Rusty Guill is in his 30th year as a Clemson University employee in 2018–19, all within the Division of Student Affairs. He currently serves as a special assistant to the vice president for Student Affairs. Guill also serves as a liaison for university and city relations, assists with development opportunities and works closely with students and groups to enhance the Clemson experience.

Guill accepted his current role in 2015 after a reorganization within Student Affairs when Almeda Jacks was named vice president for a second time. He had served as special assistant to Jacks in her first tenure at Clemson from 2000 to 2007. From 2007 to 2015, Guill worked as associate dean of students. His longest stint was as personnel and budget director for Student Affairs from 1989 to 2000.

Prior to his tenure at Clemson, he was a production manager for a chemical company in Atlanta, Ga. Guill also spent some time as an associate athletic director at Middle Tennessee State in Murfreesboro, Tenn.

Guill has served on several boards within the Clemson community, including Rotary, the YMCA and Collins Children’s Home. He is an active member of the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators (NASPA) and Southern Association of College Student Affairs (SACSA). He has served on the SACSA board of directors in the past.

Guill’s list of career honors are long and distinguished: Order of the Tiger Award from Clemson Student Government, Blue Key National Advisor of the Year (twice), Clemson Friend to the Greeks Award, SACSA Joe Buck Award, Rotary Club Vocational Award, Pau Harris Fellow for Rotary and Phi Kappa Tau National Advisor of the Year.

In his free time, Guill enjoys attending Clemson events, traveling and spending time with family. He has been a member of the scoring committee for The Masters, one of professional golf’s premier annual events, in Augusta, Ga., for over 20 years. He has also worked as a member of gameday staff for men’s and women’s basketball events at Clemson.

Guill and his wife Melanie have two children, Kalyn and Carson. Melanie is a first grade teacher at Ravenel Elementary School.