



**FACULTY ORIENTATION PROGRAM**  
**Spring 2021**

Dear Colleagues,

Welcome to AUC's New Faculty Orientation for Spring 2021. This program is virtual - including a number of live sessions, where you will have the chance to interact directly with the presenters. Others will be pre-recorded or shared presentations, for you to access whenever convenient. These pre-recorded events will contain contact information for you to ask any follow-up questions.

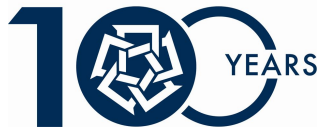
Note please that there is a single Zoom link on each day to be used for all sessions, unless a session has a unique Zoom link included.

Campus Tours will be available on campus, or as zoom tours with an on-campus tour guide. Please let us which option you prefer.

We look forward to welcoming you to AUC, and are happy to answer your questions or to direct you to the right person.

Warmly,

Injy Abbas, Sr. Officer, Faculty Affairs  
Rachel Awad, Sr. Director, Academic Affairs Projects  
Yvette Isaac, Assistant Provost for Faculty Affairs



**Monday, January 25th**

**Zoom Link:** <https://aucegypt.zoom.us/j/94740267881>

**Meeting ID:** 947 4026 7881

9:00-9:45 am

**Provost's Welcome to AUC & Orientation Overview**

*Ehab Abdel Rahman, Provost*

*Rachel Awad, Sr. Director of Academic Affairs Projects*

*Injy Abbas, Senior Officer for Faculty Affairs*

10:00-11:00am

**Teaching at AUC - Open Discussion**

*Aziza Ellozy, Associate Provost for Transformative Learning & Teaching*

*Firas Al-Atraqchi, Professor of Practice & Chair, Department of Journalism and Mass Communication*

*Lotif Gaafar, Associate Dean of Undergraduate Studies, School of Sciences & Engineering*

*Matthew Hendershot, Associate Dean of Undergraduate Studies and ALA*

[Session recording](#)

11:30am-12:30pm

**Handling Non-Academic Student Concerns that Arise in a Course**

*George Marquis, Dean of Students*

[Presentation](#)

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4:00-4:30 pm

**University Welcome to new faculty & students (livestream)**

*Francis Ricciardone, President*

*Ehab Abdel Rahman, Provost*

*Deena Boraie, Vice President for Student Life*

*George Marquis, Dean of Students*

[Recording](#)



### Tuesday, January 26th

**Zoom Link:** <https://aucegypt.zoom.us/j/98119483770>

Meeting ID: 981 1948 3770

- 9:00am-10:00am      **Core Curriculum & Community Based Learning**  
*Ghada El Shimi*, Dean of the Academy of Liberal Arts  
[Presentation](#)
- 10:30-11:30am      **Research Funding**  
**Internal Funding:** *Alaa Eldin Adris* Associate Provost for Research, Innovation and Creativity  
**External Funding:** *Dina Adly*, Associate Provost, Sponsored Programs  
[Presentation](#)
- 2:30-3:00 pm      **US Embassy Session (For new US citizen members of AUC)**  
*Receive important information and tips from the US Embassy American Citizen Services.*  
[Presentation](#)

### Wednesday, January 27th

- 9:00-10:00 a.m.      **Introducing the Center for Learning and Teaching (CLT) and the Faculty Institute of Learning & Teaching (FILT) program**  
*Dr. Hoda Mostafa*, Professor of Practice, Director of CLT  
*Maha Bali*, Associate Professor of Practice CLT  
[Presentation](#)
- 12 - 1 pm      **Blackboard: Build Your Course and Orientation**  
*Maha Shawki*, Manager Instructional Technology and Multimedia, CLT  
*Nourhan Ahmed*, Senior LMS Application Specialist  
*Mohamad Saleh*, Senior Officer, Instructional Technology and Multimedia  
*Mariam Hussein*, Officer, Instructional Technology and Multimedia  
[Recording](#)
- 1:30 - 2:20 pm      **Introduction to Annual Faculty Reports and the E-repertoire system**  
*Dalia Saad*, Senior Director, Academic Effectiveness  
[Presentation](#)



To be scheduled: **New Cairo and/or Tahrir Campus Virtual Tours**  
 Watch this [pre-recorded virtual tour](#), or contact Injy Abbas at [iabbas@aucegypt.edu](mailto:iabbas@aucegypt.edu) to arrange virtual tour via Zoom.

**Pre-recorded Sessions**

Session	Presenters	Presentations	Recordings
<b>Rights and Responsibilities of AUC Faculty</b>	<b>Sunanda Holmes</b> , General Counsel and Chief Compliance Officer	<a href="#">Presentation</a>	<a href="#">Recorded Session</a> (Note: This session ends at 1:03:17)
<b>Research Support: non-financial</b> (Note that a live session on financial support for research will take place during Orientation week)	<b>Ahmed Ellaithy</b> , Senior Director, Technology Transfer Office	<a href="#">Presentation</a>	
	<b>Suzanne Rizzo</b> , Director of Undergraduate Research	<a href="#">Presentation</a>	
	<b>Atta Gebril</b> , Chair, Institutional Research Board	<a href="#">Presentation</a>	
	<b>Rita Ebeid</b> , Principal Investigator Support Unit	<a href="#">Presentation</a>	
<b>Library Services at AUC</b>	<b>Daniel Ortiz</b> , Dean, AUC Libraries		<a href="#">Library Services</a>
<b>Disability and Accommodations Provisions for Students</b>	<b>Alexandra Gazis</b> , Associate Director, Student Disability Services, Center for Student Well-being <b>Nada Mosallam</b> , Disability & Accommodations Officer	<a href="#">Presentation</a>	
<b>Academic Integrity Policy and Procedures</b>	<b>Marwa Gaafar</b> , Associate Director, Academic Integrity	<a href="#">Presentation</a>	<a href="#">Recorded Session</a> (Note: This session's recording begins at 1:26:35)
<b>Overview of HR Services and Benefits</b>	<b>Amany El Labban</b> , Director of HR Faculty Operations; <b>Lamia El Baz</b> , Director of Total Rewards	<a href="#">Presentation</a>	<a href="#">Session Recording</a>



<b>Housing &amp; Transportation</b>	<b>Sherif Maged</b> , Senior Director, Faculty Housing & Transportation	<a href="#">Housing Presentation</a> <a href="#">Transportation Presentation</a>	
<b>Faculty Health &amp; Well Being</b>	Dr. Hussam Hassan, Acting Chief Health and Safety Officer		<a href="#">Dr. Hussam Zoom Recording</a> <a href="#">Dr. Hussam PPT</a>
	Dr. Jaime Mendoza,		<a href="#">Dr. Jaime Mendoza Session</a>
<b>Safety &amp; Security</b>	Ahmed Nagy, Director of Operations, Planning Security Systems	<a href="#">Security Presentation</a>	<a href="#">Security Awareness</a>
	Wessam Maher, Chief Information, Security & Risk Officer	<a href="#">Information Security Presentation</a>	<a href="#">Information Security Zoom Recording</a>
<b>Travel &amp; Business Support</b>	Mona Wagdy, Director, Travel & Business Support		<a href="#">Travel &amp; Business Support Fall 2020 Session</a>
	Mark Refaat, Travel Officer		
<b>IT Support Services for Faculty</b>	Nourhan Ahmed, Shereen Gamal, Nouran Maher, Amir Gamal		<a href="#">IT Support Services Fall 2020 Session</a>