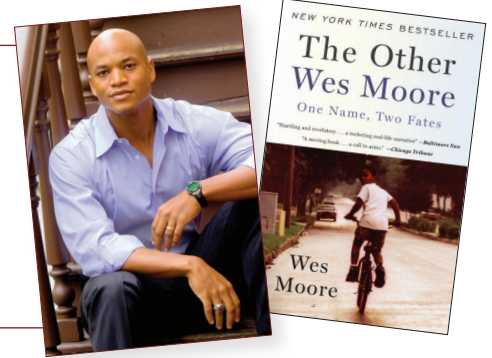


Fall Convocation

August 17, 5:30 pm

Faculty are invited to be a part of the processional and receive incoming students of 2017. Keynote speaker: Wes Moore, author of *The Other Wes Moore: One Name, Two Fates*, the 2017 Maroon Edition common book. Follow Wes on Twitter and Facebook: wesmoore1 and www.facebook.com/IAmWesMoore



Join us in the Grisham Room for a series of Faculty Luncheons promoting inclusion and awareness of diversity issues in the classroom. Co-sponsored by Office of Institutional Diversity and Inclusion.

September 13, 11:30 AM-1:00 PM Diversifying Your Curriculum

October 11, 11:30 AM-1:00 PM Recognizing and Responding to Microaggressions in the Classroom

November 15, 11:30 AM-1:00 PM Supporting Diverse Faculty: Instructor Identities in the Classroom, a Round Table Discussion

TEACHING ONLINE SERIES

October 10, 2:00-3:00 PM

Content Relevance: Resources and Tips for Conveying Relevance to Your Students

October 25, 2:00-3:00 PM

Students' Views of Online Learning: a panel discussion

LIBRARY SERIES

Co-sponsored by Mitchell Memorial Library

September 20, 2017, 3:00-4:00 PM Using Copyrighted Content in Instruction, Research, and Assignments: How to Minimize Your Risk Through Smart Decisions

September 21, 1:30-2:30 PM Teaching Outside the Box: Instruction Ideas Using the Makerspace, 3-D Printing, and Mixed Reality Lab

October 25, 2017, 3:00-4:00 PM in MML, Giles Electronic Classroom Drawing Attention to Your Scholarship: Open Access Publishing and MSU's Institutional Repository

Blackboard Day

August 29

9:15-10:15 AM Top 10 Neat Things Blackboard Can Do!

10:30 AM-11:30 PM Engaging Your Students with Blackboard

1:30-2:30 PM More Than Just Grades in the BB Grade Center

2:45-3:45 PM Making Great Use of Video

Large Lecture Series

Led by successful large lecture faculty, this series provides proven strategies for managing classes of 75 students or more.

AUGUST 24, 2:30-3:30 PM

Making the Best of a Big Situation: Tips and Strategies for Teaching Large Classes

Dr. Tom Carskadon, Psychology Professor

SEPTEMBER 18, 1:30-2:30 PM

Engaging Students in Large Classrooms

Dr. Deb Mlsna, Chemistry Professor

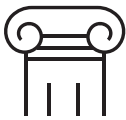
NOVEMBER 7, 2:00-3:00 PM

Making Connections in Large Classes

Kim Walters, Math Instructor

All seminars are held in Presentation Room 1405 (Library, 1st floor) except as noted. Please visit ctl.msstate.edu to find more information and to register for these programs.





GRADUATE TEACHING ASSISTANT SERIES

Designed to equip new teachers with tools and practical advice for a successful semester, this series is led by award-winning faculty and focuses on issues especially for graduate teaching assistants.

SEPTEMBER 22, 11:30 AM-1:00 PM

Effective Lectures Luncheon, Grisham Room

OCTOBER 4, 2:00-3:00 PM

Engaging Students in Discussion

NOVEMBER 2, 2:00-3:00 PM

Interactive Techniques for Teaching



OBSERVATION DAY

Two award-winning teachers open their classrooms for fellow faculty to observe.



JOANNE BERISWILL

Sept. 11, 6:00-7:30 PM (online)
TKT 8623: Instructional Design I



MOLLY ZUCKERMAN

Nov. 9, Introduction to Biological Anthropology, "Does Race Exist?"
Cobb 201
Sec. 01 12:30-1:45 PM
Sec. 02 3:30-4:45 PM

Special Topics & Programs

OCTOBER 18, 2:00-3:00 PM

Apps for Educators

OCTOBER 23, 2:00-3:30 PM

Grisham Master Teacher Lecture, Joanne Beriswill
Grisham Room, Reception to follow

SEPTEMBER 28, 2:00-3:00 PM

Advising for New Advisors

NOVEMBER 9, 12:00-1:00 PM, UNION

What We Wish You Knew: Perceptions of Faculty Actions and Interactions by Students of Color
(co-sponsored by OIDI) (limited seating)

SEPTEMBER 14, 1:00-2:00 PM

Intellectual Property

FACULTY LEARNING COMMUNITY to read and discuss Ruby Payne's *A Framework for Understanding Poverty* this semester. To join, contact abarefield@ctl.msstate.edu.

Focus on Writing SERIES



This event is co-sponsored by the Maroon & Write QEP.

September 19, 2:00 -3:00 PM

Informal Writing Strategies to Jazz Up Your Class!

October 17, 12:30 - 1:30 PM

Conquering Grading the Writing Assignment:
Tips & Strategies



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9:15-10:15 am Creating and Updating Participant Lists

11:00 am-12:00 pm Power Point Polling

3:15-4:15 pm Managing Reports