Teaching Assistant Orientation

Workshops A and B
Fall 2018

August 14, 15, 21, 22

9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Workshops A & B, Aug. 14 & 15: Russell House Theatre
Workshops A & B, Aug. 21 & 22: Williams-Brice Nursing Building, Room 125

Arriving
Plan to arrive 15 minutes early to pick up materials and network with other new teaching assistants.
Registration is required for these Workshops. Please attend only on the dates for which you registered - seating and materials are limited.

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What to Bring
Bring a notepad and pen and a desire to meet other new TAs and actively participate!
Dress is casual/normal. If you get cold easily, bring a light sweater as the rooms can sometimes get cold.
Morning/afternoon snacks & drinks will be provided - if you prefer other refreshments, please bring them.

Directions
The Russell House Theatre is located in the Russell House University Union (RHUU) on Greene Street between Pickens and Sumter Streets (Aug. 14 and 15).
The Williams-Brice Nursing Building is located on the corner of Greene and Pickens Streets (Aug. 21 and 22).
See map attached to this document. An interactive map of USC locations can be found at: https://sc.edu/visit/map/

Parking
Parking is available in various lots around campus. Please see the attached “Parking and Dining Options” for important information regarding parking in these lots.
For parking rules, regulations, and how to obtain a permit, visit: www.sc.edu/vmps/park.html.

Dining Services
Below are a few of the many available dining options for breakfast and lunch. See attached “Parking and Dining Options” for more details.

A Few Off-Campus Dining Options:
- Beezer’s Subs
- Campus Grounds Cafe
- Firehouse Subs
- Green Olive
- Moe’s Southwest Grill
- Uncle Maddio’s Pizza
- Which Wich? Sandwiches
- Wendy’s Burgers

Some Russell House Dining Options: *
- Barnes & Noble Starbucks Cafe
- Grand Marketplace cafeteria
- Russell House 2nd floor fast food
* Please note that some of these Russell House dining facilities may be closed Aug. 14 & 15.

For more information about campus dining options, visit: www.sc.edu/dining.
Parking and Dining Options for TA Orientations
August 14th, 15th, 21st, and 22nd, 2018

Parking:
Nearby parking is available in several locations (see map attached). Two main “All Decal” (AD) parking lots, Lot AD3 between the Carolina Coliseum, Business School and the Colonial Life Arena, and Lot AD6 behind the Blatt P.E. Center, are for all permit holders. The Graduate Student lot (GS4) is located between the Carolina Coliseum and Colonial Life Arena as well. Graduate Student (GS) decals can also park in Resident Student (S) lots found in various locations around campus. Parking Services will not be requiring parking permits for these surface lots until after classes begin 😊. Metered parking is found on most USC streets in 2-hr and 5-hr limits, quarters only, and most meter locations use the Passport mobile pay parking app. Hourly rate visitor parking ($1/hr) is available in all USC garages (Pendleton, Bull, Sumter, Horizon, Close-Hipp, and Discovery Plaza).

USC interactive parking/shuttle map: https://sc.edu/visit/map/
Parking rules and regulations: http://www.sc.edu/vmps/park.html

Important Locations:

The Russell House University Union (RHUU) and Russell House Theatre
Week 1 (Aug. 14 & 15) of TA Orientations for Fall 2018 will be held in the Russell House. The RHUU is USC’s Student Center, located on Greene Street between Sumter and Pickens Streets. The Russell House Theatre is on the 2nd (main) floor. There are dining options within the Russell House (if open – under construction – see next page) and an information desk located on the 2nd floor. The USC Bookstore (with Starbucks Café) is on the 1st floor. Russell House Information Desk: (803) 777-3196.

Williams-Brice Nursing Building (WMBB)
Week 2 (Aug. 21 & 22) of TA Orientations for Fall 2018 will be held in the Williams-Brice Nursing Building, Room 125. Located at the intersection of Greene and Pickens Streets on its northeast corner, this building complex includes both the Williams-Brice Nursing Building and Williams-Brice Auditorium, and is situated behind the Welsh Humanities Building, Gambrell Hall, and Colloquium Café. The Williams-Brice Nursing Building's first floor exits directly onto Greene Street, and the second floor exits out onto the Humanities Buildings courtyard.

Thomas Cooper Library and the Center for Teaching Excellence
The reflecting pool fountain located between Longstreet Theatre and the Russell House on Greene Street is directly in front of the Thomas Cooper Library’s main entrance. The Center for Teaching Excellence is located on the 5th floor (one floor down), Room L511. CTE main desk: (803) 777-8322.
Parking is available in the **AD3**, **AD6**, and **GS4** large surface lots. These lots do not require a parking permit prior to classes starting. Hourly rate visitor parking is available in the **Bull Street Garage** (and many others). **Parking meters** are available on campus streets. Parking information: [http://www.sc.edu/vmps/park.html](http://www.sc.edu/vmps/park.html)

**Williams-Brice Nursing Building**

The **Williams-Brice Nursing Building** is located on the northeast corner of the intersection of Pickens and Greene Streets (behind the Humanities buildings).

**Thomas Cooper Library and the Center for Teaching Excellence**

The reflecting pool fountain adjacent to the Russell House on Greene Street is directly in front of the main entrance to the **Thomas Cooper Library**. The **Center for Teaching Excellence** is on the 5th floor, Room L511. CTE: (803) 777-8322. [http://sc.edu/cte](http://sc.edu/cte)

**Russell House University Union**

The Russell House is located on Greene Street between Sumter and Pickens Streets. It includes the **Russell House Theatre** and Ballroom. There are several dining options within the Russell House as well as an information desk located on the 2nd floor. Russell House Information Desk: (803) 777-3196
Dining Options:

Comprehensive list of on-campus dining options: https://sc.edu/about/offices_and_divisions/dining_service/s/restaurants/index.php

Restaurants in the Russell House

Barnes & Noble Café (Starbucks)  **Einstein Bros. Bagels  **Horseshoe Deli  **Grand Market Place (cafeteria and food stations)  **Preston’s at Noon

**These restaurant options will not be open August 14th – Russell House Dining is undergoing complete renovation. All dining locations should be open starting August 21st.

Dining options close to campus: