

David Harrison Bio

Dave Harrison is Vice Provost for Regional Campuses at the University of Central Florida. In this role Dave oversees all activities at 11 campus locations in 7 counties throughout Central Florida. He has worked closely with community college presidents and other higher education leaders to expand access to higher education to those who can't or don't wish to come to the Orlando campus of UCF. His work with the Central Florida Higher Education Consortium guarantees admission to graduates of partner community colleges, and more UCF degrees are now offered on community college campuses than ever before.

Prior to joining UCF, Dave was chief academic officer at Seminole Community College from 2000 to 2004. Before coming to Florida, he was Dean of Business Technologies at Sinclair Community College in Dayton, Ohio and was the founding Director of the Advanced Integrated Manufacturing (AIM) Center. Prior to entering higher education, Dave was a manager with Accenture (formerly Andersen Consulting) in Pittsburgh. He earned his Ph.D. from Ohio State University, his MBA from the Katz Graduate School of Business at the University of Pittsburgh, and his Bachelor of Chemical Engineering from the University of Dayton.