

EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT, FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION

Dear Colleagues,

Today, I am writing with important news regarding our organization. In my first few months on the job, I have worked with the senior leaders in Human Resources, UW-IT, Finance & Facilities, and Planning & Management to become familiar with their departments, and learn about our collective goals and challenges.



We have a great leadership team in place, and I am confident in our ability to help support and advance the University's mission. We also have the opportunity to achieve our objective of institutional effectiveness in service to the University's mission by organizing key functions more efficiently and effectively.

After consultation with departmental leadership, I am announcing today the realignment of the central administrative units that report to me:

> **Office of the Executive Vice President, Finance and Administration (EVPFA)**

The office of the EVPFA will include a Chief of Staff (recruitment currently underway) and a head of Strategic Consulting (position to be posted soon). Organizational Excellence, Business Diversity, and UW Sustainability (all formerly Planning & Management) will report within the office of the EVPFA. Internal Audit will continue to report to me for administrative purposes.

> **Finance**

Finance will become a separate organization consisting of the Controller, Treasurer, and Research & Student Accounting. We will soon open a search for a vice president of finance.

> **Facilities Services and Capital Planning & Development**

These two organizations, led respectively by Charles Kennedy and Mike McCormick, will remain stand-alone units but will form a collaborative partnership/organizational alliance and share administrative resources.

> **Human Resources and UW-IT**

These organizations, led by Mindy Kornberg and Aaron Powell (interim) will retain their current structure. We are currently recruiting a vice president for information technology.

This realignment will increase collaboration, improve institutional effectiveness, and bring us closer to our shared goal of "One Administration." The overall organization will be known collectively as UW Finance & Administration.

[Click here for the Finance & Administration org chart](#)

I am excited for what the future holds as we move forward with this new administrative structure. I will continue to keep you updated on our progress, and welcome hearing from you.

Thank you for all the work you do every day on behalf of the University and the public we serve. I feel honored to be part of this team and deeply appreciate your talent, energy, and ongoing commitment to excellence. I look forward to everything we can accomplish together!

Regards,



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