



Department of Nutrition and Health Sciences



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CEHS: Values



- Working together to positively impact the lives of individuals, families, schools, and communities;
- Respect for all people, ideas, voices, and perspectives;
- Multidisciplinary approaches to scholarship that integrate teaching and learning, research, scholarship, and creative activity, outreach, and service;
- Innovation, creativity, and curiosity as we address the complex issues facing individuals, families, schools, and communities;
- Emphasizing the creation of new knowledge and its application to human and community needs thereby combining the strengths of a research and a land-grant university;
- Partnering with people in the community to support the mission and vision of the College of Education and Human Sciences;
- Excellence in all aspects of the life of the College.



NHS: Our People Supporting Learning



- 36 faculty members (including Extension educators), courtesy faculty, and temporary lecturers
- Preceptors, supervisors for internships, and experiential learning
 - UNL athletics and research laboratories within our department across campus
 - Off-campus in healthcare and community settings
- 70 graduate and professional students
- 900 undergraduate students



NHS: Our People Supporting Graduate & Professional Students



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NHS: Locations

- **City Campus**
 - Carolyn Pope Edwards Hall
- **East Campus**
 - Ruth Leverton Hall
 - Gwendolyn Newkirk Human Sciences Building
 - Filley Hall
- **The Scarlet Hotel on Nebraska Innovation Campus**
 - Moving soon: Hospitality, Restaurant and Tourism Management
- Nutrition and Health Sciences in both the **College of Education and Human Sciences (CEHS) & the Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources (IANR)**; Extension and Research within IANR



NHS: Graduate and Professional Programs

MS & DOCTORATE

- Athletic Training
 - *Dr. Dennis Perkey*
- Biochemical and Molecular Nutrition
 - *Dr. Sathish Natarajan*
- Community Nutrition and Health Promotion
 - *Dr. Weiwen Chai*
- Exercise Physiology
 - *Dr. Terry Housh*
- Food Literacy, Quality, and Safety
 - *Dr. Georgia Jones*
- Hospitality, Restaurant and Tourism Management
 - *Dr. Ajai Ammachathram*
 - *Dr. Vernetta Kosalka*
 - *Dr. Kristin Malek*
- Nebraska Center for Prevention of Obesity Diseases (NPOD)
 - *Dr. Janos Zempleni*
- Nutrition and Exercise
 - *Dr. Shinya Takahashi*



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