



PRESIDENT'S YEARS-OF-SERVICE RECOGNITION CEREMONY

2024 • The Larini Room at Molloy University • Public Square

PROGRAM

Master of Ceremonies

Lisa Miller, MSILR
Assistant Vice President for Human Resources
and Title IX Coordinator

Invocation

Catherine Tully Muscente, B.A.'02, M.B.A.'08
Vice President for Mission and Ministry

Presider

James P. Lentini, D.M.A.
President

Ten Year Service Awards

Twenty Year Service Awards

Twenty-Five Year Service Awards

Thirty Year Service Award



10 YEARS



Matthew Applegate, Ph.D.

Associate Professor, Associate Dean, Chair
English Department



Lori Bettineschi

Driver
Transportation



Joyce Borelli
B.S. '20, M.S. '24 (anticipated)

Program Manager
Office of Research, Scholarship, and Graduate Studies



Curtis Brown

Driver
Transportation



Katherine Brunet, M.S. Ed.

Assistant Director
Center for Access and Disability



Christine Carbone, B.A. '96

Administrative Coordinator
Theatre Arts Department



Diana Ciminera, B.A. '23

Associate Director
Financial Aid



Eric Cimino, Ph.D.

Associate Professor and Chair of
History and Political Science
Interim Chair of Sociology

10 YEARS



Brian Connors, B.B.A.

Director of Public Safety
Public Safety



Madeline Craig, Ed.D.

Associate Professor,
Technology Integration Coordinator
School of Education and Human Services



Oneil Doeman

Custodian
Custodial Services



Patricia A. Eckardt, Ph.D., RN, FAAN

Professor
Barbara H. Hagan School of Nursing
and Health Sciences
Chair, Molloy University Institutional Review Board



Helene Maxwell-Gluckman

Administrative Assistant
The Barbara H. Hagan School of Nursing
and Health Sciences



Dionisio Julian

Maintenance Worker
Maintenance



Michael Kelliher
B.S.'14, M.S.'17, MT-BC

Music Therapist at the Rebecca Center for Music
Therapy, Adjunct Instructor
Music and Music Therapy



Connie Lasher, Ph.D.

Professor and Chairperson
Department of Theology and Religious Studies

10 YEARS



Brian Lima, B.A.'14, M.S.'16
Associate Director of Athletics for Operations
Athletics



Marissa Martini
Admissions Operations Specialist
Admissions



Frank McBride
Driver
Transportation



Mary McCormack, DNP, FNP-C
Assistant Professor
The Barbara H. Hagan School of Nursing
and Health Sciences



Amy Meyers, Ph.D., LCSW
Professor and Director of Field Education
Social Work



Danielle Multari, B.F.A.'14, M.B.A.'19
Junior Budget Analyst
Finance Department



Joseph Oggeri
Public Safety Officer
Public Safety



Francis Oliver, B.F.A.
Director of Media Production
Student Affairs and Advancement

10 YEARS



Heather Reens, B.S.'08, Ph.D.'21, RN
Assistant Professor, The Barbara H. Hagan School
of Nursing and Health Sciences



William Schierle
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Transportation



Mubina Schroeder, Ph.D.
Professor
School of Education and Human Services



Elissa Sharp, M.A.
Director
Department for Planning and Assessment



Amanda Strong, M.A., M.S. '23
Director
Department of Student Success and Assessment



Eileen Sweeney, M.B.A. '20
Director of Advancement Operations
Office for Advancement



Claudia Vento
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Transportation



Jorge Vilca
Custodial Services Supervisor
Department of Facilities



Alfred Zamojcin
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Robert Carlson Robert Carlson is the Payroll Specialist in the Accounting Department. Bob is responsible for processing payroll for approximately 1,400 employees comprised of faculty, staff, administrators, temporary workers, and work study students. This is a highly detailed task, and Bob's attention to detail and his compassion for others make him the perfect person for this role. Because of his expertise in the payroll program, Bob is part of a team that evaluates new features in the system and provides feedback. In recognition of his many contributions to Molloy, Bob was awarded the Distinguished Service Award in 2016. In addition to being a payroll specialist extraordinaire, Bob is very talented in the kitchen. He often

shares his delicious treats, especially his famous cookies, at Christmastime. Designed to bring a taste of home to the dorms, Bob has coordinated staff-made dinners for the resident hall students. He is married to Mary Lou and they have two amazing girls. In December, Bob became a first-time grandpa to baby Dominic. Congratulations, Bob, and thank you for your 20 years of dedicated service to Molloy University.



