

In addition to the 2015 New Faculty Orientation in August 31 and September 1, 2015, the Office of the Vice Provost for Faculty and Academic Affairs is launching the new 2015-2016 New Faculty Lunch Series. These lunches are informal gatherings during which you will have the opportunity to meet colleagues from various University offices and learn about their operations and resources available for you to help you succeed in your teaching, research, and service.

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### Fall Semester 2015

Wednesday, October 7, 2015	12:00-1:30 pm	<b>Engaging Research: Building Connections, Finding Funding, Developing a Research Program</b> Office of the Vice President for Research
Thursday, November 12, 2015	12:00-1:30 pm	<b>Who are our students?</b> Office of Undergraduate Education
Thursday, December 3, 2015	12:00-1:30 pm	<b>Teaching assessment and evaluations</b> Center for Educational Innovation

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### Spring Semester 2016

Tuesday, February 2, 2016	12:00-1:30 pm	<b>Helping students survive and thrive</b> Office of Student Affairs
Friday, February 26, 2016	12:00-1:30 pm	<b>Resources for International Engagement</b> Global Programs and Strategy Alliance
Tuesday, March 8, 2016	12:00-1:30 pm	<b>Office for Public Engagement</b>
Thursday, April 7, 2016	12:00-1:30 pm	<b>Office for Equity and Diversity</b>

For more funding-, grant-, and research-related training (grants.gov, Research Progress Performance Report, xTrain, etc.) visit Sponsored Project Administration <http://www.ospa.umn.edu>. To learn more about resources and training on Human Subjects' Protection visit the Institutional Review Board website <http://www.research.umn.edu/irb/training.html>.