#### March 2013



# **Drop Deadlines Fast Approaching**

The last day to drop a course with an automatic W is March 29<sup>th</sup>. Students wishing to drop a course must meet with an advisor to fill out a drop slip/form. Remember, students are only allowed 5 Ws throughout their time at OU and at this point in the semester will not receive a refund for courses dropped. Ws do appear on

transcripts but do not get calculated into GPAs.

Before meeting with an advisor students should consider and check on the following: the impact the dropped course will have on their progress towards their degree; how dropping a course will affect their financial aid or scholar-

ships (meeting with Financial Aid about this is advisable); how many hours they must be enrolled in to remain in good standing with social organizations (fraternities/sororities, clubs, etc.); and, anything else that might be affected by dropping a course (e.g. insurance, etc.).

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#### **Points of Interest**

- > Welcome to Dean Portwood!
- > Automatic W Drop Deadline is March 29th!
- > Student Success Series Seminars being Offered!
- > Advising Appointments now Available!
- > Freshman Seminars Available!

# Now Hiring!



Do you love OU and University College? Are you looking for a way to share your passion for your University and to connect with new students? Are you looking for a summer job that is fun and rewarding? If you answered "yes" to these questions then University College is looking for you! University College is now hiring Student Program Guides for the summer. To apply for a position as a Student Program Guide go to jobs.ou.edu/applicants/Central?

For more information or if you have questions contact Amy Ashley at amyashley@ou.edu.

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## **Student Success Series**

There are still a number of Student Success Series seminars being offered this semester.

These brief sessions, usually about an hour long, are designed to help students realize their full potential

in college and beyond! No registration is required but seating is limited so arrive early!

More information and a full schedule of topics. dates, and times can be downloaded at <a href="http://">http://</a>

www.ou.edu/content/dam/ UniversityCollege/ Documents/ALC/SSS% 20Sp13.pdf

"Let talented professors excite you about the learning process through their enthusiasm for their research area!"

### Late 8-Week and 6-Week Seminars Available

Need additional hours, but having trouble getting into a class? Consider one of the fabulous UCOL 1022. Freshman Seminar courses, being offered by Freshman Programs in the late 8-week or 6-week term! Late 8-week courses start on March 11th and 6week courses start on April 1<sup>st</sup>.

These 2-hour, letter-graded courses will provide students with information on a specific topic from a professor with an interest and passion in that area! Let talented professors excite you about the learning process through their enthusiasm for their research area!

Course titles in-

clude: Freak Critique, Hieroglyphs to Manga, Word Wizardry, and, Exploring Strengths. More information on these incredible opportunities can be found at http://www.ou.edu/ content/univcoll/home/ Courses for Freshmen/ Freshman Seminars.html.

# **Don't Forget Action Tutoring**



UC's Student Learning Center is offering tutoring in over 75 subjects this semester. These include drop-in sessions (see uc.ou.edu/action) and some additional subjects/ times by-appointment

(tutor.ou.edu). They also have their computer lab open until 1am Mon-Thurs in Wagner 245. Guest speakers and one-on-one Study Consultations are also available (book today at tutor.ou.edu).

# **Advising Times Available**

Don't delay; make your appointment today to meet with one of University College's friendly and helpful advisors for fall 2013 advising! Appointments can be made at: http://iadvise.ou.edu!



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