

New Student Orientation
Monday, June 29, 2026 – Location: OHSU Auditorium
1:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.*

*Incoming GRs should be at NSO until 4:30 p.m.



Welcome: Craig Elliott, Ph.D.
Vice Provost, Student Affairs

Campus Introduction video – 1:30 minutes

Student Services: 25 minutes: Introductions/Q and A session with students

- 1) Office for Student Access - Jon Pielae
- 2) Teaching and Learning Center – Lawrence Williams, M.S.
- 3) Academic Success Center - Emily Hillhouse, Ph.D., M.A.
- 4) Interprofessional Education Foundations - Graciela Vidal, MS, M.Ed.
- 5) Mentorship & Career Development – Seth Igarta, M.A.
- 6) Educational Debt Counseling & Personal Finance – Janna McKay
- 7) Student Affairs/Student Housing – Craig Elliott, Ph.D.
- 8) CARE program – Britt Hoover, Ed.M.
- 9) Confidential Advocacy Program – Holly Ramella, MA

Student Wellness: 20 minutes: Introductions/Q and A with students

- 1) Student Health & Wellness Center
 - a. Primary Care/Integrative medicine - Jodi DeMunter, MD
 - b. Behavioral Health/Suicide Prevention – Hannah Hoefflich, Psy.D.
 - c. Compliance – Jordan Alvas Rivera
 - d. Food Resource Center – Bea McGrath
- 2) March Wellness and Fitness Center – LaDonna Gandzadi

Get Involved: 12 minutes: Introduction/Q and A with students

- 1) All-Hill Student Council – Karen Nguyen, President
- 2) Student Life - Karen Seresun, M.P.E., M.B.A.
- 3) Center for Learner Diversity and Inclusion – Marcus Langford, Ed.D., M.S.

20 minute break - mingle, snacks, and logo merchandise available for purchase

Support Services: 20 minutes: Introductions/Q and A with students

- 1) Integrity Office – Tim Marshall, CIO and Alex Baldino, J.D.
- 2) Office of Civil Rights Investigations and Compliance – Beth Lifson, M.F.A., M.Ed.
- 3) Information Privacy and Security Office - Kimberly Lee, CHPC
- 4) Additional Confidential Resources:
 - a. Ombuds – Craig Elliott, Ph.D.

Campus Resources: 25 minutes: Introductions/Q and A session with students

- 1) Student Health Insurance Plan - Ashley Washam
- 2) Campus & Student Communications – Seth Preuss
- 3) Public Safety - Sierra Walker
- 4) Library – David Carson, M.L.I.S., M.M.
- 5) Campus Access and Commute Services – Marcy Baker

End of the day for all non-PhD graduate researchers – comments by Craig Elliott, Ph.D.

Graduate Researchers United:

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| 1) GRU Administrative Onboarding | Alexis Young | 30 minutes |
| 2) Graduate Researchers United: What Your Union Can Do For You | Shannon Hu
Haley Kuhn
Madison Hall | 30 minutes |