



# Welcome to Three-Day New Faculty Orientation

## Thursday, July 25 and Monday-Tuesday, July 29-30, 2024

# Agenda

### Thursday, July 25 | Zoom

7:00-8:00 p.m. **Welcome, D2L**  
Amy Johnson, Instructional Technology Systems Administrator  
John Williams, Part-Time Instructional Technology Systems Administrator

### Monday, July 29 | Dahlonega Campus | Cottrell Center Ballroom

8:00-8:30 a.m. **Breakfast and Registration**

8:30-9:30 a.m. **Welcome to UNG**  
Chaudron Gille, Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs  
Steven Lloyd, Vice Provost

9:30-10:00 a.m. **Student Profile and USG Initiatives**  
Eugene Van Sickle, Associate Provost for Undergraduate Programs

10:00-10:30 a.m. **Emergency Preparedness and Campus Safety**  
Dennis Dorsey, Police Captain

10:30-10:45 a.m. **Break**

10:45-11:15 a.m. **Student Accessibility Services**  
Tracey Hurd, Director of Student Accessibility Services

11:15-11:45 a.m. **Embracing Difference in the Classroom**  
Andrew Johnson, Director of Multicultural Student Affairs  
Pablo Mendoza, Director of Multicultural Employee Affairs

11:45-12:00 p.m.

**Counseling and Health Services**  
Joy Pruitt, Senior Staff Therapist  
Simon Cordery, Interim Director, Student Health Services

12:00-1:00 p.m.

**Presidential Luncheon**  
Michael Shannon, President of UNG

1:00-1:30 p.m.

**Introduction to DETI**  
Irene Kokkala, Executive Director of Distance Education and Technology Integration

1:30-2:00 p.m.

**Human Resources and Benefits**  
Beth Arbuthnot, Associate Vice President of Human Resources  
Kathy Martin, Benefits Manager

2:00-2:30 p.m.

**Class Picture and Break**

2:30-3:00 p.m.

**Scholarly Productivity – Goals and Resources – Session 1**  
Holly Verhasselt, Vice Provost for Institutional Effectiveness and Chief Research Officer  
Shelley Aikman, Professor of Psychological Science

3:00-3:30 p.m.

**Scholarly Productivity – Goals and Resources – Session 2**  
Diogo Pinheiro, Assistant Director of Center for Undergraduate Research and Creative Activities and Associate Professor of Sociology  
Yolanda Carr, Director of Sponsored Programs

3:30-4:15 p.m.

**SoTL Panel**  
Facilitator: Rebecca Johnston, Associate Director of Center for Teaching, Learning, and Leadership and Professor of Music  
Sabrina Fordham, Associate Department Head and Associate Professor of Kinesiology  
Abby Meyer, Associate Professor of Psychological Science  
Sarah Formica, Professor of Physics

4:15-5:00 p.m.

**Optional Portrait Headshot Session**  
(Cottrell Center, Room 171)

## Tuesday, July 30 | Gainesville Campus | Nesbitt 3110AB

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8:00-8:30 a.m.	<b>Breakfast and Registration</b>
8:30-9:00 a.m.	<b>Welcome by Gainesville Campus Leadership</b> Kristie Kiser, Director of Academic Student Success Yacine Kout, Assistant Professor of Education Jamie Mitchem, Professor, Institute for Environmental and Spatial Analysis
9:00-9:15 a.m.	<b>University College</b> Kristie Kiser, Director of Academic Student Success LaJuan Simpson-Wilkey, Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs & Dean of University College
9:15-10:00 a.m.	<b>Faculty Handbook</b> CTLL Staff
10:00-10:15 a.m.	<b>Academic Engagement</b> Maxine Douglas, Director of Academic Engagement
10:15-10:30 a.m.	<b>Break</b>
10:30-11:15 a.m.	<b>Performance Evaluation</b> Rebecca Johnston, Associate Director of Center for Teaching, Learning, and Leadership and Professor of Music
11:15-12:00 p.m.	<b>Rosters, Gradebook, and Submitting Grades</b> Melody Moore, Associate Registrar
12:00-1:00 p.m.	<b>Lunch</b>
1:00-1:15 p.m.	<b>AAUP</b> David Broad, Professor of Sociology

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1:15-1:45 p.m.

### Faculty Writing

Michael Rifenburg, Senior Faculty Fellow of Center for Teaching, Learning, and Leadership and Professor of English

1:45-2:45 p.m.

### TILT Principles

Carl Ohrenberg, Assistant Director of Center for Teaching, Learning, and Leadership and Professor of Chemistry

2:45-3:00 p.m.

### Break

3:00-3:45 p.m.

### Effective Assessment of Students

Lindsay Linsky, Assistant Director of Center for Teaching, Learning, and Leadership and Professor of Middle Grades

3:45-4:30 p.m.

### Building Your Course Syllabus

Rebecca Johnston, Associate Director of Center for Teaching, Learning, and Leadership and Professor of Music

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CTLL offers the following Faculty Development opportunities/workshops:

#### Academic Leadership

- New Dept. Heads Workshop Series
- UNG Leadership Series

#### Career Milestones

- Foundations, Reflections, and Methods for Effective Teaching
- Promotion & Tenure

#### Scholarly Productivity

- Friday Writing Sessions
- Shut Up & Write

#### Teaching and Learning

- Engaging Pedagogy Exchange
- Teaching Conversations
- Managing Classroom Conflict
- Artificial Intelligence (AI) Series
- Fulbright Sessions
- Ungrading Series

#### Academies

- High-Impact Practice (HIP)
- Scholarship of Teaching and Learning (SoTL)

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