Hwa Young Caruso, Ed.D. Dr. Hwa Young Caruso, Professor in the School of Arts and Sciences, earned a B.F.A. at Ewha University in Korea, an M.F.A. at the University of Connecticut, and an Ed.D. from Teachers College, Columbia University. Promoted to full Professor of Art in 2017, Dr. Caruso teaches Studio Art, Senior Thesis, Art Education, Women in Art, History of Western Art, and Asian Art. She has published articles and art reviews in *The Journal of Aesthetic Education*, Cognella Press, Sage Publishers, Columbia University, *AWARE (Archives of Women Artists, Research and Exhibitions, Paris, France)*, *the International Journal of Multicultural Education* and *EMME (Electronic Magazine of Multicultural Education)*, serving as Art

Reviews Editor for 15 years. Dr. Caruso lectured about art history, critical art theory, art education, studio art, online pedagogy, and cultural diversity at Harvard, Yale, Columbia, Princeton, Vassar, NYU, Dartmouth, Boston University, Rutgers, UMass Amherst, Seton Hall, and the National Art Education Association. She had solo and group exhibitions at SOHO20 Gallery, Phoenix Gallery, Pearl Street Gallery, A.I.R. Gallery, Ceres Gallery, NYC Korean Cultural Center, Upstream Gallery, Kyoto Museum (Japan), Caldas University (Columbia), King Sejong Center (Korea), Chrysler Museum, Springfield Museum, Berkshire Museum, Columbia University, Ewha University, University of Connecticut, Connecticut State Capitol, Clemson, University of North Carolina, and Northeast Missouri University. Congratulations and thank you, Dr. Caruso, for 20 years of dedicated service to Molloy University.



Richard Delasant, B.A.'11 Richard Delasant, Senior Technology Training Specialist in the Office for Technology and Institutional Effectiveness, earned a B.A. from Molloy in 2011. Rich began his career at Molloy as a part-time staff member in the Academic Computer Lab. Rich's natural ability as an educator led him to pursue a degree in Art Education from Molloy, while transitioning to a full-time position in Client Services. Rich became an integral part of the newly minted Simulation Lab, within the Barbara H. Hagan School of Nursing. After a six-year tenure within Nursing, Rich joined the Technology Learning Services team. In his current role, Rich's patience and expertise in technology makes him a favorite to work with among

faculty and staff. Rich's love of teaching continues to serve him well, as he presently teaches various workshops and hands-on technology training through Technology Learning Services. He is a full Eagle Scout and a Mason, organizations that allow him to continue his charitable works. Rich has been coined a "joiner" by his colleagues. He has been an active pirate reenactor, Subaru club member, and now he is the captain of his divisional Dart team. Thank you, Rich, for all you do for Molloy!



Seung-A Kim Jung, B.A.'97, Ph.D., LCAT, MT-BC

Dr. Seung-A Kim Jung, Professor and Chair of the Music Department, and Director of Undergraduate Music Therapy, earned a bachelor's degree from Molloy, a master's degree from New York University, and a Ph.D. from Temple University. Dr. Jung has worked as a music therapist with developmentally disabled adults and people with Alzheimer's disease, and began a Korean American Community Music Therapy program for autistic children. Dr. Jung is a fierce advocate for diversity and international education. She has recruited and mentored dozens of students from China, Korea, and Japan, and continues to be a pillar for the international students in our music program. Dr. Jung incepted and directs the first and only advanced Analytical Music Therapy training program in the world. The hybrid program has a robust roster of American and international music therapist trainees. Dr. Jung is the Co-Editor of the 2021 book, *Music Therapy In A Multicultural Context: A Handbook for Students and Professionals*, and she has authored multiple book chapters and journal articles. Dr. Jung presents workshops nationally and internationally, and has served as a Co-Editor of the journal, *Voices*, and has contributed to the *Nordic Journal of Music Therapy*. Dr. Jung is a respected colleague and a cherished member of the Music Department. Thank you for 20 years of service to Molloy University.



