



Monday Matters: Upcoming Events

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Dear Colleagues:

The start of the semester is coming quickly. I hope you have all had a chance to rest and recharge.

I want to alert you to several upcoming events during the week of August 18, which is the week before classes start and the week that students are moving in and doing various orientation activities.

First, we will have our annual **College Welcome Event on Wednesday Aug. 20 at 11:30 in MGB 102**. The President will start by giving some remarks. I have seen a preview of his message, and I strongly recommend that everyone make a point of attending this event if possible. We will also recognize our new faculty and staff. I will talk briefly about the priorities and challenges for the college during the year ahead.

On **Thursday Aug 21 we have the College Connection event**. New students will have a meeting (or other activity) with their departments and then we will have the tabling event, which is a great chance to introduce students to resources, clubs, and other activities in the college.

Finally we have **convocation on Friday August 22**, where we mark the start of the school year with a short event focused on new students. This event is at 6 pm and is otherwise similar to last year's event, as far as I know.

Best Regards,
Gail

Upcoming Events and Deadlines:

August 20 (11:30): College Welcome event (MGB 102)
August 21 (3:30 – 5:30 pm): College Connections event (dept activities + tabling)
August 22 (6 pm): Convocation
October 2 (12:30): College-wide meeting with Ken Fridley, Vice President for DivRED (OCNPS 200)
October 11 (10 – 1): Reign in Science – college-wide science outreach event for the public