

New Faculty Orientation, August 2008

Center for Teaching and Learning (CTL), 62 Park Street

Morning 1: Wednesday, August 20, 2008

- 8:30-9:00 **Continental breakfast available**
- 9:00 **Welcome and Orientation Overview**
- 9:10-9:50 **Introductions of New Faculty**
- 10:00-10:30 **Our Liberal Arts Mission**
Valerie Lehr, Vice President of the University and Dean of Academic Affairs
- 10:45-11:45 **Who Are Our Students and What is it Like to Teach at SLU?**
Panel Discussion with SLU Colleagues
- 11:45-12:15 **Library Services**
Bart Harloe, University Librarian
- 12:15-1:15 **Complimentary lunch** – Dana Dining Hall
(Meet afterwards at CTL for group & individual photos – 1:15 pm)
- 1:30-2:30 **Campus Tours** (with second-year faculty)

Morning 2: Thursday, August 21, 2008

- 8:30-9:00 **Continental breakfast available**
- 9:00-9:45 **Professional Development Opportunities for Scholarship and Teaching**
Karl Schonberg, Associate Dean for Faculty Affairs
Erin McCarthy, Interim Director of the Center for Teaching and Learning
- 9:45-10:45 **Break-out Discussions**
 - Perspectives on Syllabus Design
 - Grading at St. Lawrence: Scales and Practices
- 11:00-12:15 **Technology Tools in the Smart Classrooms and the APR System**
(walk to Carnegie Hall)
- 12:30-1:30 **Lunch with Dean Lehr and Members of Dean's Staff**
Dean Eaton Lounge