# FACULTY CALENDAR EVENTS – 2017-18

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| EVENT | DAY | TIME | LOCATION |
| Faculty Retreat | Monday, August 7 | 8:30 am – 4:00 pm | Southland Christian Church, Lexington |
| New Faculty Orientation | Thursday-Friday, August 3-4 | 8:00 am – 1:00 pm | Corbitt Learning Classroom |
| Welcome Week (Orientation) | New Students: Aug. 8-13Transfers: Aug. 10-13Intl Students: Aug. 4-7 | all day | various locations |
| Standing Committee Meetings *(no committee assignments for new faculty)* | Tuesday, August 8 | 1:00 – 2:00 pm | TBA |
| President’s Convocation for New Students & Parents *(faculty to attend)* | Tuesday, August 8 | 7:00 – 8:00 pm | Hughes Auditorium |
| Faculty Reception with Parents  | Tuesday, August 8 | 8:15 – 9:30 pm | Kinlaw Library |
| Dean’s Council | Wednesday, August 9 | 2:00 – 5:00 pm |  |
| New Student Advising | Thursday, August 10 | 12:45 – 2:30 pm | See dept. chair for info |
| Department Meetings | Friday, August 11 | 1:00 – 3:00 pm | See dept. chair for info |
| Classes Begin | Monday, August 14 | 8:00 am |  |
| Academic Convocation*(first chapel of the year – faculty wear full regalia – line up in front of Hughes Auditorium at 9:45 am)* | Monday, August 14 | 10:00 am – 10:50 am | Hughes Auditorium |
| Application materials for promotion or tenure due | Friday, October 13 | 5:00 pm | Provost’s Office |
| Faculty Retirement Dinner | Tuesday, April 10 | 6:00 pm |  |
| Honors Convocation | Wednesday, April 25 | 10:00 am | Hughes Auditorium |
| Baccalaureate | Friday, May 4 | 7:30pm | Hughes Auditorium |
| Commencement | Saturday, May 5 | 10:00 amGPS Students | LUCE Center |
| Commencement | Saturday, May 5 | 2:00 pmTraditional Students | LUCE Center |