

Welcome to the Advising Network Meeting!

April 13, 2023

Registration

- How is registration going?
- Any trends?
- Any positive stories to share? Any challenges?

Orientation

- Joellen Hatchett, Orientation Coordinator
- Sam Pfab, Student Success Coordinator
- April Orientation updates
- Summer Orientation preview
- Questions?

Communication Trends/Resources

- <https://blog.hootsuite.com/gen-z-statistics/>
- Lori VanHooreweghe, Academic Advisor, Academic Advising
 - Registration and other resource videos!
 - <https://advising.uni.edu/registration>
 - <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL22La3KcDdOM2mnoaHYMraL2MgLOEHeHt>
 - <https://www.youtube.com/@AcademicAdvisingUNI/videos>

Article Read and Discussion

- Nearly Half of Students Lack Key Academic Guidance by Colleen Flaherty, Inside Higher Ed
 - <https://www.insidehighered.com/news/2023/03/01/student-survey-reveals-gaps-core-academic-advising-functions>
- From Student Success Daily News Update Listserv–Inside Higher Ed
 - Sign up here: <https://access.ihenow.com/student-success-newsletter/>
- Discussion questions:
 - Was there anything that surprised you in this article?
 - Were there things that you agreed with or disagreed with?
 - How can we work to holistically advise students?
 - How does technology impact the advising experience? (positive/negative?)

Upcoming events/notes/announcements

SPRING 2023 ACTIVITIES

Jan. 18	CAB Basketball
Jan. 23	NISG Maucker Union Live
Feb. 1	Laser Tag & Glow Mini Golf
Feb. 6	Maucker Union Live - Live Music
Feb. 8	Maucker Movie
Feb. 16	Crafts & Pottery
Mar. 1	CAB Trivia Night
Mar. 9	Panther Hot Ones
Mar. 25	CAB After Dark with Comedy & Hypnotist
Mar. 29	Maucker Union Live - Bingo
Apr. 11	CASH CAB
Apr. 25	Outdoor Drive-In Movie
May 3	CAB End of Year BBQ Bash!

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Follow for updates and fun content throughout the semester!

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CAMPUS ACTIVITIES BOARD

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Did you know?

Beginning in January 2023, preferred names (what is listed in myUNiverse) can be used on student IDs! Current students who want a new card may do so by bringing their existing ID card to Housing and Dining and requesting a new card (make sure your preferred name is updated in myUNiverse first). This change is in effect for all current and incoming students (and employees). Current students changing their preferred name may receive their replacement ID at no cost.

Need to update your preferred name? Log into myUNiverse, navigate to "Update Personal Information," enter your preferred name and select the date for the change to take effect, and click "save changes."

Safe Zone Ally

Registration for [Safe Zone Ally](#) training is now open! Please register in advance.

Phase One

- Wednesday, March 1 - 3:00-4:30 PM (on campus)
- Tuesday, April 4 - 2:00-3:30 PM (virtual)
- Monday, April 24 - 11:30 AM-1 PM (on campus)

Phase Two

- Wednesday, March 8 - 3:00-5:00 PM (on campus)
- Thursday, April 6 - 2:00-4:00 PM (virtual)
- Monday, May 1 - 11:30 AM-1:30 PM (on campus)

**As much advance notice as possible will be given in the event that a session is shifted to a virtual format.*

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- “Bites of Knowledge” sessions hosted by Dr. David “Schmiddy” Schmid
 - Supporting Trans Students
 - Friday, April 28, 11:00-Noon, In Person
 - Email sent out—register ahead of time if you plan to attend!
 - <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc7X4-IgWJ-ab6I3kSXXK1LcR75b2m-NhnoMi4aXOKQws06DfQ/viewform>

Education Majors Wanted!

Do you have a passion for UNI's College of Education & Teacher Education Program?

Want to help the next generation of Panthers find their home at UNI?

Look no further! The Teacher Education Ambassadors is accepting applications!

Scan the QR code to apply today!



