



# Grad Orientation

Fall 2015

Tuesday, September 8, 101 Rozanski Hall

Time	Event
8:15 AM to 8:55 AM	<b>Check-In and Library/Services Resource Fair</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Coffee and tea served</li></ul>
9:00 AM to 10:00 AM	<b>Planning for Success</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Dr. Anthony Clarke (Assistant Vice President, Graduate Studies)</li><li>William Gillam (President, Graduate Students' Association)</li><li><i>Getting the Most from the Graduate Experience:</i> Adina Bujold (PhD Candidate, Pathobiology); Michael Boteman (Graduate Program Assistant, History); Dr. Janet MacInnes (former Grad Coordinator, Pathobiology)</li></ul>
10:00 AM to 10:30 AM	<b>The Importance of Graduate Studies to Society</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Dr. Franco Vaccarino (President and Vice Chancellor, University of Guelph)</li><li>Mr. Cameron Guthrie (Mayor, City of Guelph)</li></ul>
10:30 AM to 11:00 AM	<b>Nutrition Break and Library/Services Resource Fair</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Coffee, tea, juice, and baked goods served</li></ul>
11:00 AM to 11:15 AM	<b>Financial Planning and Awards</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Pauline Sinclair (Director, Office of Graduate Studies)</li></ul>
11:15 AM to 11:30 AM	<b>The Student-Advisor Relationship</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Dr. Teresa Crease, Associate Dean, Graduate Studies</li></ul>
11:30 AM to 12:05 PM	<b>University Services for Graduate Students</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Alison Burnett (Accessibility Services / Health and Wellness Centre)</li><li>Quin Shirk-Luckett (Library and Data Resource Centre)</li><li>Clarke Mathany (Open Learning and Educational Support)</li><li>Maryann Kope (Learning Commons and Graduate Student Learning Initiative)</li><li>Dr. Teresa Crease (MyGradSkills Online Professional Development Modules)</li></ul>
12:05 PM to 12:25 PM	<b>Essentials for Graduate Teaching Assistants and Graduate Service Assistants</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Ashley Wilson (President, Canadian Union of Public Employees - CUPE 3913)</li></ul>
12:25 PM to 12:30 PM	<b>Closing Comments</b>
12:30 PM +	<b>Free Lunch</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Grad Lounge, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor University Centre (served in three 30-minute time slots)</li><li>Darts and prizes</li></ul>

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