

New Faculty Orientation Agenda 2022-2023 Academic Year

Thursday, August 11, 2022
Getting to know WT and navigation tips

9:00 am	<p>Registration/Informal Breakfast and Introductions <i>Cornette Library Large Lecture Room</i> Formal introductions and orientation overview</p>
9:30 am	<p>Who are We? Understanding our students' abilities, backgrounds and learning styles</p> <p>Institutional Overview and goals Brief discussion of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>A clearer focus on the mission and vision</i> • <i>Reporting structure & protocols</i> • <i>Teaching excellence</i> • <i>Advising</i> • <i>Promotion and tenure</i> • <i>Instructional support</i> • <i>Institutional Culture</i> <p>Dr. Neil Terry, Dr. Amy Andersen, Dr. Bryan Vizzini</p>
10:00 am	<p>Building a Classroom Community Laura Reyher and the Gang</p>
10:30	Break
10:45	<p>Keys to Ease—Information for a smooth transition</p> <p>University Policies—Finals, Incompletes, Dead Day, etc.</p>
11:30	Stories from The Front —WT faculty weigh in on teaching and learning
12:15	<p><i>Lunch in KRC graduate suite</i></p> <p>Welcome from WTPD Barbara Ferrara</p>
1:00	<p>Campus Resources from Graduate School and Research—<i>KRC Suite</i> Graduate School and Research, Office of Sponsored Research Services Dr. Rex Pjesky, Teresa Clemons, Richard Smith</p>
1:30	<p>Title IX and the Clery Act--University Life in the 21st Century—<i>KRC Suite</i> Jeremie Middleton, Meri Lyn Odell</p>
2:30	<p>Other Resources/Transition to HELC—<i>Cornette Library Large Lecture Room</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Circulation/Reserves • Reference • Developing OER/Low Cost-No Cost Options

3:00	Syllabus Overview Requirements and policies to include in your syllabus
3:30	Intro to WTClass <i>Hastings Electronic Learning Center 9</i> Introduction/Log-in
3:45	Identify your needs Questions, comments, discussion of topics
Friday, August 12, 2022 (Casual Dress) Hastings ELC 9	
9:00 am	Breakfast With the President <i>Cornette Library Blackburn Room (2nd floor)</i>
10:00 am	Interfolio <i>Hastings Electronic Learning Center 9</i> An Introduction to Interfolio and HB 2504 Melissa White and Amy Andersen
10:45 am	Interfacing with Classroom Technology and WTClass <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Upload Your Syllabus</i> • <i>Communicate With Your Students</i> • <i>Early Alert</i> • <i>Set Up Your Grade Center</i> • <i>Upload Files</i> • <i>Calendar Deadlines</i> <i>Hastings Electronic Learning Center 9</i>
11:45 am	Break and Transition to Lunch
Noon	Lunch with Department Heads or representatives and new faculty from 2020 <i>Buffalo Room in Alumni Banquet Hall</i>
1:00 pm	Interfacing with Classroom Technology and WTClass
3:00-3:15	Snack Break
5:00 pm	Dismiss

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