

**2024-2025 Ongoing New Faculty Orientation**  
**Office of Faculty Development (OFD)**  
**Loyola Marymount University**

**FALL SEMESTER**

**September 6<sup>th</sup>, 1:30-3pm in the Center for Faculty Development (UHALL 3030)**

Office of Online Learning

Teacher-scholar resources and the National Center for Faculty Development & Diversity

**October 4<sup>th</sup>, 1:30-3pm in the Collins Faculty Center**

Transitioning Your Scholarship and Creative Practice to a New Institution

What Does it Really Mean to Teach at a Catholic University?

**November 1<sup>st</sup>, 1:30-3pm in the Collins Faculty Center**

Study Abroad and Global Learning

Understanding “Service” at LMU

Preparing the 2024 Faculty Service Report

**December 6<sup>th</sup>, 1:30-3pm in the Center for Faculty Development (UHALL 3030)**

Group Check-In

Imagining Yourself into Mission

End of Semester Toast

**Ongoing NFO: Days in LA**

During the fall semester, there will be two off-campus day trips centered around justice and transformation in the LA context. These Days in LA are opportunities to connect with fellow new faculty, learn about Los Angeles and the justice issues impacting our region, and how faculty of diverse disciplines can integrate engaged and community-based learning into their courses. Transportation and meals provided. [Sign up here!](#)

**1. Housing and Food Justice in West LA**

Sunday, October 13 | 1:00 - 5:00 pm

Just outside LMU's back gates, help prepare a meal for unhoused neighbors and learn from community leaders about the issues impacting housing and food security in our area, with particular emphasis on Westchester and Playa del Rey.

**2. Community Thriving and Quality of Life in South Central LA**

Date TBD (either Friday, Nov. 8 or Friday, Nov. 15) | 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Visit community organizations providing social services, education and job training, and support for vulnerable/marginalized populations in South Central Los Angeles and learn about the thriving communities and cultures of these historic neighborhoods.

**SPRING SEMESTER**

**January 24<sup>th</sup>, 1:30-3pm in the Collins Faculty Center**

Reflection on the Fall Semester as a Teacher-Scholar/Setting Goals for the Spring Semester

Discernment for Early Career Development

**March 28<sup>th</sup>, 1:30-3pm in the Collins Faculty Center**

What is an LMU education for? Jesuit education and Ignatian pedagogy

Education for transformation/justice

**April 25<sup>th</sup>, 1:30-3pm in the Collins Faculty Center**

End of the Year Celebration