

Fall 2026 Flex Week

August 17 - 21, 2026

Session Mode Legend
In-person only
Online only
Dual Delivery (In-person & Online)

Flex activities are open to all faculty and staff. Register and find Online links on the ProLearning Workshop Calendar.

	MONDAY 8/17			TUESDAY 8/18			WEDNESDAY 8/19			THURSDAY 8/20	FRIDAY 8/21	
TIME	Session A	Session B	Session C	Session A	Session B	Session C	Session A	Session B	Session C	All Events at Kentfield	Session A	Session B
8:00										Meet and Greet Coffee, tea, and light refreshments 8 - 8:45; JD Theater lobby		
8:30												
9:00												
9:30	New Employee Orientation - Welcome to COM Human Resources Department 9:30 - 10:50 CSS 145	Elimination of Bias in Hiring and Employment Nikki Harris Mia Robertshaw 9:30 - 10:50 AC 255		Designing Interdisciplinary Curriculum to Teach Biodiversity and Sustainability Fernando Agudelo-Silva, George Rothbart 9:30 - 10:50 CSS 145		CSEA Open Enrollment Overview Bradley Wanstall 9:00 - 11:00 Online	CRPP in Practice: Reflect, Reconnect, and Reimagine Luz Moreno Emily Fox 9:30 - 10:50 Online	Meet Nectir AI: Using AI to Support Equity, Access, and Student Success Stacey Winkler Lindsey Nicholl, Nectir.ai 9:30 - 10:50 CSS 149 and Online	New Faculty Orientation Steve Carrera Cari Torres-Benavides 9:30 - 12:50; AC 103	Convocation 9:00 - 11:00 James Dunn Theater, Kentfield Campus	The Foundations of Disability Access in Post-secondary Education Jamie Axelrod 9:30 - 10:50 AC 255	10 + 1 ≠ 11 Academic Senate 9:30 - 10:50 Online
10:00												
10:30												
11:00	Accommodations: Access, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Carl Freschl Luna Finlayson 11:00 - 12:20 CSS 147	Banner 9 Faculty Dashboard Overview Jon Horinek 11:00 - 12:20 CSS 149 and Online		Laying the Foundation: How COM's Digital Evolution Puts Students, Equity & Access at the Center Nova Hansbrough 11:00 - 12:20 CSS 147	Chairs & Coordinators' Meeting 10:30 - 12:30; AC 255		Student Support in STEM with ICDS and Biology 102 Erik Dunmire Tina Christensen 11:00 - 12:20 SMN 225	Become a Pro with ProLearning Alyssa Graff Brandon Christian 11:00 - 12:20 CSS 149 and Online		Post-Convocation Keynote Speaker Q & A 11:00 - 12:00 PA 72	Beyond Access: Creating Equitable Classrooms for Neurodiverse Learners Gail Ann Rulloda Christine Moody from UCLA 11:00 - 12:50 CSS 145	COM Library: Resources to Support Your Teaching and Your Students' Learning Dave Patterson Sarah Frye 11:00 - 12:20 CSS 208
11:30												
12:00												
12:30										UPM Meeting and UPM Lunch 12:00 - 1:30 Deedy Hall Cafeteria		
1:00	COM Drama: The Empathy Workout! Erin Africa 1:00 - 2:20 The Studio Theatre PA 32	Why Accessibility Matters Now: Compliance, Equity & Student Success (Session 1) Stacey Winkler, Ephantus Mogere 1:00 - 2:20 CSS 100 and Online		You're Welcome! Services at the Welcome Center Sally Wong Patrick Garretson 1:00 - 2:20 CSS 145	Increasing Student Engagement and Access with Harmonize Discussions Stacey Winkler Ephantus Mogere 1:00 - 2:20 CSS 149 and Online	SEIU Open Enrollment Overview Bradley Wanstall 1:00-3:00 AC 245	Engaged and Empowered: Best Practices for Committee Success Dave King Alyssa Graff 1:00 - 2:20 AC 255				Supporting SAS students with Accessible Information Management (AIM) Faiza Mercado 1:00 - 2:20 CSS 149	What Does Immigration Have to Do with My Discipline? Common Read 26-27 Dave Patterson Sarah Frye 1:00 - 2:20 Online
1:30												
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2:30	LGBTQ+ Brave Spaces: Moving Beyond Good Intentions Tea Perales 2:30 - 3:50 CSS 145	7 Simple Steps to Improve Canvas Course Accessibility (Session 2) Stacey Winkler Ephantus Mogere 2:30 - 3:50 CSS 149 and Online	MSC Open Enrollment Overview Bradley Wanstall 2:30-4:30 Online	What Does it Take to Create a Culture of Equity? The 3rd Mission to Mars Craig Coss Shaylah Anderson 2:30 - 4:30 AC 255	AI + Accessibility + Future Ready College of Marin (Session 3) Stacey Winkler Ephantus Mogere 2:30 - 3:50 CSS 149 and Online		Learning to See Drawing Exercise Carol Lefkowitz 2:30 - 4:30 FA 214	Overview of Basic Needs Services and Supporting Student Wellness Lia Lara Sadika Sulaiman Hara 2:30 - 3:50 Online		Department Meetings 1:40 - 3:30; various locations	Bolinás Field Station Visit, Update and Marine Lab Experience Wendy St. John Daniel Cooper 2:30 - 4:30 Bolinás Field Station	An Introduction to Canvas Insights for SLO Assessment Logan Wood 2:30 - 3:50 Online
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