Two Types of Professors
Freshmen Orientation
Commitment to Helping Freshmen Succeed—take what works for u.

• The Perfect Storm—combination of 2 programs that work:
  • Freshmen Advising Program
  • Collaborative Learning Program—team teach with English professor for two trimesters.

• 1st—Intro to Hospitality
• 2nd—Customer Service
Freshmen Advising Program

- Freshmen are taught and advised by the teacher who teaches the 1st introductory course
- Usually for all 3 trimesters
• Welcome:
• I look forward to meeting you tomorrow at Freshmen Welcome. I also look forward to teaching you in HOSP 1001. This is a very exciting time of your life. It’s important to get off to a good start. In addition to being your professor, I will also be your advisor. You are not alone because I will try to help you adjust to life in college.
• Dedicated Freshmen Advising Suite
Advising Team

- Weekly meetings to discuss freshmen issues
- Acclimating to college
- Problems
- How to Register
- What’s Going On.
- Facebook Page
- Christmas party
• Bi-weekly meeting with members of other departments that impact freshmen
• Advantage-find out about issues
• When problems arise-go right to the source
Representatives from:

- Residential Life
- Arts and Science Dept. Chair
- Registrars office-financial aid
- Learning Center
- A.D.’s Office etc.
• How are things going? - sheet
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• Individual meetings with all advisees
• You’re not after my grade
• You’re after my letter of recommendation
What do I advise

- 1st week-How are things going?
- Problems with roommates
- Which classes-Oct. 17th
- Which internship?
- Part-time jobs
- Clubs
- Careers.
Big Problems
• Commitment by University
• Reduced loads.
Benefits

- Retention Rates
- Students feel connected to each other and advisor.
- Supposedly “freshmen” advisor but......
FRESHMAN 15

Jake
Gabe
Bob
Skip
George

Chip
Chuck
Brad

Blake K.
Mickey
Dick

Monty
Ralph
Alex
NUMBERS$$

• ONLY 19 MORE SESSIONS OF THIS CLASS
• ONLY 60 MORE SESSIONS FOR FRESHMEN YEAR
• ONLY 240 CLASS DAYS UNTIL YOU GRADUATE
Getting to know you!
Travel/Tourism Classes

• 1\textsuperscript{st} trimester
• Hosp1001-intro
• Geo 2
• 2\textsuperscript{nd}-Customer Service
• 3-Technology in the Tourism/Hospitality Industry
• Geo 1
Term Project

• 1. What do I want to be—any mentors
• 2. Clubs/future sites/Professional Organizations
• 3. Research a Career
• 4. Interview Someone in the profession
• 5. Reflection of what they learned about themselves/industry.