Responsibility for supervising and directing the operations of the College rests with the major divisional heads.

1. The Provost and Dean of the College is the chief academic officer and is responsible for administering the education program and services of the College under the President and for the development and administration of the academic program in cooperation with the Academic Deans and the faculty.

2. The Vice President for Enrollment Management is responsible for admission and student financial assistance.

3. The Vice President for Finance and Treasurer is the chief financial officer and is responsible for the facilities and grounds, budgeting, personnel, and auxiliary enterprise activities of the College.

4. The Vice President for Advancement is the chief fundraising officer and is responsible for initiating resource development programs to meet the present and future needs of the College, providing for the ongoing stewardship of the College's constituents, and overseeing the programs for alumni and parent involvement.

5. The Vice President for Marketing and Communication is the chief communications officer and is responsible for initiating college relations activities with a broad range of constituencies to enhance the standing and visibility of Gustavus Adolphus College as a premier liberal arts college and as a college of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America.

6. The Vice President for Mission, Strategy, and Innovation is responsible for advancing the mission, vision, strategic plan and overall institutional effectiveness of the College.

7. The Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students is the chief student affairs officer and is responsible for all student services, including Student Activities, Residential Life, the Counseling Center, Campus Safety, and the Student Health Service.

These chief administrative officers, together with the President, constitute the Cabinet, through which the various administrative offices coordinate their activities. The Cabinet is staffed by the Assistant to the President and Secretary to the Board of Trustees.

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