Knox faculty are active researchers, accomplished scholars, and engaged artists who model for their students and colleagues the importance and vitality of intellectual work. The list below compiles the faculty’s accomplishments in their disciplinary fields for July 2019 - June 2020.

**Katherine A. Adelsberger**  
Douglas and Maria Bayer Chair in Earth Science, Associate Professor of Environmental Studies

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Research in Dhiban, Jordan - $2,100.

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Differential GPS Technology Upgrades at Knox College - $600.

Frederick E. and Ida H. Hummel Foundation Grant, Request for Differential GPS - $9750.


Poster presentations with Nathan Wright (’20) and Rafael Cho (’19), Geological Society of America Annual Meeting, Phoenix, AZ. September 2019.

**Stuart Allison**  
Watson Bartlett Professor of Biology


**Rea Amit**  
Visiting Assistant Professor of Asian Studies

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Research in Japan - $700.
Monica Berlin  
Professor of English

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: A Joint Statement: On Collaboration - $1,530.


Poems: “In the only lighted window, an empty chair”; “Because there are rooms empty & rooms”; “When we mark where we were not”; “No one on the curb across the street”; “Our hands at dusk on the railing between almost &”; “Once leaning then taken down to expose”; “How the journal of memory forgot to note.” *Quarterly West* (summer 2019). Online.

Poetry Reading: Civic Poetics Reading Series, Carleton College, Northfield, MN. September 2019.

Poetry Reading: Fall Out Art Co Op / Civic Poetics Reading Series, Minneapolis, MN. September 2019.

Roya Biggie  
Assistant Professor of English


David Bunde
William & Mary Ingersoll Chair and Professor of Computer Science


Elizabeth Carlin-Metz
Smith V. Brand Professor of Theatre


Craig Choma
Associate Professor of Theatre

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Research/Creative Work in London - $1,400.

Thomas Clayton
Professor of Chemistry


Catherine Denial
Bright Distinguished Professor of American History

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: The Ojibwe Community at Fond du Lac - $675.


Virtual Guest Speaker: PSY 665: Teaching Practicum, Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, AZ.


**Scott DeWitt**

**Assistant Professor of Educational Studies**


**Deirdre Dougherty**

**Assistant Professor of Educational Studies**


Weihong Du
Associate Professor of Asian Studies, Chinese
Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Paper Projects and Course Development - $1,685.

Nancy Eberhardt
Szold Distinguished Service Professor of Anthropology-Sociology
Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Field research in Thailand: Contemporary Theravada Buddhist Practice in Thailand - $3,000.

Guest Speaker: Fall term graduate seminar at University of Chicago.

Danielle Fatkin
Associate Professor of History
Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Ancient Agriculture - $450.

Andrea Ferrigno
Associate Professor of Art
Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Solo Exhibition/Studio Support - $2,300.


Ole Forsberg
Assistant Professor of Mathematics-Statistics


Nick Gidmark
Assistant Professor of Biology


Publication: Pos, KM (’18), SC Farina, MA Kolmann, and NJ Gidmark, “Pharyngeal jaws converge by similar means, not to similar ends, when minnows (Cypriniformes: Leuciscidae) adapt to new dietary niches.” Integrative and Comparative Biology 59.2 (August 2019): 432-442.

Conference Presentation: with Madison Byrne (’21), Jeri Rosenbloom (’18) and Janki Bhalodi (’21), “Reconciling Anatomical and Physiological Models of Feeding Biomechanics Through Evolution in Centrarchid Fishes,” Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology annual meetings, Austin, TX.

Conference Presentation: with Kelsie Pos (’18), MA Kolmann, T. Gao, LP Hernandez, “Morphological evolution within minnows exhibits decoupling of form & function during periods of climate change in North America.” Society for INtegrative and Comparative Biology annual meetings, Austin, TX.

Conference Presentation: with Sam Arrez (’19), K. Arango, and A. Ferrigno, “Impacts of a fin whale skeleton in teaching Art and Biology courses at an undergraduate-only college.” Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology meetings, Austin, TX.

Gregory Gilbert
Professor of Art and Art History

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Research at Yale University - $1,290.

Article: “Developing a Specialized Identity as an Art History Generalist in a Teaching College,” *Art History Teaching Resources* (May 2020).


**Michael Godsil**  
**Instructor of Art-Photography**

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: "Hot Ice": creative photographs of receding glaciers & icebergs - $4,000.

