

FACULTY RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDENTS

Nutrition and Food Science Faculty	Areas of Research	E-mails Addresses
Bianco	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Process and impact evaluations related to food insecurity programs • Impact of social services on student success and health outcomes • Impact of nutrition interventions on behavior change for K-12, college students and low-income seniors, families, and individuals in rural northern CA • Process and impact evaluations related to local food system programs (e.g., Farmers' Market Match and nutrition intervention programs, Food Rescue program and Harvest of the Month collaborations with school foodservice) 	sbianco@csuchico.edu
Giampaoli	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School foodservice programs • Eating disorders and disordered eating • Leadership and management in foodservice organizations • Open to other research ideas of interest to students 	jgiampaoli@csuchico.edu
Giovanni	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food quality: sensory, instrumental, and nutrition, related to regenerative agricultural and novel production methods • Development of a local food assessment and action plan for Butte County • Networking food resources in a community and economic development • Development and impact of a cooking class for students on self-efficacy • Consumer POBAs (perceptions, opinions, beliefs, attitudes) about sustainability in the food system, including EcoLabeling 	mgiovanni@csuchico.edu

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sensory evaluation of food and other consumer products 	
Goto	<p>Current research projects</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluation of a Collaborative Online International Learning (COIL) Project among College Students: Food Product Analysis and Development Project • Factors associated with Food Consumption and Nutritional Status among Middle-School Children and Their Families in Northern Thailand • Food insecurity and nutrition in Cuba • Evaluation of a mindful eating program among parents of elementary school children • Mindful Eating and Satisfaction with Food-Related Life among European and U.S. College Students. • Examination of traditional food in Cuba, Jamaica and Haiti and Food Attitudes, <p>Recent research projects (manuscripts under review/in preparation)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessment of Cue-Elicited Food Craving and Emotional Eating among Elementary School Children • Factors Associated with Perceived Health and Perceived Nutrition among Women in Nadi, Fiji. • Effects of a nutrition intervention on maternal quality of life among pregnant women in Malawi: A Randomized Controlled Trial 	kgoto@csuchico.edu
Holland	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I'm open to working with students with their own ideas. • Maternal-child dyad such as breastfeeding babies, toddler nutrition. • I'm interested in exploring dietary supplement use among college students, since I teach Dietary Supplements and Functional Foods. 	jholland@csuchico.edu

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I would like to conduct a study on the impact of Covid-19, shelter-in-place, and food security. 	
Klobodu, Cynthia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Current Research Projects: Fertility, Cancer Nutrition and Diet (Fecand) Study. Project aims to develop a dietary intervention for female cancer survivors going through fertility treatment. • Dietary patterns and quality of college students and factors influencing these. • Assessing the Need for Direct CalFresh Application Assistance in an Acute Care Setting: Healthcare Providers' Perceptions of Nutrition Assistance Programs and Approaches in Addressing Patient Food Insecurity <p>Research interests</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open to students' ideas • Cancer survivorship nutrition • Women's health and nutrition • Maternal and child nutrition • Food insecurity • Dietary quality <p>Research skill</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Qualitative methods • Mixed methods research • Formative research 	cklobodu@csuchico.edu
Klobodu, Seth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Household food security and malnutrition in resource-poor settings • Understanding the relationship between the community environment and the nutrition status of residents • Identifying coping strategies for food insecurity and drivers of dietary behaviors among low-income populations. • Effect of interventions such as food fortification, agriculture, dietary diversity, supplementation, and nutrition education on poverty, food security and nutritional status of women, and children 	sklobodu@csuchico.edu

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diversity, weight stigma and inequalities in the nutrition 	
McNamara	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Disordered eating • Health at Every Size • Action based research • Program planning • Clinical nutrition • Open to working with students with their own ideas 	lmmcnamara@csuchico.edu
Morris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Disordered eating among college students • Weight inclusive approaches to health and well-being; weight-based stigma and discrimination • Older adult nutrition 	mrmorris@csuchico.edu
Silliman	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open to working with students with own ideas but have limited availability due to part-time status • Recent graduate projects: Diet and lifestyle of college students before and after COVID; Nutritional knowledge among California State University, Chico student athletes; Are students aware of the risk factors of type 2 diabetes? Food Insecurity among student athletes at a rural university and the need for a fueling station 	ksilliman@csuchico.edu