

Faculty Convocation Schedule

	August 12, 2024	August 13, 2024		August 14, 2024	August 15, 2024	August 16, 2024
8:00 – 9:00	Prep for Semester	Prep for Semester		Program Review and Assessment Training Sessions	Program Review and Assessment Training Sessions	Committee Meetings
9:00 – 10:00	Prep for Semester	Prep for Semester	Optional PD*			Committee Meetings
10:00 – 11:00	Prep for Semester	Prep for Semester				Convocation Session 1
11:00 – 12:00	Prep for Semester	Prep for Semester	Optional PD*	Lunch on your own	Lunch on your own	President's Office will be offering a free lunch for staff and faculty 11:30 a.m.- 1:30 p.m.
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch on your own	Lunch on your own				
1:00 – 2:00	Prep for Semester	Prep for Semester	Optional PD*	Division Specific Training on Program Review	Division Specific Training on Program Review	Convocation Session 2
2:00 – 3:00	*AI Policy & Procedure PD/ Prep for Semester	Prep for Semester	Optional PD*			Committee Meetings
3:00 – 4:00	Prep for Semester	Prep for Semester		Division Meetings as Directed	Division Meetings as Directed	Committee Meetings
4:00 – 5:00	Prep for Semester	Prep for Semester				

*See Below for full Faculty PD Schedule with descriptions

Faculty Professional Development Agenda

MONDAY, AUGUST 12, 2024

Monday, August 12, 2024				
TIME	TOPIC	AUDIENCE	LOCATION	Description
2:00 p.m.	SFCC’s Road to an Artificial Intelligence Policy and Procedure presented by the AI Committee Members*	Faculty	Yeater 148	<u>SFCC’s Road to an Artificial Intelligence Policy and Procedure Description:</u> Attend this session to learn about what work has been done at SFCC to build a policy and procedure that addresses the use of AI here at our institution. This is a chance to meet the committee members and, at the very least, learn if they are all human! Artificial intelligence is a hot topic in today’s world. Faculty and staff who work in higher education are faced with new challenges as AI rapidly evolves, leading to a new policy and procedure at SFCC. This session will include a time for Q&A. Answers may or may not be human-generated.
Zoom link: https://sfccmo.zoom.us/j/87445130543				

***It is strongly suggested Faculty attend Monday’s AI session to be better prepared for the semester.**

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 13, 2024

All full-time faculty members are highly encouraged to attend. While participation in the professional development sessions is optional, they offer significant value and will substantially contribute to your growth as a full-time instructor.

Tuesday, August 13, 2024				
TIME	TOPIC	AUDIENCE	LOCATION	Description
9:00 a.m.	Preparing Courses in Canvas: Overview, Tips for Success and Work Session- bring laptops to session with Brandon Henderson	Faculty	Yeater 103	<p>This session offers an overview of the section setup process to include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Updating the section Homepage Uploading and managing course Files Linking a Syllabus document Managing module organization and settings Setting your default column view (order) in the gradebook Checking access with link validator <p>Bring your laptop computer to click along with the presentation and feel free to stay after for additional support.</p>
Zoom link: https://sfccmo.zoom.us/j/86344721007				

Tuesday, August 13, 2024

TIME	TOPIC	AUDIENCE	LOCATION	Description
9:00 a.m.	What to do on the first day of Class- Keeping Your Students Engaged and Setting the Tone with Dr. Cara Barth-Fagan	Faculty	Yeater 121	<p>Are you ready to make a lasting first impression and set the stage for a successful school year? Join us for an invigorating professional development session, "First Day of Class: Engaging Students and Setting the Tone," with Dr. Cara Barth-Fagan, designed to equip educators with dynamic strategies to captivate students from the very start. In this session, you will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Learn Innovative Engagement Techniques• Set Clear Expectations• Build Rapport• Incorporate Technology <p>Whether you're a seasoned educator or new to the teaching profession, this session promises to provide valuable tools and inspiration to ensure your first day sets the right tone for the entire school year.</p> <p>Join us to learn how to transform the first day of class into an unforgettable experience for you and your students!</p>

Zoom link: <https://sfccmo.zoom.us/j/84416209370>

Tuesday, August 13, 2024

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TIME	TOPIC	AUDIENCE	LOCATION	Description
11:00 a.m.	AI- (Statement for Syllabus) Don't Be Scared of AI-How to Use it to Your Advantage- bring laptops to session with Deaven Kaiser & Misty Burnett	Faculty	Yeater 139	Ready to unlock the future? Join Deaven Kaiser and Misty Burnett for a dynamic dive into the world of artificial intelligence! This isn't your average tech talk—it's a hands-on exploration of how AI can jazz up your teaching, streamline your admin tasks, and even give you new ways to connect with students. We'll debunk the myths and show you how to harness AI's power ethically and effectively. Bring your laptops, and let's turn AI from a buzzword into your best ally in the classroom. Don't miss out—let's make AI work for you!
Microsoft Teams link: Click Here				

