

Connect Days New Student Welcome Recap

August 27, 2020

Department Hospitality Management

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Number of new students in attendance during Connect Days 45

Enter the date of each outreach activity:

- email new students week of 8/17
- send Navigate message _____
- announce in intro classes week of 8/24

Activity:	Person(s) Responsible: Identify the faculty, staff member(s), and student leaders involved with each activity.	Recommendations: Recommendations for the next Connect Days Welcome.	Recommendations: Recommendations for additional welcome activities.
1) creation of an OpenLab department Connect Days website;	Thalia Pericles		
2) invitation and training of student leaders;	Rosa Abreu Karen Goodlad		Host breakout sessions where new students can connect with peers within the department.
3) invitation to new students;	Via Bb announcement and 1100 level courses		
4) facilitation of Connect Days on August 27, 2020	Prof. Rosa Abreu (Facilitator) Prof. Elizabeth Schaible (Chair) Prof. Robert Walljasper (Faculty) Rosie Batista (Student Leader) Lucy Feng Wu (Student Leader) Dipsy Marte (Student Leader)	If possible, schedule the Connect Days event to happen before the start of the semester. Once the semester starts, students and faculty may have competing activities or commitments during club hours.	Overall, the virtual welcome went well. Continue to consider a virtual New Student Welcome option for new and transfer students.
5) Other Activities Create Connect Days Agenda	Prof. Thalia Pericles		



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