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Faculty International Orientation

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FIO 2016-2017 Program - Call for Applications (Draft).docx

## Colleagues:

Greetings. As you may recall, at our 2016 Faculty Breakfast President Carter announced that the Faculty International Orientation (FIO) will occur again this year during Spring Break. Its purpose is to allow our faculty unique opportunities for engaging new cultures that transform our own perspectives and allow us to pass that knowledge and those experiences to our students. Attached is program information containing the Overview, Restrictions, Application Procedure, Deadlines, Notes, and Itinerary for you to study as you consider creating and submitting a proposal.

The deadline for applications is before 5 p.m. on November 9. Successful applicants will be notified on or before Nov. 18. You should send the application as an email attachment to the Director of International Programs (jblackwell@fmarion.edu).

To Chairs and Deans: I can be available to speak with your department or school to answer questions or explain the procedures.

To all Faculty: please contact me if you have questions about the information on FIO or any International Programs opportunities for students and faculty.

Yours, mark

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