Jeanne Kimpel, Ph.D. Dr. Jeanne Kimpel, Assistant Professor of Sociology, earned a Ph.D. from Fordham University. Dr. Kimpel is also Co-Director of the Dr. Joan Reidy Merlo Community Research Institute, where her recent work has included evaluating a grant to serve the needs of at-risk youth in a local Long Island community and the Mentoring Latinas program. An active member of the Honors faculty and the Experiential Academy at Molloy, Dr. Kimpel has 20 years of extensive teaching experience. Her focus is on how larger structural mechanisms have generated racial, ethnic, class, and gender inequalities, and shaped lives at the micro-level. Dr. Kimpel employs a variety of approaches in her classes for students to

gain strong critical thinking, writing, research, and communication skills necessary for any profession. Her research contributes to scholarship in the areas of residential segregation, housing affordability, health disparities, and racial and gender inequality. After the passing of long-time Sociology Chairperson, Meritta Cullinan in 2020, Dr. Kimpel successfully guided the Sociology Department through a difficult transition period, and the School of Arts and Sciences is extremely grateful for her leadership. Thank you, Dr. Kimpel, for 20 years of devoted service to Molloy.



Ann Marie Luongo Ann Marie Luongo is the Executive Assistant to the President. Prior to joining the Office of the President, she served in the Office of Academic Affairs for 12 years. Solidly reliable and tenacious, Ann Marie consistently makes a distinct and significant impact, and her poise in an office with constantly changing priorities is highly valued. Ann Marie's organizational skills are such that she seamlessly accomplishes everything she does with grace and good humor. Immensely involved at Molloy, Ann Marie is a Mission Ambassador and serves on the Ad Hoc Governance Committee, the Emergency Management Team, and the Coordinate Community Response Team (CCRT). In recognition of her dedication and

contributions to Molloy, she was presented with the Distinguished Service Award in 2019 and this year, she was selected to attend the Empowerment Skills for Leaders Program. She and her husband, James, are the proud parents of two children. Bernadette is a Molloy alumnus currently employed as a Campaign Manager at a data marketing firm, and James served as an Aviation Structural Mechanic 3rd Class for four years in the U.S. Navy. Ann Marie is a caring, compassionate individual who exemplifies our Mission. By example, Ann Marie encourages those around her to be their best, both professionally and personally. Congratulations and thank you, Ann Marie, for 20 years of dedicated service to the Molloy community.



Jennifer Emilie Mannino, B.S.'95, Ph.D.'14, RN Dr. Jennifer Emilie Mannino is a professor, and the Director of the Ph.D. in Nursing program in the Barbara H. Hagan School of Nursing and Health Sciences. Dr. Mannino earned a B.S. in Nursing from Molloy, an M.S. from New York University: Robert F. Wagner Graduate School of Public Service, an M.A. in Nursing Administration from New York University: Steinhardt School of Education, and a Ph.D. in Nursing from Molloy. Her dissertation was titled: *A Descriptive Mixed-Methods Study Examining Resilience and Transitioning to Adulthood Among Emerging Adults with Disabilities*. In her role as Program Director, she has innovated several new practices to foster doctoral education,

as well as keeping students on target to completion. Dr. Mannino has continued her scholarly activities with grants, awards, publishing, and presenting. As a faculty coordinator for fundamentals, Dr. Mannino mentored new colleagues and developed an on-campus clinical first day. As a result, Dr. Mannino and colleagues published an article on this innovative immersion for new clinical students. Dr. Mannino has served on numerous school and university-wide committees and served as the Academic Assessment Coordinator for the School of Nursing and Health Sciences and the Coordinator for Foundations of Humanistic Nursing Practice. She is a board member of the Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing Epsilon Kappa Chapter. Congratulations to Dr. Mannino on 20 years of service.



