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**FULL-TIME FACULTY**

15 TOTAL

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**AREAS OF EXPERTISE**
- Sustainability
- Medical
- Packaging
- Materials
- Packaging Design
- Distribution and Value Chain

**MINORITY FACULTY**
- 53%

**STUDENTS**

596 TOTAL

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| 54% male | 46% female |

**PROGRAMS**

**UNDERGRADUATE**
- Packaging Science
- Packaging Value Chain Management

**MASTERS**
- Plan A - Thesis Option
- Plan B - Non-thesis Option

**PH.D.**
- Dissertation Option

**RESEARCH AREAS**
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