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# NEW FACULTY ORIENTATION

Thursday, August 22, 2019  
Atlanta Campus

CENTENNIAL HALL, 120 CONFERENCE ROOM

- 8:30-9:00am **Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 9:00-9:30am **Welcome and Introductions**  
Kavita Pandit, Associate Provost for Faculty Affairs
- 9:30-10:00am **GSU's Strategic Directions**  
Wendy Hensel, Interim Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost
- 10:00-10:40am **GSU Students and Student Success Efforts**  
Tim Renick, Senior Vice President for Student Success
- 10:40-10:50am **Break**
- 10:50-11:30 am **GSU's Trajectory as an Urban Research University**  
Michael Eriksen, Interim Vice President for Research and Economic Development  
Jeff Steely, Dean of Libraries
- 11:30am-12:10pm **Supporting GSU's Graduate Students**  
Michael Galchinsky, Associate Provost for Institutional Effectiveness  
Kyle Frantz, Office of the AP for Graduate Programs and Director of CASA
- 12:10-1:00pm **Lunch and Networking**
- 1:00 – 1:40pm **What Every Faculty Member Needs to Know**  
Kerry Heyward, University Attorney  
Allison Calhoun-Brown, Vice President for Student Engagement and Programs
- 1:40 – 2:40pm **Getting Off to a Good Start: Advice for New Faculty**  
Gholnecsar Muhammad, Associate Professor, Middle and Secondary Education  
Paul Ulrich, Senior Lecturer, Biology  
Sujay Galen, Chair, Physical Therapy  
Sarah Barber, Assistant Professor, Psychology
- 2:40 – 2:45pm **Wrap Up**  
Kavita Pandit