Fall Faculty Workshop 2018
Thursday, August 16, 8:30 am-12:30 pm, Maucker Ballroom

Establishing and Maintaining a Successful, Productive, and Purposeful Career

When was the last time you thought about what you want your career to look like?

This year, the Fall Faculty Workshop is about the faculty career—how we think about, how we plan for, how we envision who we are as leaders and professors in the academy. This is a workshop appropriate for all faculty—term, tenure-track, tenured, early, mid-career, late-career faculty. Come spend a few hours thinking about YOU.

Those who attend this workshop will:

• have a better sense of how they can create a more intentional faculty career (including changes in responsibilities or stepping into possible administrative roles, etc.)
• consider the kinds of challenges that they, and their colleagues, may encounter at different stages of their academic careers
• reflect on their philosophy of teaching and research
• explore the difference between planning and preparation on career development
• be introduced to some basic principles of time management and work-life balance
• learn how to develop a “Faculty Flight Plan” and aspirational c.v., and prepare the beginnings of a career plan

8:30-9:00: Check-in, snacks, conversation
9:00-9:15: Welcome and Introductions
9:15: Workshop begins
10:45-11:00: break
12:30: Workshop ends

Our workshop facilitator is Dr. Jeffrey Buller, Director and Professor, Leadership and Professional Development, Florida Atlantic University. He came to this position after ten years as dean of FAU's Harriet Wilkes Honors College and more than thirty years of academic leadership experience in positions ranging from department chair to vice president for academic affairs at Loras College, Georgia Southern University, and Mary Baldwin College. He is the author of more than a dozen books on higher education, including The Essential College Professor, The Essential Department Chair, The Essential Academic Dean, Best Practices in Faculty Evaluation, Change Leadership in Higher Education and Positive Academic Leadership. He has also written more than 200 articles, essays, and reviews.

Dr. Buller has held two Fulbright fellowships, is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, Phi Kappa Phi, Omicron Delta Kappa, Alpha Sigma Lambda, and a number of regional societies devoted to the study of either Wagner or classical literature. He received a National Endowment for the Humanities summer seminar grant in 1990 to develop an overseas immersion course for Honors students, "the Ancient Greek City-State as Text."

From 2003-2005, he served as the principal English-language lecturer at the International Wagner Festival in Bayreuth, Germany. More recently, he has been active as a consultant to the Ministry of Education in Saudi Arabia, where he assisted with the creation of a kingdom-wide Academic Leadership Center. Along with Robert E. Cipriano, Dr. Buller serves a senior partner in ATLAS: Academic Training, Leadership, & Assessment Services, through which he has presented numerous workshops on academic leadership all over the world.

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