**UDTS Core Faculty 2024-2025 (Ranked, or Administrative Staff with 50% + load)**

**Qualifications and Development**

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| **Faculty** | **Rank; Field** | **Degree, School** | **Denomination** | **Start; Gender; Race/Ethnicity** | **Development**  **(IAC Funding; Reduced Load)** |
| Rev. Emily Blue | Staff; Ministry | D.Min. Candidate  UDTS | United Church of Christ | Fall 2018  Female; White |  |
| Rev. Elmer Colyer | Professor, tenured  Doctrine | Ph.D Boston College | United Methodist Church | Spring 1993  Male; White | William Lomax Award 2001  Herbert Manning Award 1999 |
| Mary Emily Duba | Associate Professor  Theology | Ph.D University of Chicago Divinity School | Evangelical Lutheran Church in America | Fall 2018  Female; White | 2023-Present Chair of the Theology Department |
| Nicholas Elder | Assoc. Professor  New Testament | Ph.D Marquette University | Presbyterian Church U.S.A. | Fall 2019  Male; White | 2024-25 Chlapaty Chair |
| Susan Forshey | Assoc. Professor  Discipleship & Christian Formation | Ph.D. Boston University School of Theology | Episcopalian | Fall 2014  Female; White | Chlapaty Chair 2018-19 & 2022-23 |
| Rev. Christopher James | Professor, tenured  Evangelism & Missional  Christianity | Ph.D. Boston University School of Theology | Presbyterian Church U.S.A. | Fall 2014  Male; White | Chlapaty Chair 2017-18 & 2020-21 |
| Rev. Bradley Longfield | Professor 1998, tenured 1996  Church History | Ph.D. Duke University | Presbyterian Church U.S.A. | Fall 1992  Male; White | Lomax Award 1998 |
| Rev. Beth McCaw | Dean, Associate Professor  Ministry | D.Min.  Gordon Conwell Theological Seminary | Presbyterian Church U.S.A. | July 2004  Female  White | 2024 Dean’s School  2022 Presbyterian Exec Leader Training  2021 Mental Health First Aid Training  2013-14 Chlapaty Chair |
| Rev. Matthew Schlimm | Professor, tenured  Old Testament | Ph.D Duke University | United Methodist Church | Fall 2008  Male; White | Chlapaty Chair 2012-13 & 2019-20  Lomax Award 2018 |
| Rev. Timothy Slemmons | Professor, tenured  Worship, Homiletics | Ph.D Princeton Theological Seminary | Presbyterian Church U.S.A. | Fall 2008  Male; White | John Knox Coit Award 2016  Chlapaty Chairs 2021-22 & 2016-17 |
| Lindsey Ward | Associate Professor  Leadership, Administration | EdD Edgewood College | Presbyterian Church U.S.A. | Spring 2022 |  |
| Travis Frampton | President | Ph.D Baylor University |  | June 2024  Male; White |  |