



DEPARTMENTAL EXECUTIVE OFFICER PROGRAM

Indiana University Bloomington has selected five department chairs to serve as 2022-23 program participants for the Departmental Executive Officer Program (DEO), a leadership program offered through the Big 10 Academic Alliance. Each year approximately 65 department heads and chairs from Big Ten Academic Alliance universities come together for a unique leadership development seminar. Topics at this three-day event range from conflict resolution and time management to faculty development, performance reviews, and group problem solving.

The program is sponsored by the Big 10 Academic Alliance (formerly the Committee on Institutional Cooperation, or CIC), made up of the 14 universities in the Big Ten conference and the University of Chicago. All participants selected from the member universities will participate in three seminars hosted by Big 10 Academic Alliance universities and will take part in campus-based meetings and programs with administrative leaders.

IU Bloomington Departmental Executive Officer (DEO) Program Recipients for 2022-23 are:

- **Michael Adams**, chair and Provost Professor in the Department of English in the College of Arts and Sciences
- **Ana Maria Brannan**, professor in the Department of Curriculum and Instruction in the School of Education
- **Richard Holden**, professor and chairperson in the Department of Health and Wellness Design in the School of Public Health
- **Dan Li**, professor and chairperson in the Department of Management & Entrepreneurship in Kelley School of Business
- **Chad Lochmiller**, professor and chair in the Department of Educational Leadership and Policy Studies in the School of Education



Michael Adams

Michael Adams is Provost Professor and Chair, Department of English and Adjunct Professor of Linguistics at Indiana University at Bloomington. He has served as Director of Undergraduate Studies in the Department of English and as Interim Director of the Liberal Arts and Management Program at Indiana University, as well. Currently Past President of the American Dialect Society and formerly editor of the society's journal, *American Speech*, he is also a Past President and Fellow of the Dictionary Society of North America and formerly editor of the journal *Dictionaries*. He was an assistant on the *Middle English Dictionary*, Consulting Editor to the *American Heritage Dictionary of the English Language 4/e* (Houghton Mifflin, 2000), and Contributing Editor to the *Barnhart Dictionary Companion* (Merriam-Webster, 1999–2001). He is the author of *Slayer Slang: A Buffy the Vampire Slayer Lexicon* (OUP, 2003), *Slang: The People's Poetry* (OUP, 2009), and *In Praise of Profanity* (OUP, 2016), co-author of *How English Works: A Linguistic Introduction 3/e* (Pearson, 2012), among other books. His critical/historical edition of the classic *Problems in Lexicography* will be published this fall by Indiana University Press; he is also co-editor of the forthcoming *Cambridge Handbook of the Dictionary*.



Ana Maria Brannan

For over 30 years, Ana Maria has been conducting research related to children with emotional and behavioral disorders and their families. She has expertise in research design, program evaluation, and assessment. In addition to developing tools to help better understand family stress and coping processes. She has also worked on assessment of service practices and service system performance. Since coming to Indiana University 10 years ago, she has become more focused on how students with emotional and behavioral disorders are served in school settings. She also investigates how caring for children with disabilities or chronic health conditions impacts parents' participation in the paid labor force. Currently she teaches in the School of Education's special education program. Her primary teaching responsibilities are in the areas of classroom and behavior management, and assessment to inform individualized instruction. She serves as chair of the Department of Curriculum and Instruction. For fun she spends time with clay in a cooperative pottery studio, make music, and hike.



Richard Holden

Rich Holden is Professor, Dean's Eminent Scholar, and chair of the Department of Health & Wellness Design at the School of Public Health, Chief Healthcare Engineer in the IU Center for Health Innovation and Implementation Science, and a Regenstrief Institute investigator and 2020 Venture Fellow. He applies his training in industrial engineering and psychology towards "better health, by design." In the systems engineering community, Dr. Holden is internationally recognized as the leader in the field of patient ergonomics, "the science (and design) of patient work." He was named the 2021 Jack A. Kraft Innovator for creating the patient ergonomics subdiscipline, the subject of his 2021 two-volume edited handbook titled *The Patient Factor*. Research interests include

aging and chronic disease, health information technology, health behavior interventions, social determinants of health, and methods development. His work has been published in over 150 books and articles and supported by over \$75M (USD) in grants and contracts from NIH, AHRQ, PCORI, NIST, CMS, and other federal agencies. Professional leadership roles include Editor of the journal *Ergonomics* and board membership for professional societies, nonprofits, and tech companies.



Dan Li

Dan Li is the L. Leslie Waters Chair and Professor of International Business at the Kelley School of Business, Indiana University. She received her Ph.D. in Management from Texas A&M University. Her research and teaching focus on firms' global strategy, particularly in the areas of international strategic alliances, and institutional influences on activities of both established multinational enterprises and international new ventures. Dan's work has been published in leading academic journals in the field of international business and strategic management such as the *Journal of International Business Studies*, *Academy of Management Journal*, *Strategic Management Journal*, and *Journal of Business Venturing*. She served as the Editor-in-Chief of *Business Horizons* and an Associate Editor and Special Issue Editor of *Global Strategy Journal* and is an Area Editor of *Journal of International Business Studies*. She is currently the Chairperson of the Management & Entrepreneurship Department and has served the academic field in a variety of roles including as an executive on the board of Women in the Academy of International Business (WAIB).



Chad Lochmiller

Chad Lochmiller is chair of the Department of Educational Leadership & Policy Studies and a faculty member in Educational Leadership in the IU School of Education. His current research examines leadership and policy issues related to K-12 schools, including issues related to continuous improvement and resource allocation. Across his research, he centers the work of administrators in introducing, supporting, and sustaining improvement activities as well as the ways in which leadership capacity for improvement efforts is developed at different organizational levels. In addition to his scholarship, he has collaborated extensively with school districts and educational organizations to promote partnerships between higher education and K-12 schools. This work earned him recognition as a National Faculty Member with the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching in 2020. Among his other professional honors, Dr. Lochmiller received the IU School of Education Excellence in Mentoring Award in 2019 and the Jack A. Culbertson Early Career Award from the University Council for Educational Administration in 2018. He received his Ph.D. from the University of Washington Seattle in 2010.