Day of the Advisor 2012

“Advising Through the Eyes of Students”

Coffee, Tea, and Time to Chat  -  9:30 to 10:00 a.m.
(White Room, second floor - Bill Daniel Student Center)
Share a cup of coffee or tea and some conversation with your colleagues before the first sessions begin.

“Double Vision: Academics and Athletics” - 10:10 to 11:00 a.m. AND 11:10 to 12:00 p.m.
(Beckham Room, second floor – Bill Daniel Student Center)
Facilitators: Lindsey Freed  -  Assistant Director for Enrollment Management and Advising, SOE
Paula Marshall  -  Academic Advisor, Academic Advisement
Presenters: Aaron Tebo  -  Academic Advisor, Student-Athlete Services
Katie Rasmussen  -  Academic Advisor, Student-Athlete Services
This concurrent session will feature two of our Student-Athlete advisors along with several student-athletes. We will hear about what it’s like to be a student-athlete and about some of the challenges they face as they pursue excellence in the classroom as well as in varsity-level athletics.

“Pictures of Life Beyond the Classroom” - 10:10 to 11:00 a.m. AND 11:10 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
(Baines Room, second floor – Bill Daniel Student Center)
Facilitators: Linda Johnson  -  Associate Director, Academic Advisement
Mike Gerhardt  -  Academic Advisor, Academic Advisement
Presenters: Tam Dunn  -  Associate Director for Greek Life, Student Activities
Craig Willie  -  Associate Director for Student Organizations, Student Activities
At this session we will hear not only from staff representing Student Activities but also from several students who are currently involved in some of the many student organizations which are active on campus. Join us for a look at how students can balance academic success with extracurricular involvement and end up with a richer college experience.

Luncheon and Video Presentation  -  12:00 – 1:30 p.m.
(Barfield Drawing Room, Bill Daniel Student Center)
   Pianist: Judy McClain  -  Academic Advisor, Academic Advisement
   Welcome: Laura Scott  -  Assistant Director, Academic Advisement
   Blessing: Mike Gerhardt  -  Academic Advisor, Academic Advisement
   Special Video Presentation introduced by: Hillary Train  -  Coordinator of BIC Program
   Remarks by Joyce Miller  -  Director, Academic Advisement & Chair, Academic Advising Council
Our special luncheon will feature a unique and original video produced by a current student, Ms. Maggie Emerson. Our program today is designed to give our audience an entertaining glimpse into the world of advising and registration through the eyes of students.

“Reflections from the Journey”  -  1:30 to 2:30 p.m.
(Beckham Room, second floor – Bill Daniel Student Center)
Facilitators: Sharon Achor  -  Academic Advisor, Academic Advisement
Dr. Sinda Vanderpool  -  Assistant Vice Provost for Enrollment Management
Students: Phong Duong  -  senior medical humanities / premed
          Dustin Luse  -  junior Baylor Business Fellows, premed
          Oddie Moghalu  -  senior, biomedical engineering, premed
          Christian M. Smith  -  senior pre-nursing, corporate communications minor
Our final session of the day will give us the opportunity to listen to students share their thoughts and reflections as they near the end of their undergraduate journey. Their remarks will serve to remind us of the powerful impact advisors can have in the lives of their students.