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● Panther First Award

- All UNI Faculty and Staff are eligible to receive the Panther First Award. The Panther First Award identifies and rewards employees who have provided excellent customer service to customers, co-workers, or other members of the UNI community. Award submissions are subject to review and recipients are given a certificate signed by the UNI President.
- <https://recognition.uni.edu/panther-first-nomination-form>

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ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

LEADERSHIP AND TUTORING OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

TLC @ Rod Library employs both general and specialized tutors, coaches, and PLUS Leaders. Assistance is most frequently requested for the following areas:

- Statistics
- Reading
- Biology
- Economics
- Accounting
- Writing
- Calculus
- Spanish
- Note Taking
- Time Management
- Chemistry
- Geography
- Physics
- and more

All majors are welcome to apply. If selected, peer educators receive training and can work toward Graduation With Distinction in Peer Education.

Position descriptions and applications at tlc.uni.edu/job-opportunities



ACADEMIC WORKSHOP INCENTIVES

JOIN US THROUGHOUT THE SPRING SEMESTER!

All semester long, TLC @ Rod Library will be offering different workshop topics to master academic skills.

Each workshop attended gives you an opportunity to collect UNI swag and an additional entry into our semester-long contest.

At the end of the spring semester, one lucky student will receive a *\$100 Target gift card!*

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The Learning Center @ Rod Library

THE LEARNING CENTER @ ROD LIBRARY

FREE WALK-IN TUTORING AND ACADEMIC SUCCESS WORKSHOPS ALL SEMESTER!

Open Monday-Thursday
10 am - 10 pm

- Location: Rod Library, main floor
- No reservations required
- Online tutoring available 24/7 through SMARTTHINKING
- Full list of subjects at tlc.uni.edu

Math

Business

Science

Stats

Writing

Test Prep

Spanish

Study Skills

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SPRING 2023 WORKSHOPS

WEDNESDAYS
ROD LIBRARY #272
4:00-4:30 PM

Workshop #1 (Jan. 25) eLearning and Google Calendar

Learn how to find grades, submit assignments, and navigate eLearning. Set up Google Calendar to get organized this semester!

Workshop #2 (Feb. 1) Getting Organized

Learn strategies to stay on track this semester. Learn how to set up your schedule, manage your time, organize your assignments, and avoid burnout.

Workshop #3 (Feb. 8) Time Management

Learn how to manage your time with schedules, organizers, and time management strategies. This is also an opportunity to receive personalized help with your schedule.

Workshop #4 (Feb. 15) Notetaking

Learn note taking strategies meant to keep you efficient, organized, and detailed. Review the pros and cons of handwritten/typed notes and discuss two popular notetaking methods: Cornell and Mapping.

Workshop #5 (Feb. 22) Reading Textbooks

Learn why college readings are an essential part of the learning process. Explore the active reading and SQ3R strategies to improve your reading skills!

Workshop #6 (March 1) Reduce Test Anxiety & Test Taking Strategies

Learn tips and tricks to combat test taking anxiety. Review how to utilize free campus resources to help you reach your academic potential. Learn strategies to help both before and during a test.

Workshop #7 (March 8) Midterm Prep

Learn strategies to effectively prep for midterms. This is also an opportunity to receive personalized assistance as you make your study schedule.

Workshop #8 (March 22) Gmail and Drive Organization

Learn how to better navigate and organize your Google Drive and Gmail account in order to find the files and emails you need faster.

Workshop #9 (March 29) Class Presentations

Learn key components of creating presentations. Review key talking points, presentation tools, and slideshow formatting.

Workshop #10 (April 5) Credible Sources & Information Literacy

Learn how to find and evaluate credible sources with search strategies, databases, and Rod Library resources.

No Workshop April 12

Workshop #11 (April 19) The Writing Process

Learn strategies to avoid writer's block, use outlining methods, and selecting a topic.

Workshop #12 (April 26) Tips for Online Summer Courses

Learn about managing your time effectively, free academic resources, and receive personalized help creating a study schedule.

Workshop #13 (May 3) Finals Prep

Learn strategies to effectively prep for finals. This is also an opportunity to receive personalized assistance as you make your study schedule.

Have any upcoming events you want us to share?

Email Colleen.Sullivan@uni.edu and
Jenny.Connolly@uni.edu !

**Next
Advising Network
Meeting is:**

Thursday, May 11

8:30-10:30 AM

ScholarSpace,

Rod Library Room 301