



Schedule

Monday August 17, 2009			
Welcome			
9:00-9:10	Todd Hall Auditorium, Room 116	Welcome from the Dean	Dr. Howard Grimes, <i>Dean of the Graduate School</i>
9:10-9:25	Todd Hall Auditorium, Room 116	What the Graduate and Professional Student Association (GPSA) can do for you!	Jason McConnell, <i>President of the Graduate and Professional Student Association</i>
Healthy Body-Healthy Mind: Services for Your Well-being			
9:25-9:35	Todd Hall Auditorium, Room 116	University Recreation	Ashley Jones, <i>WSU UREC</i>
9:35-9:45	Todd Hall Auditorium, Room 116	Counseling Services	John Ramirez, <i>Counseling Services</i>
9:45-10:10	Todd Hall Auditorium, Room 116	Graduate School Program Resources	Cindy Hollenbeck, <i>Graduate School</i> Mary Ohnemus, <i>Graduate Programs</i> Donna Blacker, <i>Graduate Programs</i>
10:10-10:25	Break —Question and Answer Period (GPSA Snack Break)		
The Graduate School: Connecting to the Staff and Policies			
10:25-10:40	Todd Hall Auditorium, Room 116	Health and Wellness Services	Paula Adams and Treva Beebe, <i>Health and Wellness</i>
10:40-11:00	Todd Hall Auditorium, Room 116	Want to get paid? Research integrity and getting your assistantship in order.	Patricia Sturko, <i>Associate Dean of the Graduate School</i> Paul Weed, <i>Graduate School</i>
11:00-11:20	US Citizens:		
	Todd Hall 130	State Residency for US Citizens	Debra Sellon, <i>Associate Dean of the Graduate School</i>
	International Students:		
	Todd Hall Auditorium, Room 116	International Student Employment Information Taking the ITA Exam Social Security Workshop	Wakana Ackerman, <i>Office of International Students and Scholars</i>
11:20-12:00	Lunch Break – On your own		
Resources for Academic Excellence			
12:00-12:15	Todd Hall Auditorium, Room 116	Office of Grant and Research Development	Araceli Frias, <i>OGRD</i>
12:15-12:30	Todd Hall Auditorium, Room 116	Information Technology/Student Computing Services	Jeff Kure, <i>Information Technology</i> David Drewry, <i>Student Computing Services</i>
12:30-12:55	Todd Hall Auditorium, Room 116	WSU Libraries	Lorena O'English, <i>WSU Libraries</i>
12:55-1:00	Break		
1:00-2:00	Todd Hall Auditorium,	Interactive Advising Panel	Grant Norton, <i>Associate Dean Engineering</i>

	Room 116		<i>and Architecture</i> Jill McCluskey, <i>Economics</i> Craig Parks, <i>Psychology</i>
2:00-2:45	<i>International Students:</i>		
	Todd Hall Auditorium, Room 116	Tips for Success for the International Student	Ben Colston, <i>Office of International Students and Scholars</i>
2:45-3:30	<i>Domestic Students:</i>		
	Todd Hall Atrium	Library Tours for Domestic Students	Lorena O'English, <i>WSU Libraries</i>
	Todd Hall Atrium	Library Tours for International Students	Lorena O'English, <i>WSU Libraries</i>

Tuesday August 18, 2009		Connecting in the Classroom	
Resources for Teaching Success			
9:00-9:15	Smith Center For Undergraduate Education (CUE) 203	The TAs Role in the University	Mary Wack, <i>Vice Provost for Undergraduate Education</i>
9:15-10:00	Smith CUE 203	Ethics In and Out of the Classroom	Elissa Keim, <i>Center for Human Rights</i>
10:00-10:30	Break		
10:30-10:45	Smith CUE 203	Campus Teaching Resources	Josh Johnson, <i>Graduate Assistant</i>
10:45-11:15	Smith CUE 203	Interactive Teaching Assistant Panel	Darnell Epps, <i>Music</i> Janine Darragh, <i>Education</i> Alex Trethewy, <i>Biology</i> Hung Duong, <i>Mathematics</i>
Communicating in the Classroom			
<i>Breakout Session I</i>			
11:15-12:00	CUE 203	Effective Instruction Strategies	Carol Anelli, <i>Entomology</i>
	CUE 219	Working with your Advisor as an International TA	Susan Banks, <i>Department of Teaching and Learning</i>
	CUE 209	Intercultural Communication for the Domestic TA	Nancy Bell, <i>English Department</i> , Kimberly Green, <i>CTLT</i>
12:00-12:30	Lunch – On your own		
<i>Breakout Session II</i>			
12:30-1:15	CUE 219	Tips for TAs in Lab Settings	Consetta Helmick and Kirstin Malm, <i>Molecular Biosciences</i>
	CUE 203	Traits and Behaviors of Excellent Communicators	Henry Averhart, <i>Interdisciplinary Programs</i>
	CUE 209	Responding to Student Writing	Lisa Johnson, <i>Writing Center</i>
<i>Breakout Session III</i>			
1:20-2:05	CUE 203	Dealing with Distress and Distressing Students	Cassandra Nichols, <i>Counseling Services</i>
	CUE 219	Tools for Assessing Learning	Chuck Munson, <i>Management and Operations</i>