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Biography

Dr. Sharyn D. Gardner is an Associate Professor of Management in the Management & Organizations Department. Before joining CSUS in 2005, she spent two years at The College of New Jersey just outside of Trenton, NJ. Prior to her graduate studies and coming to Sacramento State, Dr. Gardner gained extensive experience in management during her eight years in industry. During that time she opened five restaurants and was responsible for all operations; managed various operational projects related to corporate strategy; and was the regional training manager in the Southern California region.

Dr. Gardner's research focuses on flexibility and coordination within teams, subunits, and organizations. Her teaching interests include Organizational Behavior, Strategic Management, Strategic Human Resource Management, and Business Communications.

In the private sector, Dr. Gardner consults, and conducts training sessions and information presentations for local companies.

Areas of Interests

Teaching Management, Strategic HRM, Strategy, Leadership, Communications

Research Teams (personality, flexibility, coordination) and subunits (flexibility, coordination)

Consulting Management, Strategy, Strategic HRM, Leadership, Communications