Ann Marie Paraszczuk, Ed.D., RN Dr. Ann Marie Paraszczuk, Professor in the Barbara H. Hagan School of Nursing and Health Sciences, earned an Ed.D. from St. John's University in 2011. Dr. Paraszczuk teaches undergraduate students both pediatrics and obstetrical nursing, sharing her knowledge in these complementary fields. In the graduate and doctoral programs, Dr. Paraszczuk shares her expertise in quantitative research methods. She mentors doctoral committees and has chaired several of those committees, something of which she is duly proud. Dr. Paraszczuk was the recipient of the School of Nursing Shining Light Award in 2012. She was also the recipient of the 2012 Health Care Heroes Nurse Educator

Award given to those nurses that make a difference in our community. In 2023, Dr. Paraszczuk was selected by her peers to receive the Molloy University Faculty Research, Scholarship and Creative Activity Award. Dr. Paraszczuk has presented and published research both nationally and internationally, and she continues to contribute scholarly work with colleagues. She serves as the Corresponding Secretary of the New York Statewide Breastfeeding Committee, an advocacy organization whose mission is to protect, promote, and support breastfeeding in New York State. We celebrate the contributions that Dr. Paraszczuk makes to all the programs in the School of Nursing. Congratulations and thank you for your 20 years of dedicated service to Molloy University.



Jessie Prasad Jessie Prasad is an Administrative Assistant in the Division of Continuing Education and Professional Studies (CEPS). Jessie began her career at Molloy as a part-time employee in the Department of Special Programs, specifically for the Molloy Institute for Lifelong Learning (MILL) Program and the Center for Christian-Jewish Studies. When the MILL Program moved to the Division of Continuing Education and Professional Studies (CEPS) in 2017, Jessie moved as well. Jessie continues to work full time with Molloy's three MILL programs, two of which are located in Rockville Centre and one in Suffolk. All three offer daytime programs that cater to a senior adult population. Jessie works with the advisory boards of all three programs

to find speakers, secure meeting spaces and ensure that the program is running smoothly and efficiently. Jessie recently incorporated oversight of the CEPS budget into her responsibilities. The proud mother of four motivated and accomplished children, Jessie goes above and beyond with limitless enthusiasm, understanding, kindness and unwavering dedication. She is an asset to the MILL Program, the Division of CEPS, and to Molloy. Congratulations and thank you for 20 years of dedication and service. Molloy University is a better place because of you and your efforts.



Margaret Salute Margaret (Peggy) Salute, Purchasing Manager in the Department of Purchasing and Administrative Services, graduated from Lawrence High School. After studying banking and administration at Hofstra University, she entered the airline/aircraft industry. Peggy served as a buyer for Pakistan Airlines and subsequently worked for Volvo Aerospace as a senior account executive, purchasing and selling aircraft parts and engines to all the major airlines. The events of 9/11 changed the airline industry, and Peggy then brought her purchasing skills to Molloy. Dedicated and loyal, Peggy is the heart and soul of the Molloy purchasing department. She has built strong relationships with her colleagues within Molloy as well as with our vendor

partners. Peggy considers herself to be very fortunate to work at Molloy and says that "being a part of the Molloy community has forever improved my quality of life." Outside of Molloy, Peggy has volunteered at the American Businesswoman's Association and the Knights of Columbus, and she served as a board trustee for the Oceanside Library. Family is so important to Peggy; she has two sons, Christopher and Carmine, and two grandchildren, Chloe and Logan. Congratulations, Peggy, and thank you for your 20 years of dedicated service to Molloy University.



