

**Fall 2017 GRADUATE TEACHING ASSISTANT TRAINING**  
Thursday, August 17, 2017  
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9:00 - 9:10	<b>Opening/Welcome/Introductions</b>	Karla Berry, <i>Director, Center for Teaching Excellence (CTE)</i>
9:15 - 9:25	<b>Graduate School Welcome</b>	Yueh-Ting Lee, <i>Dean, Graduate School</i>
9:30 - 10:00	<b>Bringing Your Research Into the Classroom</b>	Trent Ford, <i>Assistant Professor, Geography and Environmental Resources</i>
10:05 - 10:35	<b>How to Extend Others' Good Ideas in a Dynamic Classroom</b>	Walter Metz, <i>Professor, Cinema and Photography</i>
10:40 - 10:50	Break	
10:55- 11:10	<b>Professional Development for Graduate Students</b>	Khara Lukancic, <i>Graduate Teaching Support, Center for Teaching Excellence (CTE)</i>
11:15 - 11:45	<b>Diversity in the Classroom</b>	Meera Komarraju, <i>Dean, College of Liberal Arts and Professor, Psychology</i>
	Lunch	
1:00 - 1:15	<b>Saluki Cares</b>	Jeff McGoy, <i>Assistant Dean of Students, Student Affairs</i>
1:20 - 1:50	<b>Legal Issues Affecting Grades, Interactions, and Social Media</b>	Saran Donahoo, <i>Chair and Associate Professor, Educational Administration &amp; Higher Education</i>
1:55 - 2:25	<b>Your First Day in the Classroom</b>	Grant Miller, <i>Associate Professor, Curriculum and Instruction</i>

2:30 - 3:15	<b>Q&amp;A Panel: New TA Fears and Questions</b>	<p>Justin Schoof, <i>Chair and Professor of Geography and Environmental Resources</i></p> <p>Sandra Pensoneau-Conway, <i>Assistant Professor of Communication Studies</i></p> <p>Ken Anderson, <i>Professor of Geology</i></p> <p>Cynthia Sims, <i>Associate Dean for Academic and Student Affairs and Associate Professor of Workforce Education and Development</i></p>
3:20 - 3:50	<b>Graduate Students in the 21st Century</b>	Holly Hurlburt, <i>Professor, History</i>
3:55 - 4:10	<b>Preserving Your Sense of Purpose in the Classroom</b>	Nick Weshinsky, <i>University College 101 Coordinator, University College</i>
4:15 - 5:00	<b>Educational Technology/Closing</b>	Karla Berry, <i>Director, Center for Teaching Excellence (CTE)</i>