<b>Event</b> Monday, August 10	Time Howard	<b>Presenter(s)</b> Baker Center Room 207
Welcome/PEER Initiatives Introduction of PEER Administration Tea	<i>9:00 am - 9:45 am</i> am	Gladys Alexandre, Ph.D. PEER Director
PEER Calendar & Scholar Expectations	10:00 am - 10:45 am	Sekeenia Haynes, Ph.D. Program Manager
(	Questions & Answers)	
Prepare & Submit Electronic 2271 Appoi ( <b>Bring your laptops</b> )	intment 11:00 am – 11:45 am	Sekeenia Haynes, Ph.D.
Lunch Campus & Knoxville Tour	12 noon – 1:30 pm	PEER-2-Peer Mentorship
Intro to the Library (Physical & Virtual)	2:00 pm – 3:30 pm Librarian and Rachel	Hodges Library 211 Donna Braquet, Science Radom, Instruction Librarian

## Dinner at Calhoun's on the River 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Ice Breaker & Fun

Erica Echols, Recruitment & Communications Donna Ford, Administrative Specialist

## **Introductions from PEER Leadership Team**

Dr. Carolyn Hodges – Provost & Dean of the Graduate School Dr. Ernest Brothers – Associate Dean of the Graduate School Dr. Suzanne Lenhart – Professor of Mathematics Dr. Jennifer Richards – Research Assistant Professor of Food Science & Technology Dr. Robert Nobles – Assistant Vice Chancellor for Research for Responsible Conduct of Research

Introduction of New Cohort

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## **Introductions from PEER Mentoring Team**

PEER Mentoring Team Dr. Ernest Brothers – Associate Dean of the Graduate School Dr. Michael Best – Associate Professor of Chemistry Dr. Tessa Burch-Smith – Assistant Professor of Biochemistry, Cellular & Molecular Biology Dr. Liz Howell – Professor of Biochemistry, Cellular & Molecular Biology Dr. Suzanne Lenhart – Professor of Mathematics Dr. Xiaopeng Zhao – Associate Professor of Mechanical, Aerospace and Biomedical Engineering

**Closing Game** 

Suzanne Lenhart, Ph.D.

PEER Community Photo

Ms. Erica Echols

Tuesday, August 11 Howard Baker Center Room 204 Just What the Ph.D. Ordered Samuel Jones, Ph.D. in Psychology 9:00 am - 10:45 am Lunch (served) 11:00 am - 12:15 pm Tyson Alumni Center BioQuest Consortium 12:30 pm - 4:30 pm Jaye Gardner & Matt Giorgianni Navigating the unknown: tools for exploring and understanding new research areas Mid-afternoon snack Wednesday, August 12 Howard Baker Center Room 204 9:00 am - 4:30 pm BioQuest Consortium Jaye Gardner & Matt Giorgianni Navigating the unknown: tools for exploring and understanding new research areas 8:15 am - 8:45 am Breakfast Lunch 11:30 am - 12:30 pm Scientist Talk 12 noon - 1:30 p.m. Stephan Kania, Ph.D. **Professor of Biomedical & Diagnostic Sciences** Mid-afternoon snack Thursday, August 13 Hodges Library Room 212 Getting over presentation fright & Powerpt. Skills 9:00 am – 11:00 am Cindy Raines, Ph.D. Senior Lecturer & Marketing, Haslam College of Business PEER -2- Peer outing 11:00 am - 4:00 p.m. Friday, August 14 Hodges Library Room 211 Endnotes 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm Jeanine Williamson, Engineering Librarian Saturday, August 15 Melton Hill Park

PEER Annual Picnic Fellowship, fun, and food! 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Monday, August 17	Howard Baker Center Room 204		
Self-Efficacy Workshop		Caroline Szymeczek, Ph.D. ated Learning Innovations, Inc.	
(Lunch on your own)			
Student Presentations	1:30 pm - 3:30 pm Marketir	Cindy Raines, Ph.D. Senior Lecturer & ng, Haslam College of Business	
Finding a Research Advisor	7	Todd Reynolds, Ph.D. e Professor, Microbiology Fessa-Burch Smith Ph.D. Gladys Alexandre, Ph.D.	
Tuesday, August 18	Four Po	oints Sheraton Hotel	

Faculty Mentoring Workshop	9:00 am - 12:00 pm	Parkview room A&B
PEER Informational Session	12:15 p.m 2:00 pm	Sanders Room
Student Mentoring Workshop	2:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Parkview room A&B

Dr. Ernest Brothers will provide introductions to Mentoring and the Presenter and Workshop Facilitator.

Ms. NaShara Mitchell, Assistant Dean and Director of Preparing Future Faculty and Professionals, at Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis (IUPUI) as our Mentoring Workshop Presenter and Facilitator.

Please note that you may have additional departmental orientation activities in your individual programs. We have done our best to avoid any conflicts with the home departments. If you run into problems, please contact us. Thanks and see you soon!

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