

# BOWDOIN COLLEGE

OFFICE OF THE DEAN FOR ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

## New Faculty 2024-2025

### Tenure-Track Appointments

**Caylin Carbonell**, BA (Bates), MA, PhD (William & Mary), *Assistant Professor of History*

**Soohyun Cho**, BA, MA (Seoul National University), PhD (Ohio State), *Assistant Professor of Government*

**Eleanor Conover**, AB (Harvard), MFA (Temple), *Assistant Professor of Visual Arts*

**Richmond Embeywa**, BED (Kenyatta), MA (West Virginia), PhD (Arizona), *Assistant Professor of German*

**Allison Guess**, BA (Pittsburgh), MPhil, PhD (CUNY Graduate Center), *Iris W. Davis Assistant Professor of Environmental Studies*

**Zahir Janmohamed**, BA (UC Berkeley), MPP (UCLA), MFA (Michigan), *Assistant Professor of English*

**Badie Khaleghian**, BA, MM (Georgia), PhD (Rice), *Assistant Professor of Music*

**Jordan Kisner**, AB (Princeton), MFA (Columbia), *Assistant Professor of English*

**Raymond Maresca**, BS, MS (Manhattan College), PhD (Brandeis), *Assistant Professor of Mathematics*

**Thais R. Scott**, BS (Richmond), PhD (Chicago), PhD (Notre Dame), *Assistant Professor of Chemistry*

**Luiz H. D. Vilça**, BS, BA, MA (University of Brasilia), PhD (Notre Dame), *Assistant Professor of Sociology*

**Túlio Zille**, BA (Vassar), PhD (Johns Hopkins), *Assistant Professor of Government*

### Lecturer Appointments

**Kate Campbell Strauss**, BA (Pomona), MA (University of New Orleans), *Director of Jazz Ensembles and Lecturer in Music*

### Laboratory Instructor Appointments

**Sahel Mohebbi**, BS (Bahá'í Institute for Learning), PhD (Georgia), *Laboratory Instructor in Chemistry*

### Visiting Appointments

**Nina Andersen**, BA (SUNY Purchase College), *Visiting Director of the Bowdoin Concert Band*

**Michael Ben-Zvi**, AB (Bowdoin), MS, PhD (Tufts), *Visiting Lecturer in Mathematics*

**Jesse Bia**, BA (Rochester), MPhil (Oxford), PhD (University College London), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Anthropology*

**Christopher Braun**, BA (Valparaiso), PhD (Indiana University), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Computer Science*

**Yoel Castillo Botello**, AA (Jefferson Community and Technical College), BA (Louisville), MS (Georgetown), PhD (Georgetown), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Romance Languages and Literatures*

**Maya Chakravorty**, BA (Toronto), PhD (Boston University), *CFD Postdoctoral Fellow in Classics*

**David Childers**, BSFS (Georgetown), MA, PhD (Yale), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Economics*

**Kathleen Collins**, BA (Sarah Lawrence), MA (New School for Social Research), MA, PhD (Massachusetts – Boston), *Adjunct Lecturer in Psychology*

**Alejandro Cuadrado**, AB (Princeton), MA, PhD (Columbia), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Romance Languages and Literatures*

**Caitlin DiMartino**, BA (Muhlenberg), MA (Texas-Austin), PhD (Northwestern), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Art History*

**Adam Ekberg**, BA (Wheaton), MFA (The School of the Art Institute of Chicago), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Visual Arts*

**John Fireman**, BFA (Yale), MBA (NYU), MFA (MECA), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Visual Arts*

**Tanya Goldman**, BA, MA (Tulane), PhD (NYU), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Cinema Studies*

**Vianney Gomezgil**, BA (Bowdoin), MA (Johns Hopkins), PhD (Cambridge), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Digital and Computational Studies*

**Tyler Griffin**, BS (Linfield), MS (Connecticut), PhD (Connecticut), *Postdoctoral Fellow in Biology*

**Rhiannon Griffiths**, MMath (Swansea), PhD (Case Western Reserve), *Visiting Lecturer in Mathematics*

**Duncan Hardy**, BA (SUNY Purchase College), *Adjunct Lecturer in Music*

**Rebecca Jordan**, BA (Saint Anselm), MA (Connecticut), PhD (Washington University St. Louis), *Visiting Assistant Professor of German*

**Aruna Kharod**, BA, MM, PhD (UT Austin), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Music*

**Ivan Kurilla**, MA (Volgograd State University, Russia), PhD (Institute of Universal History, Russian Academy of Sciences), *Visiting Tallman Scholar in Russian, East European, and Eurasian Studies*

**Maxwell Lykins**, BA (Wisconsin - Madison), PhD (Michigan – Ann Arbor), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Government*

**Ian (Andy) MacDonald**, BA (Mount Allison), MA, PhD (Colorado Boulder), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Romance Languages and Literatures*

**Christopher Martin**, BS, MS (California State – San Marcos), *Visiting Lecturer in Computer Science*

**Elizabeth McBean**, BA (Kenyon), MA (Ohio State), PhD expected (Ohio State), *Visiting Lecturer of Russian, East European, and Eurasian Studies*

**Emily Mitamura**, BA (Vassar), MA, PhD (Minnesota), *CFD Postdoctoral Fellow in Gender, Sexuality, and Women's Studies*

**Trang Nguyen**, BA (Vietnam National University of Science), PhD (Oregon State), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Earth and Oceanographic Sciences*

**Kathryn Olson**, BA (Middlebury), MA (Tufts), PhD (Boston College), *Adjunct Lecturer in Environmental Studies*

**Jessica Pearson-Bleyer**, BA (Catholic), MA (Catholic), PhD (Tufts), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Theater*

**Alec Petersen**, BS (Duke), PhD (Minnesota), PhD (Tufts), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Earth and Oceanographic Sciences and Physics* (starting Spring 2025)

**Jake Ransohoff**, BA (Chicago), PhD (Harvard), *Visiting Assistant Professor of History*

**Justin Reamer**, BA (Dickinson), PhD (Penn), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Anthropology*

**Liam Taylor**, AB (Bowdoin), PhD (Yale), *Doherty Kent Island Postdoctoral Scholar in Biology*

**Jonathan Tunstall**, BA (Occidental), MA (Columbia), PhD (Wisconsin – Madison), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Education*

**Christopher Wells**, BS (New Hampshire), MS (New Hampshire), PhD (Washington), *Doherty Marine Biology Postdoctoral Scholar*

**Michael Yekple**, BA (University of Cape Coast), MA (University of Ghana), PhD (Central Florida), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Africana Studies*