

Vice President Academic and Student Affairs



Dr. Julie Buckman
VPASA

01 → Strong Student Advocate

Dr. Julie shows a deep commitment to student access and success for all current and future students. She was instrumental in helping to establish and promote the College's new One Stop and enrollment management plan. She is an effective communicator and is very reliable.

02 → Supports Dakota Values

Dr. Julie demonstrates comprehensive understanding of, respect for and commitment to, the mission of our Tribal College and Dakota Values.

03 → Team Builder

Dr. Julie fosters team spirit among faculty and staff and has established a strong drive towards the common goals of keeping SWC as the college of choice. She maintains flexibility in doing required tasks, as well as handles stressful situations in a calm and courteous manner at all times.

04 → Establishes a Sense of Urgency

Dr. Julie is very proactive in communicating critical needs for immediate action and highlights potential consequences in delays. Dr. Julie is very active in establishing and maintaining budgets for all positions. She leads as a PI for grants and monitors enrollment and expenditures.

05 → Leading Beyond College Boundaries

Dr. Julie has proven over and over her ability and willingness to pave the way forward for student success, retention, and transfer. She has set the groundwork for new articulation agreements and partnerships with other universities.

06 → Knowledgeable & Respected Supervisor

Dr. Julie has knowledge of all College policies and procedures and holds herself and others accountable. She is highly regarded and admired at SWC.

07 → Impeccable Credentials

PhD, Capella University; MS, Capella University; BA, Sinte Gleska University; BS, Bellevue University