

# **NEW FACULTY ORIENTATION**

## **WESTERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY**

### **August 15, 2017**

The objectives of the New Faculty Orientation are for you to

1. understand the history, values, and future directions of WKU;
2. become familiar with key campus policies, resources and personnel;
3. begin developing a network of professional relationships with your colleagues;
4. begin acquiring information and resources to help you become a successful, contributing member of the WKU faculty.

#### **Tuesday, August 15**

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| 8:00 a.m.  | <b>Registration and Breakfast</b><br>Location: Robertson-Feix Ballroom, Augenstein Alumni Center   |
| 8:30 a.m.  | <b>Opening Remarks, Introductions, &amp; History of WKU</b><br>Dr. David Lee, Provost & Vice President for Academic Affairs  |
| 9:00 a.m.  | <b>Effectiveness in Teaching and Student Success</b><br>Dr. Jerry Daday, Executive Director, Center for Innovative Teaching and Learning   |
| 9:45 a.m.  | <b>Division of Extended Learning and Outreach (DELO)</b><br>Dr. Beth Laves, Associate Vice President, Division of Extended Learning and Outreach   |
| 10:00 a.m. | <b>University Senate</b><br>Dr. Eric Kondratieff, University Senate Chair  |
| 10:30 a.m. | <b>BREAK</b>   |
| 10:45 a.m. | <b>Office of Research &amp; Creative Activity (ORCA)</b><br>Dr. Cheryl Davis, Associate Provost for Research & Creative Activity   |
| 11:15 a.m. | <b>WKU Information Technology</b><br>Ms. Kaliegh Belda, Knowledge Coordinator, Technical Support Services  |
| 11:30 a.m. | <b>Information Fair &amp; Lunch</b>  |
| 12:45 p.m. | <b>Introduction to the Mahurin Honors College &amp; Internationalization Office</b><br>Dr. Craig T. Cobane, Executive Director, Mahurin Honors College, & Chief International Officer- Global Learning |

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| 1:15 p.m. | <b>How to Avoid the General Counsel</b><br>Ms. Deborah Wilkins, General Counsel                |
| 1:45 p.m. | <b>Title IX</b><br>Ms. Andrea Anderson, Assistant General Counsel                              |
| 2:15 p.m. | <b>University Libraries</b><br>Dr. Susann deVries, Dean of University Libraries                |
| 2:45 p.m. | <b>Introduction to the Graduate School</b><br>Dr. Scott Lyons, Dean of the Graduate School     |
| 3:00 p.m. | <b>BREAK</b>   |
| 3:15 p.m. | <b>Regional Campuses</b><br>Dr. Dennis George, Associate Provost for Regional Higher Education |
| 3:30 p.m. | <b>Continuance, Promotion, and Tenure</b><br>Dr. Richard Miller, Vice Provost                  |
| 4:00 p.m. | <b>Closing Remarks &amp; Adjourn</b>   |

**Wednesday, August 16**

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| 7:00 p.m. | <b>New Faculty Picnic</b><br>Location: President's Home on Chestnut Street<br>Cocktails – 7:00 p.m.<br>Dinner – 7:30 p.m. |
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