Jolanta Zuar Jolanta Zuar, Executive Assistant in the Office of Technology and Institutional Effectiveness, began her career at Molloy as an Administrative Assistant to the Chair of the Nursing Department. In her current role, Jolanta's responsibilities include managing office operations, departmental budgets, calendars, and meeting coordination. Additionally, Jolanta has served on or provided administrative support to numerous University committees, including Mission Effectiveness, Priorities and Planning, the Strategic Plan, and the Governance Advisory Committee and provided support for the Middle State Self Study. Jolanta consistently exemplifies professionalism, integrity, and passion. Over many years and changes in the department, Jolanta

has been a constant source of positivity, she is always willing to assist and provide support. In recognition of her contributions to Molloy, she was presented with the Distinguished Service Award in 2016. Beyond her professional achievements, Jolanta is committed to her loving and growing family, she now has six grandchildren! Jolanta and her husband, Michael, are extraordinarily proud of their daughters, Victoria and Kristina, both of whom graduated with honors from Molloy. In her spare time, Jolanta enjoys boating, cooking for her family, and spending time with her grandchildren. With heartfelt appreciation and admiration, thank you, Jolanta, for your 20 years of outstanding service to Molloy University.





Barbara Contardo

Barbara Contardo is the Administrative Assistant for the Department of Languages and Cultures in the School of Arts and Sciences. The heart of the department, Barbara has kept things running smoothly for students and faculty under five different chairpersons. The senior member of the department, Barbara helped to make these leadership transitions seamless, ensuring that everyone's needs were met. Barbara completes her tasks with superior attention to detail, but she truly does much more both professionally and personally. Her wisdom, as well as her knowledge and experience at Molloy University, make her indispensable. Barbara is crucial to any event or initiative within our department. Her

attention to detail during the ceremonies of Alpha Mu Gamma, our departmental honor society, is a clear example of Barbara's dedication to the department and, especially, to the students. Personally, Barbara is always ready to lend a hand, give advice, listen, cheer one up, or share a laugh. She does all this quietly and unassumingly because that is her caring and selfless nature. Her care for our students continues far beyond their graduation from Molloy as they keep us informed of their progress, both professionally and personally. In addition to being an integral part of the Department of Languages and Cultures, Barbara enjoys travelling and spending time with her husband, Tony, her two sons, Anthony and Nicholas, her daughters-in-law, Cynthia and Tiffany, and especially her five grandchildren: Amelia, Jack, John, Charlie, and Allison. Congratulations and thank you, Barbara.



John A. Eterno, Ph.D.

Dr. John Eterno, Professor and Director of the graduate program in the Department of Criminal Justice and Legal Studies, earned a Ph.D. in Criminal Justice from the State University of New York at Albany. Dr. Eterno joined the Molloy University faculty in 1999 after a distinguished career at the New York City Police Department, where he achieved the rank of Captain. At Molloy, he spearheaded the establishment of the master's degree program in Criminal Justice in 2007, developed a Legal Studies minor that leads to a paralegal certificate, and initiated a moot court competition. He has received several awards at Molloy, including the Faculty Recognition Award in both 2009 and 2014, the Faculty Research

Award in 2010, and the Distinguished Service Award in 2016. Most recently, he spearheaded the development of the new Cybersecurity minor at the University and developed an all-online MS program in Criminal Justice. Dr. Eterno continues to be an international leader in the field of criminal justice. His accomplishments include the publication of numerous books, peer reviewed journal articles, book chapters and other publications, such as op-eds in the *New York Times* and *The Atlantic*. He has also served as editor for the international journal, *Police Practice and Research*, and has chaired and presented at the International Conference for the International Police Executive Symposium several times – most recently at the United Nations Office for Drugs and Crime in Vienna, Austria. Dr. Eterno is married to JoAnn and is the proud father of daughters Julia and Lauren. Congratulations and thank you, Dr. Eterno.



Amy Gaimaro, D.B.A.

Dr. Amy Gaimaro, Dean of Innovative Delivery Methods, earned a B.B.A. from Hofstra University, an M.S. from LIU Post, and a D.B.A. in Information Systems from Argosy University. Dr. Gaimaro works collaboratively to design and promote blended and online learning programs. Her interest in learning environments and student success is evident, as more than half of Molloy students are enrolled in at least one hybrid or online course. For the faculty, she created Credly badges for quality course design and launched courses for Quality Matters, Universal Design for Learning, Digital Accessibility, Accelerated Course Essentials, and Advanced Online Teaching Strategies. Dedicated to designing quality

