

DEPARTMENTAL STRUCTURE

The Department of Human and Community Development (HCD), is 1 of 7 departments within the College of Agricultural, Consumer, and Environmental Sciences (ACES).

The Head of the Department is Dr. Robert Hughes, whose office is in 274 Bevier Hall.

The Director of Graduate Studies is Dr. Ramona Faith Oswald (roswald@uiuc.edu, 333-2547, 263 Bevier Hall).

The Director of Graduate Programs coordinates graduate program affairs, including admissions, T.A. assignments, fellowship awards, annual reviews of student progress, approving student's petitions for waivers of department requirements. She serves as the general advisor and advocate for all graduate students.

The Graduate Secretary is Leann Topol (ltopol@uiuc.edu, 333-3869, 128 Bevier Hall).

The Graduate Secretary handles student records, official papers, and general information about the graduate program, fellowships, and awards.

The below faculty are Concentration Chairs. They manage the curricular and other concerns specific to their program.

Dr. Reed Larson, Chair of Human Development and Family Studies

Dr. Ann Reisner, Chair of Community Studies and Outreach

Dr. Connie Shapiro, Chair of the Dual Degree Program in Marriage and Family Services

The HCD Business Office is located in 174 Bevier Hall.

Darcy Frichtl, Assistant to the Head

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HCD is spread across 4 buildings. Every student has one mailbox, located in the building that houses their office.

Bevier Hall (BH)

Child Development Lab (CDL)

Early Child Development Lab (ECDL)

Christopher Hall (CH)

HCD houses several programs in addition to our degree programs:

Child Development Lab Preschool (CDL and ECDL)

Family Resiliency Program, which includes the Family Resource Center (DH)

Child Care Resource Service (BH)

Lab for Community and Economic Development (BH)

Every faculty member has one secretary assigned to them. If you have questions about supplies or other resource-related matters, you should consult with your advisor/supervisor rather than their secretary unless other arrangements have been made.