

Educators,

As a reminder as you prepare your fall syllabi, the University will be celebrating the inauguration of Jon C. Stuckey as our ninth president on October 15, 2026.

Due to the inauguration activities, educators should be aware that **the UG class meeting schedule on Thursday, October 15 will be modified from 8:00 a.m. through 1:10 pm.** Faculty should plan their exams, presentations, and/or course content for the fall semester with the following in mind:

- We strongly encourage faculty to shift all three of the class periods 8:00-9:15 am, 10:30-11:45 am, and 11:55 am-1:10 pm on Thursday, Oct. 15 to asynchronous content delivery. **In particular, the 10:30-11:45 am class period may not meet synchronously that day.**
- Faculty who teach at 8:00 a.m. may offer a shortened, sixty-minute class meeting that day from 8:00-9:00 a.m.
- Faculty who teach at 11:55 a.m. may offer a shortened, forty-minute class meeting that day from 12:30-1:10 p.m.
- No undergraduate class meetings may occur between 9:00 am and 12:30 pm.
- Off-campus clinical and field experiences for students and faculty and dual-enrollment only sections that meet on campus will not be affected.

We encourage GR faculty to adjust their class schedules or modality accordingly to allow for full participation in the inauguration events on Oct. 15.

The availability of certain campus facilities, including Brubaker Auditorium and spaces in the Climenhaga Building and the High Center will be impacted on both Wednesday, October 14, and Thursday, October 15.



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