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Sabrina Jedlicka Named Deputy Provost of Graduate Education

Dear Members of the Lehigh Community,

Sabrina Jedlicka has been named Deputy Provost of Graduate Education, effective September 1st. In this role, Sabrina will work to support and promote graduate education and graduate student life at Lehigh. Her work will include a focus on graduate student recruitment and enrollment, including fostering the development of innovative strategies to increase enrollment and creating opportunities for interdisciplinary coursework. She succeeds Oliver Yao in this role.

Sabrina has served as Associate Dean for Academic Affairs in the P.C. Rossin College of Engineering since 2020, as well as serving as Associate Professor of Bioengineering and Materials Science and Engineering. In these roles she has championed innovation and modernization of the engineering curriculum and has developed strategies for improving the graduate student admissions and recruitment processes. Sabrina also played a critical role as co-lead of the Education With Purpose working group during the strategic planning process, which generated many ideas for enhancing graduate education at Lehigh.

Sabrina has been instrumental in student access and success in the College of Engineering and her work has contributed to record levels of gender diversity in the incoming class for the Rossin College. She is an innovative educational leader at the college and department levels. Her commitment to students is noteworthy, and her enthusiasm for bioengineering has motivated and energized many future engineers. I am confident she will continue this impact as she works to advance and enrich graduate education at Lehigh.

Throughout her 15-year tenure at Lehigh, Sabrina has made prominent contributions to Lehigh's academic and research communities. She advanced cutting-edge research while remaining student-focused. She has assisted students in applying for grants to further their research, and has been a passionate advocate for women in STEM.

You can read more about her work and research here