Exhibition: Two person art exhibition "Hot Ice" featuring 30 years of my creative photographs of glaciers and icebergs (50 photos total), along with 3-D ice-themed artworks by Harlow Bloom. Buchanan Center for the Arts, Monmouth, IL. June 2 - August 14, 2020.

**Jeff Grace**  
**Associate Professor of Theatre**

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Caffe Cino: Staged Reading, Follow-up Interviews, and Archival Research - $2,220.


Pierce Gradone
Assistant Professor of Music

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: “Keep the Balance on a Back Curve: Works for Winds” - $3,000.

Self-published composition: “On A Blue Burst of Lake,” for oboe and piano, 15’ Commissioned by Andrew Nogal with funds from Johns Hopkins University, Jamescrest Music, ASCAP.


Self-published composition: “Relic,” for string trio, 2’ Commissioned by the Amorsima Trio, Jamescrest Music, ASCAP.


Performance: “Keep the Balance on a Back Curve,” Katherine Weintraub, alto saxophone, University of Miami, Miami, FL. October 20, 2019.

Nathalie Haurberg
Associate Professor of Physics

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Exploring Spectroscopic Imaging and Analysis Using LISA Spectrograph, 2 student workers - $2,640.

Todd Heidt
Associate Professor of Modern Languages, German

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: German Culture before 1900 - $1,200.
Presentation: with Claudia Kost, “Rethinking the History and Culture Reader,” German Studies Association, Portland, OR. October 3-6, 2019.

Andrew Hertel  
Associate Professor of Psychology

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Sources of Substance Use Identities - $1,468.


Heather Hoffmann  
Professor of Psychology


Mark Holmes  
Associate Professor of Art and Art History

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Creative work materials - $1,200.

William Hope  
Associate Professor of Anthropology-Sociology

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: “How Knowledge Moves”: Correspondences of skill and movement in ecological design - $1,312.


Helen Hoyt  
Associate Professor of Chemistry


L. Sue Hulett  
Rik and Sophia Henke Distinguished Professor of Political Science and International Relations


Matt Jones-Rhoades  
Associate Professor of Biology

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Research with CRISPRS - $600.

Karen Kampwirth  
Professor of Political Science

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: *500 Years of LGBT History in Latin America* bibliography - $278.

Cyn Kitchen Fitch  
Associate Professor of English

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Workshop and research materials for Literature of the Desert Southwest - $1,800.


Hilary Lehmann
Assistant Professor of Classics


Lynette Lombard
Professor of Art

Exhibition: Banner for city of Galesburg, displayed at the corner of Simmons and Cherry Streets organized by Carla Markwart and the City of Galesburg. A section of my painting “Rock Slide,” oil on canvas.


Exhibition (group): Artists’ Choice Drawing Show, Bowery Gallery, NY.

Nikki Malley  
Associate Professor of Music

National Endowment for the Arts - Rootabaga 2020, Nikki Malley, Andy Crawford, $10,000.00.

Galesburg Community Foundation - Knox Jazz Year, Nikki Malley, Andy Crawford, $3,500.


Performance: Jerome Mirza Jazz Residency featuring Caroline Davis: Artistic Director and Director, Knox Jazz Ensemble. November 4-8, 2019.

Beth Marzoni  
Visiting Assistant Professor of English

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: A Joint Statement: On Collaboration - $1,480.


**Frank T. McAndrew**  
**Cornelia H. Dudley Professor of Psychology**


Article: "Why losing a dog can be harder than losing a relative or friend," *Considerable* (May 6, 2020).

Article: "Why do old people hate new music?" *Purple Sneakers* (May 5, 2020).


Article: "Reading faces: Why we sometimes get it wrong," *Art in Real Life* (online) (June 3, 2020).


Article: "How the God you worship influences the ghosts you see," Appeared in Business Mirror, The Durango Herald, & The Conversation (Indonesian) (September 5 & 9, 2019).

Article: "The psychology behind why clowns creep you out," Appeared in CNN, Quartz, Popular Science, The Wire, Inverse, ActivelyLearn.com, & several dozen other publications (September 4, 2019).

Article: "Politicians don’t seem to laugh at themselves as much anymore," Appeared in The Conversation, Intellectual Takeout, Wall Street Window, and more than two dozen other news outlets (August 21, 2019).