educational opportunities, Dr. Gaimaro is Co-Chair of the Blended and Online Learning Task Force, and her office launched the two-week TLC (Technology Learning Course) course design program in which over 600 faculty are certified to teach hybrid and online courses. Dr. Gaimaro and her team ensure compliance with regulatory bodies for course offerings and develop strategies for online and adult learners. She is a published author on faculty development and online teaching practices, as well as a reviewer for Middle States, also co-chairing Standard V. Giving back to the community, Dr. Gaimaro crochets blanket squares for chemotherapy patients and bakes special treats for her office colleagues. She loves boating with her husband, Tom, and three daughters, Amanda, Cayla, and Jessica, each of whom has attended Molloy. Thank you, Dr. Gaimaro, for 25 years of dedicated service to Molloy.



Mary Ann Howell, M.A. Mary Ann Howell, Writing Center Specialist and Adjunct Professor in the English Department, holds a B.A. in English from Adelphi and an M.A. in English from Long Island University, formerly C.W. Post. Prior to her 25 years at Molloy, Mary Ann worked as an editor for Hoke Publishing. Mary Ann's interest in interior design led her to complete the Metropolitan Institute's Interior Design Program. Fortunately, she brought her excellent attention to detail and expertise in writing to Molloy's Writing Center, where she became a valuable member of the staff in the Writing Center's early days. Both the students in her classes and in the Writing Center will attest to Mary Ann's kind and helpful spirit as she aids

them in honing their writing skills. In 2022, the library partnered with the Writing Center and Tutoring Services to create a Learning Commons (LC), where peer and professional tutors are standing by to help students on a walk-in basis. In 2023, Mary Ann was part of the Learning Commons group that was awarded the Molloy Team Award. Outside of Molloy, Mary Ann regularly participates in parish activities at St. Agnes Cathedral in Rockville Centre. She enjoys baking, gardening, reading biographies and memoirs, traveling, and attending productions at the Irish Repertory Theater in NYC. Finally, one would be remiss not to mention Mary Ann's love for her basset hound, Chelsea. Everyone who knows Mary Ann appreciates her dedication to her work, and we congratulate her for 25 years of service.



Ana Lockward, M.S. Ana Lockward, Director of Financial Aid, earned a B.B.A. from Baruch College and an M.S. degree from Lehman College. Ana joined the Molloy Community in 1999 as the Assistant Director of Financial Aid. In 2005 she was promoted to her current position of Director and oversees the distribution of financial aid to all new and continuing students. Ana is an invaluable asset to the Molloy community. She works tirelessly to prepare financial aid packages that serve to encourage prospective students to choose Molloy University. Ana works very closely with other offices at Molloy to assist our students in completing their degree to become Molloy graduates. In recognition of her contributions, Ana

was recognized with the Distinguished Service Award in 2010. Ana actively engages with underserved communities to assist families with the intricacies of the financial aid process. She believes that everyone should have the opportunity to pursue their college dreams. On a professional level, she is an active member in the State, Regional, and National Financial Aid Associations and received the prestigious Rising Star Award from the New York State Financial Aid Administrators Association (NYSFAAA). Ana has been recognized by Hispanos Unidos for her dedication and commitment to the community and received honors from the Inter-Organization Counsel Nueva Vision EBC. She is a volunteer fundraiser for St. Jude Children's Hospital and homeless shelters. Ana and her husband, Elvis, are the proud parents of Chantel, a Molloy alum, Catherine, and Erik. In her spare time Ana loves to travel, enjoys spending time with her large extended family, and likes dancing to good salsa music. Congratulations and thank you, Ana.



