



HUMBERTO M. SPEZIANI became Assistant Vice President for Financial Operations in October 2010. Mr. Speziani joined the University in May 1985 as a Senior Accountant for the Budget Office. During Mr. Speziani's 28-plus years with the University of Miami, he progressively held more responsible positions within the Business & Finance division.

- Budget Office, Senior Accountant in May 1985
- Controllers Office, Supervisor, General Accounting & Reporting in March 1987
- Treasurers Office, Manager, Accounts Payable in July 1988
- Treasurers Office, Manager, Student Accounts in October 1990
- Information Technology, Manager, Billing in August 1991
- Information Technology, Manager, Finance in August 1992
- Information Technology, Assistant Director, Administration and Budget Control in February 1996
- Business Services, Assistant Director, Budget and Administration in July 1998
- Business Services, Director, in February 2001
- Business Services, Assistant Vice President, in December 2005
- Business Services, Interim Vice President, in October 2008
- Treasurer Office, Assistant Vice President, Business Services in May 2009
- Finance & Treasury, Assistant Vice President, Financial Operations in October 2010.
- Finance & Treasury, Assistant Vice President & Interim Chief Supply Chain Officer, in February 2013.

Mr. Speziani received his BBA and MBA from the University of Miami. He also completed the Master Certificate Program in Telecommunication Management, the Harvard Management Development Program, and is a certified brown belt in Six Sigma quality management. He is a member of the SACS accreditation leadership team, representing the Business and Finance division.

As Assistant Vice President for Financial Operations, Mr. Speziani provides management direction for all aspects of Purchasing, Risk Management, Environmental Health and Safety, Document Services and Solutions, Copy Centers, Travel, Contract Administration. He also serves as the disaster recovery coordinator for Financial Operations and is the alternate to the University's disaster recovery team leader. He is responsible for planning, directing, and coordinating the operations of the department's internal financial accounting and reporting systems. He provides direction for all fiscal functions, including budget formulation and financial performance reporting for all Financial Operations' units. Mr. Speziani is responsible for the administration of the

Business Services' budget of approximately \$30 million. Financial Operations has 66 University employees.

Mr. Speziani also monitors operations to ensure policies and procedures produce desired results, and supervise the financial condition and/or feasibility of all current and prospective operations and projects; including contractor's performance for compliance to terms of outsourcing agreements. Financial Operations handles the establishment, monitoring, and review of the majority of University business contracts. Mr. Speziani is responsible for insuring the institution for a variety of risks associated with University operations, he works closely with the insurance industry to develop a risk management plan which insures the University for property, casualty and other lines of coverage. Coordinates claims with FEMA, insurance companies and the University as part of the UM/FEMA catastrophe team, which provides pre and post disaster preparedness and has responsibility for the Green U program, which has taken steps to adopt sustainable environmental policies. Mr. Speziani helps maintain the morale and business culture of the department by encouraging collaboration, team work and open communications.