

Spring 2025 Excellence Institute Faculty Schedule

Moody Learning Center 7th Floor Room 712

The Faculty Excellence Institute is designed to equip new faculty members with vital information and essential resources, enabling them to effectively navigate their initial year of employment at SAC.

The comprehensive program offers a warm welcome and engaging orientation sessions, facilitating interactions with our esteemed College Executive Team, and fostering connections with peers from diverse departments.

It aims to establish a solid groundwork for achieving excellence in teaching and learning, focusing on data-informed instructional methods, innovative curriculum development, and effective course design.

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JANUARY

1/21/2025

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Welcome to Spring 2025
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Learning & Assessment Validation LAVC/DAVC
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Important Dates and Processes
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM Classroom Management
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM Online Teaching Certification Orientation

1/22/2025

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Student Conduct Office
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Caring Campus
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Student Academic Success Centers
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM Keeping Students Engaged
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM OTC Course Open Lab

1/29/2025

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Overview of Student Learning Assessments
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Campus Safety
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Early Alert: What Happens Next?
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM Validating First Gen Student Experiences
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM OTC Course Open Lab

1/30/2025

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM SOBI Basics: Supporting as Safe Campus Environment
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Creating Rubrics for Verbal Narratives
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Student Evaluations 101
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM eLumen as a High Impact Practice
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM Introductions to SAC Scores- KPIs - Use of Data

FEBRUARY

2/04/2025

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Wellness Benefits & Mental First Aid
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Work Life Balance for Faculty
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM How Faculty Senate Represents You
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM Chunking Lessons
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM Course Evaluations

2/05/2025

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Fostering Respect: Faculty's Role in Title IX
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Student Resources
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Campus Tour
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM Simple Syllabus
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM OTC Course Open Lab

2/11/2025

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Student Accessibility Services
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Faculty Evaluation and Reading Data
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Perspectives on Data | How to Collect & Use
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM Dignity, Respect, & Belonging
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM OTC Course Open Lab

2/19/2025

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM ACES
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Panopto: Step by Step Video Creation
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Microsoft 365 Tools
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM iPads in Education
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM iPad Educational Apps

2/20/2025

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM OTS & ACOL Services & One Button Studio
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Cheating Prevention | Academic Dishonesty
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Digital Accessibility
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM Cyber Security
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM Simple Syllabus SAC Course Layout

2/24/2025

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Reflection & Feedback Session
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Congratulatory Remarks
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Excellence Institute Wrap-Up
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Ceremony



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