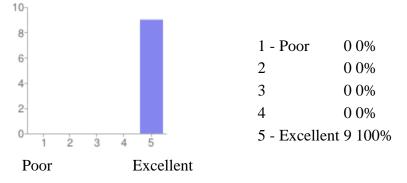
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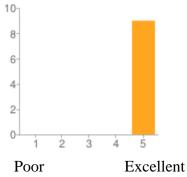
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Introduction to the college, including its mission and strategic plan

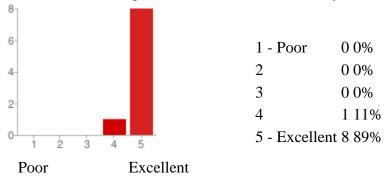


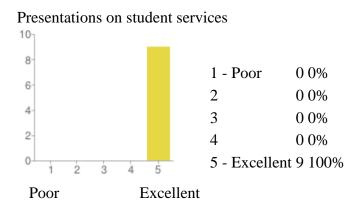
Presentations on teaching and learning resources such as the Center for Excellence in Teaching (CET) and Writing Studio



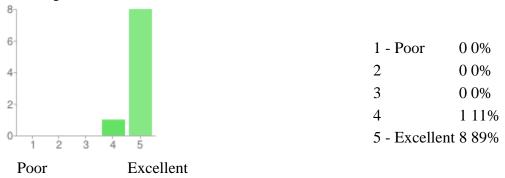
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Information on campus resources such as the library and museum



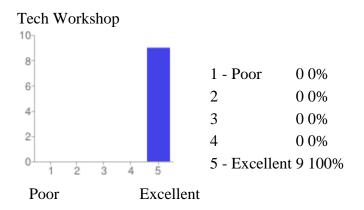


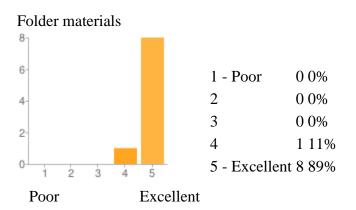
Presentations on the Faculty Senate and professional development such as tenure/promotion



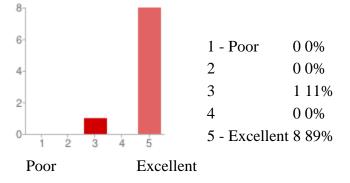
Presentations on Human Resources, UCE and conditions of employment













What part of the orientation was especially helpful?

The orientation was excellent. It provided us with all the important point people to know. I think the repetitive quality of the receptions/lunches provided reinforcement of faces/names, which is crucial, as it's easy to forget all this with so much info presented to us. Individual presentations from the different units of the college seemed to be the most helpful information we get. This was a very comprehensive and welcoming introduction overall. It was definitely overwhelming, but I know who to call, and what resources are available, and that's the most important thing. The entire orientation.

What would have made the orientation more helpful?

Given that this is held the week before classes start, and that we're new faculty trying to settle in I think it would have been beneficial - and necessary- to have a 90 min break into the middle of the day where we had our own time to deal with things like IT troubleshooting for personal computers, dept business, setting up accounts and putting books on reserve in the library, getting personal office matters sorted out like keys, working tel numbers, etc. All of these personal matters take a lot of chasing down. The presentations were amazing, but I needed time to conduct school prep business.

Additional comments:

You guys are fabulous!!!Thank you SO much! All in all - it was a great experience and I feel I walked away not only with a lot of information, but also insight on how to prepare for my first classes. I went back to both my course syllabi and calendars to make adjustments from information I gained during orientation. Thank you for a great week! Thanks to everyone for making this possible. On a personal note it was a very welcoming experience and a nice way to start a new job and the semester.