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2017-2018 Spring New Faculty Orientation

January 15, 2018

New Faculty Orientation aims to **welcome** and **support** new (and newish) faculty in becoming familiar with university people, places, programs, and policies and procedures.



Agenda

Time	Event
9:30 AM – 10:00 AM	Registration, coffee
10:00 AM – 10:15 AM	Welcome, Introductions
10:15 AM – 10:20 AM	AUA Students: An Overview. Demographics
10:20 AM – 10:50 AM	Student Management System: What I need to know.
10:50 AM – 11:00 AM	Breathe. Stretch.
11:00 AM - 11:15 AM	Integrated Classrooms
11:15 AM – 11:45 AM	Policies. What do I need to know
11:45 AM – 12:00 PM	Check in. Coffee break.
12:00 PM – 12:15 PM	University Resources: Center for Student Success
12:15 PM – 12:30 PM	University Resources: Counseling Services
12:30 PM – 12:35 PM	Walk down to the library
12:35 PM – 12:55 PM	University Resources: The Library
12:55 PM – 1:40 PM	Tour of Campus (ending at Akian Gallery)
1:45 PM – 2:45 PM	Lunch
2:45 PM – 3:00 PM	What exactly is General Education at AUA?
3:00 PM – 3:25 PM	Moodle
3:25 PM – 3:40 PM	Human Resources
3:40 PM – 3:50 PM	Stretch
3:50 PM – 4:00 PM	Faculty Senate
4:00 PM – 4:15 PM	Questions. Wrap up



AUA Mission

The American University of Armenia aims to have an impact on students and the community as a center of academic excellence, innovation, inquiry, and diversity that contributes to the further development and advancement of Armenia, the region and the world through **teaching and scholarship, fostering creativity, integrity and community service.**



Welcome and Introductions

Quick introductions. Tell us (*quickly*):

- Your Name
- The College(s)/School/Center you will be teaching in
- What is the next place you would like to travel to and why?



AUA Students

Sharistan Melkonian
Director of Assessment and Accreditation



Student Management System

Chaghig Arzrouni-Chahinian
Registrar



Breathe

*Let's just take a moment to breath.
That was a lot to take in.*

Any questions so far?



Integrated Classrooms: How do they work?

*Edgar Markosyan,
IT Specialist*

Information & Communication Technologies Services (ICTS)



Policies. What I need to know.

Sharistan Melkonian
Director of Accreditation



Check in

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University Resources: Center for Student Success

Mariam Mikhaylova
Coordinator of Co-curricular programs

Sharistan Melkonian
Director of Accreditation



University Resources: Counseling Services

Yelena Sardaryan
Counselor



Now ... we are going to walk down to the library.



University Resources: The Library

Satenik Avakian
Director of the Library



Campus Tour

Lusine Minasyan
Communications Department



Lunch

Akian Gallery
4th Floor
Paramaz Avedisian Building



General Education at AUA

Hambardzum Matevosyan
Manager of CHSS and General Education Adviser



Moodle

Tatevik Zargaryan
Library Systems and Electronic Services Librarian



Human Resources

Arina Bekchyan
Director of Human Resources



Stretch.



Faculty Senate

Arto Vaun
Faculty Senate Chairperson



Wrap up

What is one thing I want/need to know before January 17 (As a reminder, that is the first day of classes)?



Resources

Teaching and Learning resources, syllabus template, previous workshop materials can be found at:

<http://iro.aua.am/learning-assessment/>

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Program Chair

Other Faculty

Institutional Research Office, Assessment, Accreditation

Center for Student Success

Workshops

Brown Bag Discussions

Policies available at <http://policies.aua.am>



Thank You