Tuesday, August 13, 2024

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TIME	TOPIC	AUDIENCE	LOCATION	Description
11:00 a.m.	Developing Growth Mindset in Students a roundtable discussion lead by Danika Doyle	Faculty	Yeater 128	<p>Developing a growth mindset is essential for students to thrive both academically and professionally. This interactive session aims to equip educators with strategies to foster a growth mindset among college students.</p> <p>Participants will explore the concept of a growth mindset versus a fixed mindset, understanding how beliefs about intelligence and abilities impact learning outcomes. Through engaging discussions and activities, attendees will learn practical techniques to encourage resilience, perseverance, and a willingness to embrace challenges.</p>
Zoom link: https://sfccmo.zoom.us/j/4808134622				

Tuesday, August 13, 2024

TIME	TOPIC	AUDIENCE	LOCATION	Description
1:30 p.m.	Addressing Imposter Syndrome with Students a roundtable discussion lead by Jamie Privitt	Faculty	Yeater 129	<p>Imposter phenomenon, inferiority complex, fraud syndrome...the time has come to discuss a condition that is diversely labeled, yet widely experienced. With this phenomenon affecting as much as 82% of the general population, how can we, as educators, help our students dispel the negative consequences resulting from this affliction? Furthermore, how can we conquer the uncertainties that threaten to curtail our own capabilities? To discover the answers to these questions and more, join us in, "Addressing Imposter Syndrome with Students," led by Jaime Privitt. Through instructor-driven content delivery and table talk discussions, we will cover topics such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">· The root causes of imposter syndrome· Ways to vanquish feelings of doubt and exclusion among high achievers· How to help students recognize their strengths and potentialities <p>Because of the prevalence of this condition, it is imperative that all educators understand how to effectively conquer the unfounded insecurities that often inhibit the achievements of those with imposter syndrome. Together, from novice instructors to seasoned professionals, let us</p>

			discover ways to empower and embolden our students as they navigate their paths to success!
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Zoom link: <https://sfccmo.zoom.us/j/86219179948>

Tuesday, August 13, 2024				
TIME	TOPIC	AUDIENCE	LOCATION	Description
1:30 p.m.	Increase Critical Thinking Skills in the Classroom and Online with Michael Desmond	Faculty	Yeater 149	<p>Join Michael Desmond as he will be exploring the fundamental aspects of critical thinking and its transformative potential in decision-making. In the session we will look at several key components, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Understanding and defining critical thinking -Potential benefits of implementing critical thinking assignments throughout our courses. -Highlighting techniques, strategies, practical exercises, applications and reflections -Brainstorming ideas amongst colleagues <p>Let's embrace critical thinking as a tool to navigate complexities, challenge assumptions, and ultimately, promote well-rounded decision makers in our classroom.</p>
Zoom link: https://sfccmo.zoom.us/j/84343942971?pwd=cAejnUfDL6Tm8e2ZVvr0oviTuWF08F.1				

Tuesday, August 13, 2024				
TIME	TOPIC	AUDIENCE	LOCATION	Description
3:00-4:00	Academic Program Review Training Reflection-part 1	Health Science program leads (or as directed by Dean)	FLD226	Presented by: Kaley/Tammie/Becky/Allison

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14, 2024

Wednesday, August 14, 2024				
Time	Topic	Who Should Attend	Presenter(s)	Location
8:00 – 9:00 a.m.	Program Review Overview	All faculty who submit reviews (or as directed by dean)	VPASS/Deans/Darci/Becky	Theatre
9:00 – 10:00	Toolset Overview	All faculty who submit reviews (or as directed by dean)	Becky/Tammie/Deans	Theatre
10:30 – 12:00	Reflection - part 1	Discipline/AFA leads (or as directed by dean)	Kaley/Tammie/Becky/Jim	FLD229
1:00 – 2:30	Reflection - part 1	Career/Tech program leads (or as directed by dean)	Kaley/Tammie/Becky/Michael/Jim	FLD229
4:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Reflection - part 2	Health Sci program leads (or as directed by dean)	MM/Allison/Eric R.	FLD229

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 15, 2024

Thursday, August 15, 2024				
Time	Topic	Who Should Attend	Presenter(s)	Location
8:00 – 9:00 a.m.	Reflection - part 2	Discipline/AFA leads (or as directed by dean)	MM/Jim	FLD229
9:00 – 10:00	Reflection - part 2	Career/Tech program leads (or as directed by dean)	MM/Michael/Eric R.	FLD229
10:00 – 11:00	Playbook	Health Sci program leads (or as directed by dean)	Allison	FLD229
11:00 – 12:00	Playbook	Discipline /AFA leads (or as directed by dean)	Jim	FLD229
1:00 – 2:00	Playbook	Career/Tech program leads (or as directed by dean)	Michael	FLD229
2:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Open Lab (optional, come & go)	All faculty who submit reviews (or as directed by dean)	Becky/Tammie/Deans	FLD229

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 16, 2024



Time	Title	Audience	Location
11:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m.	President's Convocation Session #1	All Staff & Faculty	Theatre
11:00- 1:00	College Welcome Back Lunch	All Staff & Faculty	Cafe
1:00- 2:00 p.m.	12-1	All Staff & Faculty	Theatre