  
2 Representatives – 1 Full-Time,  
1 Part-Time

**Non-Academic Staff**  
2 Representatives

**Student Representatives**  
President, Augustana Faculty Students' Association  
5 Additional representatives, 1 from each academic department

## 52 Programs of Study

As a Faculty of the University of Alberta, Augustana will offer four-year degree programs that have been approved by the General Faculties Council.

For updated information on Augustana Faculty programs, please consult the Augustana Faculty website at [www.augustana.ca](http://www.augustana.ca), or phone the Prospective Student Office at 1-800-661-8714 or (780) 679-1132.

**Note:** For Augustana Faculty's academic events schedule and its 2005-2006 Calendar, see [www.augustana.ca](http://www.augustana.ca).