ORIENTATION WEEK SCHEDULE
May 14-16, 2018      Veterinary Medical Center

Monday, May 14

9:00 a.m.: Welcome Breakfast – VMC Teal Room 1907
10:00 a.m. – 12:00pm: Orientation VMC 2001

10:00 a.m.: Dr. Stephen Harvey, “Biosafety and Biocontainment in Animal Research”
11:00 a.m.: Dr. Frank West, “Neuroprotective and Regenerative Stem Cell Therapy in a Pig Stroke Model”
11:30 a.m.: Dr. Benjamin Brainard, Clinical Research
12:00 p.m.: Lunch (Not Provided)

1:00 – 5:00 p.m.: Low Ropes Course – UGA Rec Sports, Intramural fields

Tuesday, May 15

9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.: Orientation VMC 2001

9:00 a.m.: Dr. Chris King, “Research Integrity: Doing the right thing”
10:00 a.m.: Dr. Sonia Altizer, Disease Ecology
10:30 a.m.: Dr. Ted Ross, Vaccine Research
11:00 a.m.: Break
11:15 a.m.: Dr. Catherine Logue, “Antimicrobial Resistance in Bacterial Pathogens of Animals and Humans: Saving the Best for Last”
11:45 a.m.: Dr. Hitesh Handa, “Nitric oxide releasing materials for prevention of thrombosis and infection of medical devices”
12:15 p.m.: Lunch (Not Provided)

1:30 p.m.: Dr. Jeff Hogan and Dr. Steeve Giguere, “Getting funding for your research”
2:30 p.m.: Break
2:45 p.m.: Dr. Gui Verocai, “The Diroscope: validation of a novel cellphone-based video microscope for diagnosis of canine heartworm infection”
3:15 p.m.: Dr. Kaori Sakamoto and Dr. Kelsey Hart, Time Management

3:45 – 5:00 p.m.: Scholar Presentations

Wednesday, May 16

9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.: Orientation VMC 2001

9:00 a.m.: Diana Hartle, Literature Searches
10:00 a.m.: Break
10:15 a.m.: Dr. Gaylen Edwards, “Rigor and Reproducibility in Research: Redundancy or Requirement”
11:15 a.m.: Dr. Claire de la Serre, “Bug–gut Brain Axis and Feeding Behavior”
11:45 a.m.: Lunch (Not Provided)
1:00 p.m.: Scholar Presentations
2:15 p.m.: Dr. Roberto Alva, Research Careers in Industry
3:15 – 3:30 p.m.: Dr. Susan Williams and Dr. Jennifer Smith–Garvin, wrap-up

4:30 – 6:00 p.m.: 2018 GVSP Kickoff Cookout – CVM Front Lawn