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Melissa Colchado Named Chief of Staff - Management and Policy for UA Health Sciences

Colchado reports to Senior Vice President for UA Health Sciences.

Melissa Colchado, who has administrative experience in both academic and clinical entities at the University of Arizona Department of Medicine and Banner – University Medicine, has been appointed chief of staff for management and policy in the Office of the Senior Vice President for UA Health Sciences.

She will work to advance the strategic agenda and priorities of the health sciences colleges, centers, institutes and programs.

Previously senior communications specialist and Academic Management Council coordinator in the Office of the President, Banner – University Medicine, Colchado works in tandem with **Heather P. Hartling**, assistant vice president and chief of staff in the Office of the Senior Vice President for UA Health Sciences.

Colchado reports to **Michael D. Dake, MD**, senior vice president for UA Health Sciences and began her duties Oct. 8.

“The UA Health Sciences is a complex, fast-growing, multi-billion-dollar, statewide enterprise,” Dr. Dake said. “Melissa’s knowledge and experience are incredible assets to this organization and we’re very pleased that she has joined the health sciences team.”

Colchado earned a bachelor’s degree in interdisciplinary studies from the University of Arizona in 2007 and completed the Banner Health Project Management Training Program in 2014.



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