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Josh Davis serves as UNL's Associate Vice Chancellor for Global Affairs and Senior International Officer. He is responsible for all aspects of campus internationalization and leads UNL's cross-campus efforts to strategically expand its global reach and impact. He also provides leadership for the Institute of Agriculture & Natural Resources' Office of Global Engagement.

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