

# GRADUATE STUDENT WELCOME & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES

FALL WELCOME 2017

## **GRADUATE STUDENT ORIENTATION EVENT FOR NEW AND RETURNING STUDENTS**

### **Overview**

This two-part event will include a Graduate Student Resource Fair and a Welcome Cookout

### **Audience**

This is open to new and returning graduate students and their families.

### **Date, Time, Location**

*Graduate Student Resource Fair*

Saturday, August 26, 2017 (10am-12pm, MSU Union Ballroom)

*Graduate Student Welcome Cookout*

Saturday, August 26, 2017 (12pm-3pm, Benefactors Plaza – behind Chittenden Hall)

### **Registration**

No registration required

## **QUICK START OF TEACHING IN SUPPORT OF STUDENT SUCCESS**

### **Overview**

This ½ day workshop will provide an overview of policies and hands-on problem solving related to important issues for instructors including:

- accessibility of course materials
- accommodations for person with disabilities
- promoting student privacy & academic integrity
- promoting environments free of sexual discrimination and harassment

### **Audience**

This is open to returning (experienced) TAs\*, faculty and instructional staff.

\* It is recommended that new TA's attend New TA Institute on Friday, August 18, 2017 ([www.grad.msu.edu/tapreg](http://www.grad.msu.edu/tapreg)).

### **Date, Time and Location**

Thursday, August 17, 2017

1281 Anthony Hall

8:30am-12:00pm

### **Registration**

Register after Thursday, July 20, 2017 at <https://grad.msu.edu/events/quick-start-teaching-support-student-success>

## **LIBRARIES & TECHNOLOGY ORIENTATIONS**

### **Overview**

Multiple sessions are being held to introduce faculty and graduate students to instructional and research resources at Michigan State University.

- ***Instructional Resources Track*** will cover topics including library teaching resources, learning management system, and classroom technology
- ***Research Resources Track*** will cover topics including research support resources, iCER/High Performance Computing, data management and library research resources

### **Audience**

Open to new and returning graduate students.

### **Dates, Times and Locations**

Instructional Resources Track (Tuesday, August 15, morning; or Monday, August 21, morning)

Research Resources Track (Tuesday, August 15, afternoon)

See registration page (below) for location and specific times.

### **Registration**

Registration open at <https://go.msu.edu/orientation17>

## **ACTIVE SHOOTER AND VIOLENCE PREVENTION TRAINING**

### **Overview**

In response to incidents of violence on campuses nationally, the MSU Police Department will be offering a workshop to focus on proactive and reactive strategies in the event of an emergency at MSU. Because these incidents are unpredictable and evolve quickly, it is imperative that faculty and TAs are prepared should an incident occur during class instruction. This workshop will give faculty and TAs direction on how to react in such a situation benefiting students, teaching assistants and faculty alike.

### **Audience**

All graduate students, faculty and academic staff

### **Dates, Times and Location**

Two options exist for attendees:

- August 24, 2017  
4:00pm-5:30pm  
1281 Anthony Hall
- September 1, 2017  
9:00am-10:30am  
Union Building Room 50

### **Registration**

[https://msu.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_0HTwNr62N9UrScd](https://msu.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_0HTwNr62N9UrScd)