Gerard Mahlstadt Gerard Mahlstadt is a member of the Maintenance team. Jerry began his career at Molloy as a part-time Public Safety Officer in September of 1999, while also working full-time for the New York City Department of Sanitation. Jerry advanced in his role at Molloy and became a full-time Public Safety Officer working the evening shift. In that role, he interacted with many members of the Molloy community daily and became widely known for his accommodating ways and friendly personality. Growth in evening enrollment required additional maintenance personnel, and Jerry transferred into the Maintenance Department in 2003. Jerry's knowledge of campus operations during the evening hours made this a perfect transition for not

only Jerry, but also for Molloy. Demonstrating a calm demeanor and unassuming expertise, Jerry assists with a wide variety of requests on campus. Recognized for his diligence and for going beyond what is necessary to get the job done, Jerry was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal in 2008. Jerry and his wife, Diane, who sadly passed away on February 5th, 2021, have two daughters, Janine and Jennifer, both of whom earned their bachelor's degrees and Master's degrees in Education from Molloy. He has three granddaughters, Juliana, Josephine, JoJo for short, and Ellie. Jerry also has a grandson named Zachary. He loves spending time with them, and they are his greatest joys. Thank you, Jerry, for 25 years of outstanding service to the Molloy community.



Lisa Miller, MSILR Lisa Miller, Assistant Vice President for Human Resources and Title IX Coordinator, earned a B.S. degree in Mathematics from Bucknell University and an MSILR degree in Human Resources from a joint program between Cornell University and Baruch College. Lisa has helped guide the University through a period of tremendous growth. Her ability to understand complex legal matters while maintaining a deep appreciation for Molloy's mission has allowed for this success. She continues to help the University navigate a staggering number of legislative changes related to Human Resources on college campuses. Lisa has served on countless committees on a broad range of topics throughout her career at Molloy. She

currently chairs the Health and Welfare Committee, the Pension Committee, and serves on the Collegial Committee, the DEI Professional Development subcommittee, and the Siena Center for Social Justice. She is very proud of the Empowerment Skills for Leaders initiative on which she collaborated and brought to Molloy and the higher education community. Her expertise is recognized not only at Molloy, but also by her peers throughout the region. Lisa's commitment to her family is equally impressive. Her daughter, Erin, is an Occupational Therapist working with children with TBI (traumatic brain injury). Her son, Jamie, is a senior at Bucknell University studying computer engineering. And her youngest child, Grace, is a junior math and economics major at Lafayette College. In recognition of her dedication and many contributions to Molloy, Lisa received the Distinguished Service Medal in 2007, and we are proud to congratulate her today for her 25 years of service.



Kimberly Webb, B.A. Kimberly Webb, Business Manager in the Barbara H. Hagan School of Nursing and Health Sciences, earned a bachelor's degree in Sociology from Iona College. Kim began her career at Molloy as an administrative assistant in the Admissions office. Kim's warm and friendly style, intelligence, self-direction, and knowledge resulted in sequential promotions through several levels of the Admissions office. She assumed the role of Associate Director of Admissions in 2017, demonstrating excellence in her efforts, and a welcoming approach. With extensive understanding of Molloy's programs and their value, Kim worked collaboratively with all areas to facilitate admission of excellent students to our programs. In

recognition of her excellence, Kim received the Nassau Counselor's Association Distinguished Service Award and was additionally recognized as 2019 College Counselor of the Year. The Barbara H. Hagan School of Nursing and Health Sciences is now fortunate to have Kim use her expertise and creativity in her current role of Business Manager. A natural leader and exceptional team member, Kim is always willing to contribute her time and to assist whenever and wherever needed. Kim never says 'no,' but instead always asks "What else can I do to help?" Kim has always put the success of students and Molloy first and foremost in all her work. She engages whole-heartedly with her community and her children's schools. Kim's wonderful family includes husband Russ, son Logan, and daughter Kayla, all of whom she is exceedingly proud, and they are equally proud of her.





Donna Driscoll, B.S.'80, Ph.D., FNP-C, CPNP Dr. Donna Driscoll, Professor in the Barbara H. Hagan School of Nursing and Health Sciences, began her relationship with Molloy as an undergraduate student receiving a B.S. degree in 1980. She earned an M.S. degree from Stony Brook University in 1987, a post-master's certificate as a Pediatric Nurse Practitioner from Molloy in 1997, and a Ph.D. in Health Sciences from Touro University International in 2010. During her tenure at Molloy, Dr. Driscoll has held leadership positions on multiple college committees and School of Nursing projects. She currently serves as a member of the 2023-2024 Faculty Council and is the coordinator of the Pediatric Nursing