Articles: 12 essays Psychology Today Magazine Blog:
“The eternal challenge of conformity pressure” – June 8, 2020
“Five reasons why being at home all the time is so hard” – June 3, 2020
“Why face masks give us the creeps” – June 1, 2020
“Is your personality stressing you out?” – March 9, 2020
“How Does Your House Look Through the Eyes of a Burglar?” – January 22, 2020
“Why Small Talk is a Big Deal” – January 18, 2020
“Why we love big, blood-curdling screams” – October 28, 2019
“Why do we intentionally scare ourselves?” – October 8, 2019
“Why old people hate new music” – October 1, 2019
“Why lifelike dolls and robots creep you out” – September 4, 2019
“Politicians Don’t Laugh at Themselves Very Much Anymore” – August 23, 2019
“There are different kinds of mass shooters – and it matters” – August 8, 2019


Invited Speaker: "GOSSIP: Is it a Social Skill – or a Character Flaw? Western Illinois University, Quad Cities Campus, Moline, IL. November 14, 2019.
Invited Speaker: “Teaching careers at small liberal arts colleges,” part of the “Preparing Future Faculty” program sponsored by the graduate school at the University of Missouri at Columbia, Columbia, MO. October 7, 2019.


Jennifer McCarthy Foubert
Assistant Professor of Educational Studies


Andrew Mehl
Professor of Chemistry

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Continued development of a more Robust GBH1 Hydrogel Biopolymer - $1,063.

Thomas Moses
Professor of Physics

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Equipment & Student Assistant - $3,950.

Julio Noriega
Professor of Modern Languages and Literatures, Spanish

Presentation: “El escritor José María Arguedas o ‘el hombre doliente,’” Quinto Encuentro de Crítica Literaria, Muerte y Carnaval en José María Arguedas, Universidad Nacional de Colombia, Bogota, Colombia. December 2-4, 2019.


Presentation: "Rumbos de la literatura quechua en el siglo XXI. Casa de la Literatura Peruana, Lima. August 8, 2019.


Sara O'Brien
Assistant Professor of Psychology


Mitchell Parks  
Assistant Professor of Classics


Brandon Polite  
Associate Professor of Philosophy


Antonio Prado  
Associate Professor of Modern Languages and Literatures, Spanish

Moderator and Discussant: XXVI Congreso Internacional de Literatura y Estudios Hispánicos Panel, “La literatura frente a la Guerra Civil y el franquismo” - Virtual, June 2020.


Robin Ragan  
Professor of Modern Languages, Spanish

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Interpreting for Asylum-Seekers at the Border - $782.


Nicholas Regiacorte
Associate Professor of English


Kathleen Ridlon
Assistant Professor of Dance

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Research in Community Dance Practices/BrainDance - $2,200.

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: NDEO Workshop - $820.

Magali Roy-Fequiere
Associate Professor of Gender and Women’s Studies

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Artist Residency at PLAYA, Summerlake, Oregon - $850.

Jonah Rubin
Assistant Professor of Anthropology

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: The Politics of “Real News”: Facticity, Authority, and Democratic Citizenship in an Era of Disinformation - $800.


Michael A. Schneider  
Professor of History / Provost and Dean of the College


Charles E. Schulz  
George Appleton Lawrence Distinguished Service Professor of Physics


Carol Scotton  
Associate Professor of Economics


Emre Sencer  
Associate Professor of History

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Research in Odessa - $540.

Chad Simpson  
Associate Professor of English

Short Story: "Notes Toward a Story Called Quadriplegic," *Sou'wester* (Spring 2020): 84-87.

Short Story: "Notes Toward a Story Called Streetlight Superman," *Story Magazine*, Issue #8 (Summer 2020).

Robert Smith  
Professor of English


Jennifer Smith  
Associate Professor of Dance

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Duncan Symposium - $1,400.

Katie Stewart  
Assistant Professor of Political Science and International Relations


**Kristen Strom**  
Coordinator of Teacher Education


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**Jennifer Templeton**  
Professor of Biology


James Thrall
Knight Distinguished Associate Professor for the Study of Religion & Culture


Nurettin Ucar
Visiting Assistant Professor of Modern Languages, German

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: TTLO Online Workshop - $615.


Lawrence Welch
Clara A. Abbott Distinguished Professor of Chemistry

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Subterranean Radon Monitoring - $3,050.

Knox Faculty Research / Creative Work Grant: Radon Monitoring - $3,359.