Campus Tour and Classroom Technology Orientation
August 17th

Tour:
• 8:00 – 10:00 am: Library Mall outside the Eagle Student Services Center
  ➢ If you haven’t registered but would like to go, please let one of us know.

Classroom Technology Orientation:
• 10:30 am – 1:00 pm: Wooten 110 and 113
• 2:30 – 4:00 pm: Discovery Park B185
  ➢ Classroom Support and CLEAR personnel will be there to help you.
Neal and Debbie Smatresk

invite you and a guest to a
UNT-Sized Barbeque
celebrating
UNT’s Newest Faculty

Tuesday, September 14
5:30 p.m.

Diamond Eagle Suite
President’s Suite, Room 406
UNT Union

Please RSVP upon receipt to
Hannah.Frosch@unt.edu or (940)565-4130.
Please include any dietary restrictions.

Casual Attire
Meet Provost Cowley

October 16, 2017
2:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Union 385
Faculty Information System (FIS)

- Faculty must upload syllabi to FIS each semester and keep profiles current
- Access via my.unt.edu
English Proficiency Form

- All instructional personnel must complete and return this form by September 15.
- If English is not your native language but your academic training was in English, please list English and your native language in the primary language blank.
- A form is in your packet; we’ll also email it to you.
Your Orientation and Onboarding Experience

- NFO Survey: complete before you leave, please!
- Onboarding Survey: coming to you in September
Effective pedagogy is valued and expected at UNT. To help instructors be their best in our classrooms, labs, and studios, UNT has created the Teaching Excellence Handbook.

The Teaching Excellence Handbook can be found at TeachingHandbook.UNT.edu
National Center for Faculty Development & Diversity

Institutional Membership

On-demand access to the mentoring, accountability, support you need to Thrive in the Academy

Membership Benefits:
- Greater success with publications and securing external funding for research
- Increased confidence as an independent researcher and scholar
- Healthier personal and professional relationships with departmental colleagues
- Increased interactions with campus-based and external mentors, sponsors, and collaborators
- Increased job satisfaction and retention

Did you know?
NCFDD currently supports faculty, postdocs, and graduate students on more than 450 institutions from all across the country!

The NCFDD has members from almost every discipline and representing a broad range of colleges and universities. We offer essential tools for underrepresented faculty, postdocs, and graduate students and best practices for all scholars looking to make successful transitions throughout their careers.

Membership@FacultyDiversity.org | www.FacultyDiversity.org | (313) 347-8485

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To make an appointment, you may contact Adriana Salazar via email: adriana.salazar@unt.edu or phone: (940) 565-4886.
Faculty-Led Affinity and Research Groups

**Affinity Groups:**
- Black Faculty Network
- International Faculty Network
- La Colectiva: Faculty Women of Color Mentoring Group
- LGBT Faculty Network
- Women’s Faculty Network

**Research:**
- Faculty Writing Group
WELCOME NEW FACULTY!
For Assistant Professors, Lecturers, and Assistant Librarians
Mentoring Programs at UNT

➢ Who’s Involved?
   • New Assistant Professors, Librarians, and Lecturers

➢ Why?
   • We think mentoring is a critical part of our newest colleagues’ success
   • (and it’s required)

➢ Assessing our Programs
Mentoring Programs at UNT

➢ Traditional Mentoring:
  ▪ Your mentor will help you understand departmental culture and expectations, as well as standards of your discipline
  ▪ Work with your chair to identify a mentor (usually) from within your unit
Cross-Disciplinary Mentoring:

- We’ve placed you in a group with 10 or 11 other new faculty from units across campus.
- Each group has 3 senior faculty as mentors.
- Purpose: to help you learn about UNT as a whole, to help you branch out and network, and to provide a ‘safe’ place to discuss issues of mutual concern.
Cross-Disciplinary Mentoring Team

- Two events per semester for all mentees and mentors
  - Each group gets together for lunch once or twice per semester.
- These groups are designed to meet for your first three years (and longer if you wish).
Mentoring Luncheon
Tuesday, October 17, 2017
12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Union 333
For Assistant Professors
Conference Support

- $1,000 provided to support conference travel

- Eligibility:
  - Assistant Professors in their second or third years
  - Must participate fully in Office for Faculty Success mentoring programs

- Application and report forms can be found on the OFS webpage.
Creative and Research Enhancement Activity Time for Engagement Program
(CREATE)

- $4,000 provided to support a 4-week stay at another institution outside DFW
  - $1,000 supplement possible
- Eligibility
  - Assistant Professors in their fourth or fifth years
  - Must participate fully in OFS mentoring programs
- Application and report forms can be found on the OFS webpage.
Thank You!

For more information please contact:

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