

Master Advisor Workshops

This workshop series sponsored by the Warrior Success Center will focus on the skills and information needed to become outstanding advisors. Many of the sessions will feature an interactive format allowing participants to share their own best practices and learn from each other as well as the workshop leader. Advisors who attend at least three of the sessions will receive a certificate recognizing their investment of time and effort in this important aspect of student growth and development as well as service to the university. Contact iquandt@winona.edu with any questions.

Please [register in advance](#).

Light snacks will be provided.

Advising 101 Procedures and Tool for Advisors **Jillian Quandt, Warrior Success Center**
Thursday, October 22nd at 10-11 am and Monday, October 26th 10-11 am
Maxwell 158 (Rochester CF 103)

Designed for persons who are new to WSU or to advising, or would just like a refresher, this workshop will cover the advising policies and procedures at WSU and will introduce advisors to advising tools such as the MnSCU portal, Degree Audit Report (DARs), General Education Program Accepted Course list.

Quick Tips for Advising International Students **Kemale Pinar, International Services**
Monday, October 26 11-11:30 am (immediately after Advising 101)
Maxwell 158 (Rochester CF 103)

Learn about the policies, rules and best practices advisors should consider when working with international students.

Assessing Advising: How Are We Doing? **Dr. Barbara Oertel, Warrior Success Center**
Tuesday, October 27th 2- 3 pm
Maxwell 158 (Rochester CF 103)

Need to report on advising for your department's accreditation or evaluation process? Wondering how students evaluate advising at WSU? Find out the results of a WSU student advising survey administered in the Spring of 2015, and learn about how you can evaluate your own or your department's effectiveness in advising.

Transferology **Lori Beseler and Danielle Johnson, Warrior Hub**
Thursday, October 29th 9:30 -10:30 am
Maxwell 158 (Rochester CF 103)

Our office is seeing more and more students bringing in transfer credit throughout their college career. Transferology is a solution that provides colleges and universities with a national presence for recruiting students and sharing transfer articulation information. Transferology allows students to easily search for courses at other institutions that will transfer back to Winona State University to meet degree requirements. Join us to learn more about how Transferology can assist you in your advising sessions with students.

Make Your Job a Little Less Hectic: Learn about the Appointment Scheduling Tool
Wayne Wicka, Warrior Success Center
Thursday, October 29th 2-3 pm
Maxwell 158 (Rochester CF 103)

The vastly improved Appointment Scheduling tool has multiple uses. Come to this informative session to learn how to use this scheduling assistant to easily schedule appointments with your advisees, students in your class, or your

colleagues in your department, etc. Best of all it is super easy to use, too! I will also show you how to contact and schedule appointments with advisees using this tool. Please bring your computer.

Motivational Interviewing **Amy Meyer and Charlie Opatz, Warrior Success Center**
Wednesday, November 4th 9-10:30 am
Maxwell 259 (Rochester CF 103)

Students struggling with academics often identify “lack of motivation” as a significant barrier impeding success. Motivation is very personal—what motivates each student is unique. Therefore, helping students build motivation can be very challenging. Motivational Interviewing (MI) is an intervention approach used to help individuals increase motivation and make positive change in their lives. In this session we will cover the fundamentals of MI and how it can be integrated in your work with students. Plus, you will get an opportunity to try it out for yourself. Please join us!