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Robbin Chapman has been at Wellesley College since 2011 where she provides strategic leadership and vision for the College's diversity and inclusion, and academic and faculty excellence initiatives. As a member of the Partnerships for Diversity & Inclusion team, which advances equity efforts across the campus, Dr. Chapman works on faculty development and student achievement issues and collaborates with academic departments on faculty searches. In addition, she

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