UNI ADVISING NETWORK

October 7, 2020
8:15 - 9:45 a.m.

Please enjoy conversation with your colleagues prior to the beginning of the meeting!!
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Agenda

● Taking Care of Student’s Well-Being during a Presidential Election

● Spring 2021 Academic Advising & Scheduling/Registration Topics

● Guide and Resources for the Semester Registration Process

● Discussion Topic: Is Virtual Advising Here to Stay?

● News and Announcements
Taking Care of Student’s Well-Being during a Presidential Election

- #panthersvote
- Civic engagement is one of our core values at UNI
- UNI Athletics has joined the campaign...Women’s Basketball & Women’s Volleyball have 100% voter registration!
- panthersvote.uni.edu UNI-DOME is open to any registered voter in Black Hawk County
  - Wednesday, Oct. 7 | 12 - 4 p.m.
  - Thursday, Oct. 8 | 3 - 7 p.m.
  - Friday, Oct. 9 | 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
  - Saturday, Oct. 10 | 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Taking Care of Student’s Well-Being during a Presidential Election

- Feel free to scream. Just don’t do it in a public place.
- Practice acceptance.
- Take action. Decide what you can do to make a difference.
- Create an exit plan. Have a strategy that lets you gracefully exit any anxiety-provoking political conversation, politely change the topic or ably defuse tension.
- Heed your early-warning signs.
- Manage your exposure.
Taking Care of Student’s Well-Being during a Presidential Election

- Think broadly. Try to understand that people are not crazy just because they are supporting another side.
- Build a support system.
- Slow down and self-soothe.
- Be thankful. Think of what you are grateful for, even if it’s just small things.
- Get some perspective. Turn on a comedy, watch a classic movie or turn off the TV and go for a walk.
- Model good behavior. This is a great opportunity to show children how to deal with disappointment. "We can teach kids to be a gracious loser."
Guide to the Semester Registration Process

Use this guide to understand the semester planning and registration process, as well as a portal of campus-wise helpful resources.

advising.uni.edu/semester-registration-process
PRE-REGISTRATION WORKSHOPS

Office of Academic Advising Peer-led workshops via zoom to provide information and guidance to students on using the student registration system

- During the weeks of October 19-October 30:
  - Mondays and Wednesdays @ 1 and 3
  - Tuesdays @ 2:00 and 3:30 pm
  - Thursdays @ 3:30 pm
  - Fridays @ 1:00 pm

- Evening offerings:
  - Monday, October 19 @ 5:30 pm
  - Wednesday, October 21 @ 5:30 pm
  - Tuesday, October 27 @ 6:30 pm
  - Thursday, October 29 @ 5:30 pm

Open to All Students!
DISCUSSION TOPIC

EAB: Is virtual advising here to stay? Why virtual advising (prompted by the pandemic) should become a permanent part of your student success strategy

1. Is your virtual advising showing promising results? How?

2. How is virtual advising improving your engagement with students?

3. What are “best practices” with virtual advising you are using?
SPRING 2021
NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION

- Friday, November 20, 2020
- Friday, December 18, 2020
- Friday, January 22, 2021
  - Individual advising appointment times
    - 8:45am, 9:30am, 10:15am, 11:00am, 12:45pm, 1:30pm, and 2:15pm.
NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Public History Info and Career Development Session

Monday, October 12, 2020 | 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. | Zoom

Wondering how to take that history major and apply it directly to your future career?
Discuss the possibilities with Professor Dong and Professor Calderon.

Public history is the application of history to the public realm--through museums, historic sites, libraries, and through public advocacy. It covers a wide variety of career opportunities and approaches to history.

Come to our general information session for an introduction to our programs: the Public History Certificate, the Public History Minor, and the M.A. in History with a Public History Emphasis. We will also discuss the exciting internship opportunities available through our program and this will be an opportunity for current and prospective students to start thinking about their plans! TJ Warren, assistant director of Career Readiness and Employability will hold a workshop on how to find and apply for internships and careers in public history as well.

Majors in Minutes is an annual opportunity to help students explore UNI majors. This event uses a speed-dating style approach to connect students with senior students in each UNI major.

Register for this event at advising.uni.edu
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2020
8:15 - 9:15 A.M.  OR  3:30 - 4:30 P.M.

ALL THINGS ADVISING - PREPARING FOR SPRING 2021 REGISTRATION

No RSVP Required / Sponsored by the UNI Advising Network

This workshop is for undergraduate academic advisors to begin preparations for student registration for the Spring 2021 semester. Timely advising and student success topics will be addressed as well as time for Q&A.
NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

● UNI Advising Network Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Challenge (Zoom)
  ○ Friday, October 16, 2020
  ○ 9:00 - 10:00 a.m.

● “How To Be An Antiracist” (Ibram X. Kendi)
  Annual Diversity Book Read
  ○ October 16 - November 13 / Friday @ 10:00 a.m.
  ○ Jenny and Dave facilitators