

College of Arts and Sciences

Academic Department

Undergraduate Advisors

We encourage you to contact your department advising coordinator to inquire about advising (see list below). The department advising coordinator can provide information on courses offered or any other information which will help you reach your educational goal. Students who maintain a relationship with their departments are more likely to persist. It also allows for greater opportunity to meet other students with similar interests. Students planning to further their education through a graduate program should be particularly careful to seek advice from a faculty member in the subject area.

A&S Academic Department Contacts

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Office Hours (times as listed or by appointment)

* Faculty Advisors' office hours will be posted in their Departmental Office at the beginning of each semester

** If the student is unable to make arrangements to meet with a department advisor, they may make arrangements to meet with the department chair. If department chair is unavailable then they can schedule an appointment to meet with an advisor or be seen as a walk-in in the **College Advising Office, 303 Lucas Hall.**