Twelve Faculty Selected as 2018-19 TIDE Ambassadors  
(Teaching for Inclusiveness, Diversity, and Equity)

The Institute for Teaching Excellence & Faculty Development (TEFD) at the University of Massachusetts Amherst is pleased to announce the recipients of the 2018-2019 TIDE Ambassadors (Teaching for Inclusiveness, Diversity, & Equity) faculty fellowship award. Throughout the program year, participants will explore how they can enhance students’ learning and academic success across cultural, social, and learning differences by adopting a strength-based, inclusive and equitable approach to teaching and learning grounded in the value of diversity.

The twelve 2018-2019 faculty fellows represent a wide range of disciplines and teaching interests:

- Jessica Barr, Associate Professor, Comparative Literature, Languages, Literatures, and Cultures, College of Humanities and Fine Arts
- Forrest J. Bowlick, Lecturer, Geosciences and Environmental Conservation, College of Natural Sciences
- Kevin D. Goodman, Visiting Assistant Professor, Student Development/Social Justice Education, College of Education
- Lisa Harvey, Professor, Psychological and Brain Sciences, College of Natural Sciences
- Deborah Keisch, Lecturer/Faculty Director of Community Scholars Program, Civic Engagement and Service Learning
- Maxine Oland, Lecturer, Anthropology, College of Social & Behavioral Sciences
- Magda Oiry, Lecturer, Linguistics, College of Humanities and Fine Arts
- Tamara Rahhal, Senior Lecturer II, Psychological and Brain Sciences, College of Natural Sciences
- Caleb Rounds, Lecturer, Biology, College of Natural Sciences
- Lisa Saunders, Associate Professor, Economics, College of Social & Behavioral Sciences
- Paula L. Sturdevant Rees, Assistant Dean for Diversity, College of Engineering
- Laura Vandenberg, Assistant Professor, Environmental Health Sciences, School of Public Health & Health Sciences

For more information on the TIDE Ambassadors Faculty Fellowship Program, please contact Kirsten Helmer khelmer@umass.edu