

ADVISING MONTHLY

News & Reminders for UDM Advisors

Colleague Development Days – Academic Advising Workshops

Wednesday, August 17 and Thursday, August 18 is when Colleague Development Days take place. Per request of the University’s Academic Advising Committee, this year’s CDC will host a collection of sessions that are specific to assisting us in developing our skills as advisers.

Session	Presenter	Day/Time
Academic Advising: The Beginning, Middle, and End: Process – Placement, Registration, Graduation	Shirley Escamilla	8/17 10:30-11:45
Concerned About A Student? When to Refer...	Monica Williams	8/17 1:00-2:00
Academic Issues and the Impact on Financial Aid	Diane Praet Caren Bendes	8/17 2:15-3:15
The Who, What, Where, When, and Why of Disability Accommodations	Emilie Wetherington	8/18 9:00-10:15
“Whole Person” Advising	Mary-Catherine Harrison	8/18 10:30–11:45
Using MAP-Works to Improve Advising for Special Populations	Susan Trudeau Felicia Mitrovich	8/18 1:00-2:00

*Please pre-register for event by Wednesday, August 10

More information about CDC contact Sheryl Johnson-Roulhac or visit:

<http://www.udmercy.edu/academicaffairs/colleaguedevdays/>

Transfer Credits from the Summer Semester

Please encourage your advisees to request an academic transcript to be sent to the Transfer Team at Detroit Mercy for courses that they were approved to take as guest students at other institutions. Making sure that guest credits are transferred and accounted for at Detroit Mercy are the responsibility of the student. It is suggested to put the student in direct contact with the Transfer Team. Call 993-1940 or email registrar@udmercy.edu.

Consortium Opportunities

The University participates in a program where undergraduate students can be taken with the other members of the Detroit Area Catholic Higher Education Consortium, which include Madonna University, Marygrove College and Sacred Heart Seminary. Under the program, full- or part-time undergraduate students in good standing and enrolled in any member institution may take some undergraduate courses at other consortium schools and pay tuition as part of their home institution tuition charges. Any course fees are paid to the host institution.

For more information: http://www.udmercy.edu/academicaffairs/fac_advising/how/consortium/index.htm

August 8-11

Final Exam Week

August 11

Official End of Summer 2016

August 15

Grades Due by Noon for Summer 2016

August 17-18

Colleague Development Days

August 28

Registration Ends for Fall 2016 (late fee applies after 8/28)

August 29

Classes Begins for Fall 2016

New Advisee Check

- Have you connected since SOAR?
- Have you double-checked their schedule?
- How are they acclimating to the new environment?
- Their contact info can be accessed via TitanConnect Self-Service