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Dr. Lia Paradis, Co-Director
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Asian Studies Program
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Tenured/Tenure-Track Faculty=9
Temporary and Part-Time Faculty=1

Department of Dance
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Ms. Melanie Martin, Secretary
Tenured/Tenure-Track Faculty=6
Temporary and Part-Time Faculty=3
Professional Staff=1

Department of Music
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Dr. Colleen Gray, Chair
Ms. Laurel Patterson, Secretary
Tenured/Tenure-Track Faculty=12
Temporary and Part-Time Faculty=15
Professional Staff=1

Department of Theatre
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Tenured/Tenure-Track Faculty=5
Temporary and Part-Time Faculty=0
Professional Staff=1

Division of Social Sciences

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Tenured/Tenure-Track Faculty=6
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Temporary and Part-Time Faculty=7

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Temporary and Part-Time Faculty=3

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Temporary and Part-Time Faculty=4

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Temporary and Part-Time Faculty=9

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Temporary and Part-Time Faculty=1

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Temporary and Part-Time Faculty=7

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Temporary and Part-Time Faculty=0