Practitioner track. Graduates of this program are highly sought after in area hospitals and pediatric offices, a reflection of the high quality of the program. Dr. Driscoll has been integral in developing relationships with pediatric facilities, building the pool of preceptors for our students. Dr. Driscoll serves in the Nassau County Department of Health Medical Reserve Corps and has been active in many professional organizations. Some of these include the Eastern Nursing Research Society, National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners, National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties, Long Island Lactation Consultants and Sigma Theta Tau National Nursing Honor Society. In 2023, Molloy's alumni association presented the Distinguished Faculty Award to Dr. Driscoll as an educator who brings the four pillars of the Molloy Mission into the classroom, has a strong regard for Molloy University and its students, and has a life-long commitment to their field of study. Thank you, Dr. Driscoll, for 30 years of dedicated service to Molloy University.



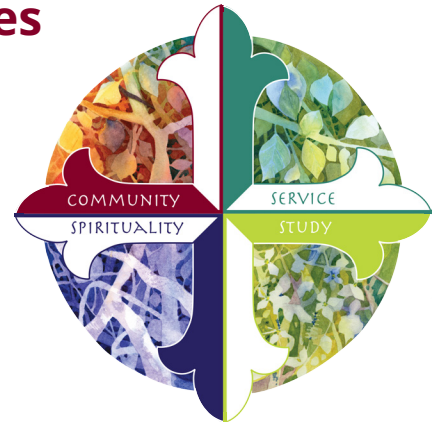


Mission Statement

Molloy University, an independent, Catholic university rooted in the Dominican tradition of study, spirituality, service, and community, is committed to academic excellence with respect for each person. Through transformative education, Molloy promotes a lifelong search for truth and the development of ethical leadership.

Molloy Values and Guiding Virtues

Molloy University is a Catholic, independent university founded by the Sisters of St. Dominic (Dominican), Amityville. “The Dominican vision for education is a holistic way of looking at and being in the world. It is grounded in values integral to the mission of the order: the pursuit of truth, integration of study and contemplation, seeing God in all things, compassion and justice, and engaged scholarship.” *Dominican Charism in Higher Education: A Vision in Service of Truth* (2012). Therefore, Molloy University, grounded in the four pillars of study, service, spirituality and community, values:



Acting justly and with kindness in all our endeavors

We consciously choose the ethical direction.

- Choose the good in all our daily interactions
- Take actions that will improve the lives of others—both locally and globally
- Develop relationships that foster teamwork within a supportive community

Transforming our communities

We believe that, as leaders, our own lives are in need of constant transformation as the starting point for creating a transformative learning environment

- Nurture habits for ongoing personal and professional growth
- Create an expansive vision that helps our students see limitless possibilities and encourages them to have an openness to all people and things
- Develop reflective and responsive students and graduates in an ever-changing global society

Searching for truth

We acknowledge that all of us share some part of the truth and endeavor to engage one another even in the midst of passionate disagreements on contrasting convictions.

- Commit to listening; taking a non-defensive stance
- Create an inclusive atmosphere where people can ask significant questions
- Be curious and flexible; open-minded

Reflectively listening to ourselves, our God and to the signs of the times in our contemporary world

With humility, we cultivate self-awareness in order to respond with our best truth to our diverse community and world.

- Cultivate an inner capacity for self-reflection; create opportunities for reflection-in classrooms, among colleagues in work settings and at every level of interaction on campus
- Act in such a way as to encourage a more inclusive campus community
- Build relationships that support diversity

We pause to acknowledge that Molloy University is located on lands once home to Indigenous Peoples, including the Lenape, the Montaukett Indian Nation, and Indigenous Peoples who resided in the Massapequa, Merrick, and Rockaway territories. We recognize the long and complex history that has brought us to these lands, and we seek to understand the ongoing impact of settler colonialism and its influence on the cultures and heritages of Indigenous Peoples. We remember and acknowledge our connections to Indigenous Peoples and appreciate the opportunity to live and learn on this land. We honor Indigenous Peoples of the past, today, and generations to come.



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