ORIENTATION TO THE GRADUATE PROGRAM

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Module 2

GRADUATE COURSES
- FEWER EXAMINATIONS
- MORE PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS
- MORE SELF DIRECTION NEEDED
  - DEVELOPING CLINICAL OBJECTIVES
  - IDENTIFYING TOPICS OF INTEREST FOR EXPLORATION
  - EXPLORING RELEVANT LITERATURE

MODALITIES FOR COURSE OFFERINGS
- LIVE – IN CLASS – NEWARK CAMPUS
- WEB-BASED
- WEB-ENHANCED
- INDEPENDENT STUDY
REGISTRATION FOR COURSES

- IF MATRICULATED: CONTACT
  - JOANNE MARRA 302-831-8386
- IF CONTINUING EDUCATION:
  - CONTACT JOANNE FOR PERMISSION
  - REGISTER IN PERSON AT CLAYTON HALL
  - REGISTER BY PHONE
    - 1-800-597-1444 OR 302-831-1053

IF YOU ARE TAKING A DISTANCE COURSE…

SIGN UP FOR THE CD VERSION OF THE COURSE

PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CALL THE FACULTY ASSIGNED TO A COURSE
ADVISEMENT

- Academic Advisor
- Faculty in Charge of the Course
- Scholarly Project Advisor
- Independent Study Faculty

COMMUNICATION

- All will have university e-mail
  - Use it or forward it to your ‘other’ e-mail
- Keep faculty and advisor updated for any changes in life events or a change in your plan of study
- Student mailboxes – 3rd floor McDowell

POLICIES

- Must have a ‘B’ or better in all courses
- Must have a 3.0 to graduate
- All students must have updated immunizations and CPR; nursing license must be current
POLICIES

- YOUR SAFETY IS IMPORTANT
  - IF YOU ARE ON CAMPUS –
    - NEW GRADUATE STUDENT SAFETY ORIENTATION IS ON THE WEB
      - WWW.UDEL.EDU/OHS/NEWGRADSafe.HTML
    - BLOODBORNE PATHOGENS SAFETY
  - WE FOLLOW ALL CONFIDENTIALITY PRINCIPLES
  - POLICY ON RESPONSIBLE COMPUTING

ACADEMIC HONESTY

- PLAGIARISM IS A SERIOUS OFFENSE
  - TAKE CARE IN WHAT YOU WRITE
  - PLEASE CHECK THE QUALITY OF YOUR REFERENCES – ESPECIALLY WEB-BASED
- WRITING CENTER
  - 302-831-1168
  - APA – 5TH EDITION

LIBRARY

- STUDENT ID CARDS ARE REQUIRED FOR USE OF LIBRARY RESOURCES
- OBTAIN ID CARDS AT STUDENT SERVICES BUILDING OR AT
  - www.udel.edu/Registrar/ud1card.html
- ON THE U/D LIBRARY WEB PAGE THERE IS A LINK FOR DISTANCE LEARNERS
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- PARKING IS AVAILABLE ON CAMPUS
  - GET A PARKING STICKER FROM PUBLIC SAFETY
  - DO NOT USE RESERVED PARKING SPACES
- OBTAIN UNIVERSITY ID BADGE FROM THE UNIVERSITY BOOKSTORE
  - MAKE SURE YOU TELL THEM YOU ARE A GRADUATE STUDENT
  - USE WHENEVER YOU ARE IN A CLINICAL AGENCY

- DISABILITY SERVICES FOR THOSE WITH SPECIAL NEEDS
- RELIGIOUS HOLIDAYS ARE EXCUSED ABSENCES: INFORM YOUR FACULTY OF YOUR ABSENCE
- GRADUATE STUDENTS ARE ASKED TO PARTICIPATE ON DEPARTMENT AND UNIVERSITY COMMITTEES

- RESPECT THE TRAIN
- ALL STUDENTS HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO EVALUATE EACH COURSE AND COURSE FACULTY
  - FOR SIGNIFICANT CONCERNS, PLEASE ADDRESS THESE DIRECTLY TO THE CHAIR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF NURSING
FINANCIAL SUPPORT

- FEDERAL TRAINEESHIPS
- ADDITIONAL SCHOLARSHIP MONIES
  - MUST BE MATRICULATED
  - MUST BE FULL TIME (9 CREDITS)

APPLICATION PROCESS

- ON LINE
- REQUEST AN APPLICATION FROM JOANNE MARRA (831-8386)
- ROLLING ADMISSIONS
- POINT SYSTEM FOR ADMISSION

KNOW THAT WE ARE HERE TO ASSIST YOU

WE WISH YOU A WONDERFUL JOURNEY