

## UPAC Notes 5/12/2011

### Updates:

MCB 184 is only offered in fall (equivalent course to MCB 181R and L).

Financial Aid for summer: Students must be registered for classes before they can receive summer aid.

### New Student Orientation Overview, Stefanie Basij

(See attachments for schedule and outline of events).

Students will be receiving a calendar this year with important events and their test scores on the back of their calendars. Flags will be on calendar if no placements. They will be provided with Change of Major forms and there will be Change of Major stations throughout the Orientation. Students must complete Change of Major forms by 2pm on Day 1 of Orientation.

Parking for Orientation is @ Tyndall garage.

The Student Union will house the majority of Orientation events including the College Browse in the Cellar.

2 new Orientation events: UAccess tutorial to help set expectations for schedule changes. Dean of Students offering a session on integrity issues.

### Math, Tina Schuster Moore

Math will be showing a video to all new students during orientation.

Tina will be providing the video via UPAC listserv of what students will be watching for their test placements.

<http://math.arizona.edu/placement>

Math 163 (online) Statistics will have an in-person component to it (meets every Friday). This is a pilot class and will only have 40 seats for the fall.

SOC 274 (Social Statistics) is only offered for Sociology Majors.

Students can purchase an ALEKS study guide (6 week learning course) for \$30.

Free materials on math placement.

Testing Center is located on 1st and Cherry (pink building). This may expand as the number of students who can test this summer.

Transfer students will still need to take UA ALEKS online.

If students are requesting to retest, they will need to make an appointment (1 week in advance). Through Proctor U there is a \$35 testing fee and the student is limited to 3 hours.

ITSA 116 and SBS 200 fulfill M Strand Math.

**Disabled Students Resource Center (DRC), Patricia Bredehoft**

Advisors can help DRC students by not scheduling classes back to back if they need more time for test taking. Nowhere on UAccess (or analytics is DRC students identified). If you feel that students may need DRC services you should refer them to a DRC Advisor. They may or may not need medical documentation but that will be determined by the DRC Advisor. The student may receive interim services while they wait for documentation.

Many students are fatigued and suggested having chairs set up or a number system when students waiting in long line at orientation.

Review of new substitution policy – on DRC website: [www.drc.arizona.edu](http://www.drc.arizona.edu)

**Other announcements:**

Financial Aid – funding available for summer – refer students to Financial Aid. If Summer Aid application is pending, students are not dropped from the class.