

Day 1: Monday, August 7, 2023 – All New Faculty (Full-time and V.I.T.A.L.)
Foundations for Faculty and Student Success at KSU
KSU Center, 3333 Busbee Drive, Room 400

8:30 – 8:45 am	Registration
8:45 – 9:00 am	New Faculty Orientation Overview and Introductions Dr. Carmen Skaggs, Assistant Vice President for Academic Affairs Dr. Michele DiPietro, Executive Director of Faculty Development, Recognition, and CETL
9:00 – 9:30 am	Welcome from the KSU President and Provost Dr. Kathy “Kat” Schwaig, President of Kennesaw State University Dr. Ivan Pulinkala, Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs
9:30-10:00am	Goal Setting for Success in Your First Year at KSU Ms. Linda Stewart, Assistant Director for Graduate Student Support, CETL
10:00 – 11:30am	Designing Your Syllabi and Assignments to Support Student Success Ms. Mandy McGrew, Educational Specialist, CETL Dr. Carmen Skaggs, Assistant Vice President for Academic Affairs
11:30am-12:15pm	Fostering a Safe Space for Learning: Inclusive Excellence in the Classroom Dr. Michele DiPietro, Executive Director of Faculty Development, Recognition, and CETL Dr. Rudy Aguilar, CETL Faculty Fellow for Inclusive Excellence
12:15 – 1:00 pm	LUNCH and New Faculty Q & A
1:00-1:15pm	Academic Affairs Organizational Structure and Protocol Dr. Pam Cole, Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs
1:15-2:15pm	Supporting the Success of Our Students Dr. Lori Lowder, Associate Vice Provost for Student Success Ms. Hannah Stocks, Executive Director of Student Advising and Retention Dr. Ronald Briggs, Associate Vice President of Student Affairs and Dean of Students Dr. Amanda Long, Interim Executive Director, Career Planning and Development
2:15-3:15pm	Faculty as Learning Scientists: Using D2L and Data to Enhance Student Learning Dr. Anissa Lokey-Vega, Assistant Vice President for Curriculum and Academic Innovation Dr. Leigh Funk, Assistant Vice President for Academic Effectiveness
3:15 – 3:45pm	BREAK and STUDENT SUCCESS RESOURCE FAIR
3:45-4:30pm	Excellence in Teaching: Taking and Documenting a Scholarly Approach Dr. Tris Utschig, Director for Scholarly Teaching, CETL Dr. Laura Howard, CETL Faculty Fellow for Learning-Centered Teaching
4:30-5:15pm	What Educational Psychology Tells Us about Student Success Dr. Hillary Steiner, Associate Director for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning, CETL
5:15 – 6:30 pm	KSU President’s Reception for New Faculty Dr. Kathy “Kat” Schwaig, President of Kennesaw State University Atrium, KSU Center

**Day 2: Tuesday, August 8, 2023 – Full-time New Faculty
Flourishing as Full-time Faculty at KSU
Location: Kennesaw Campus, Prillaman Building (HS 1000)**

ONLY *Full-Time Tenure-Track, Clinical, Library Faculty, and Lecturers

8:30 – 8:45am	Registration**
8:45 – 9:00am	Welcome & Overview for Day 2** Dr. Michele DiPietro, Executive Director for Faculty Development, Recognition, and CETL (Welcome from CETL) Dr. Carmen Skaggs, Assistant Vice President for Academic Affairs (Introduction of HR)
9:00 – 11:30am	Human Resources New Employee Orientation**
11:45am– 12:30pm	LUNCH**
12:30 – 12:45pm	Registration for those who did not sign up for Human Resource New Employee Orientation
12:45 – 1:30pm	Making a Plan for Year One: Understanding Workload, Preparing Your FPA, and Documenting for Your ARD Dr. John Havard, Chair of the Department of English
1:30-2:15pm	Faculty Success at KSU, Part I. Tools and Techniques (Watermark) Dr. Carmen Skaggs, Assistant Vice President for Academic Affairs Mr. Wes Daggerhart, Faculty and Academic Services Manager
2:15-2:30pm	BREAK
2:30-3:00pm	Faculty Success at KSU, Part II. Research-Based Strategies for QuickStarters Dr. Michele DiPietro, Executive Director for Faculty Development, Recognition, and CETL
3:00-3:30pm	Finding Your Place and Flourishing: Mutual Mentoring and Supporting Wellbeing Dr. Chinasa Elue, Associate Professor of Educational Leadership and Higher Education Dr. Carmen Skaggs, Assistant Vice President for Academic Affairs
3:30– 3:45pm	BREAK (Full-time faculty without a research workload may depart.)
3:45-4:45pm	Supporting Research and Creative Activity at KSU Dr. Heather Abbott-Lyon, Interim Director of Research Development and Strategic Initiatives, Office of Research Ms. Chelsee Dickson, Scholarly Communications Librarian, KSU Libraries
4:45-5:00pm	Closing Reflection Dr. Chinasa Elue, Associate Professor of Educational Leadership and Higher Education

** The morning session and lunch are only for those who registered for this Human Resources New Employee Orientation through tam@kennesaw.edu. If you did not register for this session, please arrive at 12:30pm for check in