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Whom to contact in the Deans' Office:

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Have a great break!

Events

October

- ☞ 13 [Scholars' Convocation](#), JRC 101, 11:00
Jose Cabezon; Just Rule: What We Can Learn from Ancient Buddhist Political Ethics
- ☞ 15-24 Fall Break
- ☞ 18 "What's It Like To Be Me...", JRC 101, 2:00
- ☞ 19-20 [Benefits Fair](#) (including new Self-Service feature) (ARH)
- ☞ 24 Pre-registration materials sent to academic advisers (Registrar's Office)
- ☞ 27 [Scholars' Convocation](#), Herrick Chapel, 11:00
Morris Dees: With Justice for All
- ☞ 31-Nov. 10 Pre-registration for Spring 2012

Deadlines

October

- ☞ 14 [Term Staffing Proposals](#) due in Dean's Office
- ☞ 14 Last day to drop credits in excess of 18 without paying overload fees
- ☞ 24 Deadline for faculty to indicate [Class Visitation](#) availability on Oct. 28
- ☞ 24 Deadline to apply for a [Spring 2012 Writing Mentor](#)
- ☞ 24 Nominations of students to attend [2012 Newberry OCS seminar](#) due (S. Purcell)
- ☞ 24 [Grinnell-in-London / Grinnell-in-Washington](#) applications, part 1 due
- ☞ 28 [Context statements](#) due from faculty with salary reviews (to Dept Chairs)
- ☞ 28 Budget requests for 12-13 from Departments and Programs due in Treasurer's Office (K. Voss)

November

- ☞ 1 Last day to submit [Faculty Travel Requests](#) for first meetings (Dean's Office)
- ☞ 1 Call for Proposals: [Course Embedded Travel 2012-2013](#) (L. Stafford)
- ☞ 4 Last day for students to withdraw from a class

Information

- **NEW:** [Faculty Mentoring Network](#)
- [Faculty Development at Grinnell College](#)
- [Convocation Program, Academic Speakers](#)
- [Committee Membership 2011-2012](#)
- Committee minutes and annual reports are available on [PioneerWeb](#) under "All Campus" on the Community tab.

Looking Ahead

November

- ☞ 7 Faculty Meeting, 4:15 PM, ARH 302
- ☞ 7 Winter Break [Faculty-Faculty Tutorial](#) applications due (ISC/ASO Deans Office)
- ☞ 9 [ARC Workshop](#): Depicting Data: Exploring Data through Visual Representation, 4:15 p.m., ARH 227
- ☞ 9 Tenure Review Dossiers due (from Dept. Chairs) in Dean's Office
- ☞ 11 [Research Leave](#) proposals for 2012-13 due
- ☞ 11 [Sabbatical Leave](#) proposals for 2012-13 due
- ☞ 14 Final applications for [297, 299, 387, 397, 399, 499 \(MAP\)](#) independent study
- ☞ 14 Division Meetings, Noon
- ☞ 15 [Faculty Travel requests](#) for additional professional meetings due (second deadline)
- ☞ 15 Faculty Travel requests for [professional meetings relating to teaching](#) due (ISC/ASO)
- ☞ 15 Proposals for [workshops, courses, and seminars](#) to develop new teaching competencies due (ISC/ASO)
- ☞ 15 [Curricular Development](#) proposals due (ISC/ASO)

15 [Convocation proposals](#) for 2012-2013 due



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