



March 2019

## FAU Department Spotlight: University Advising Services (UAS)



This month, we spotlight the Office of Advising. The primary focus of University Advising Services (UAS) is to assist first and second-year students, as they embark upon a new playing field in their lives - HIGHER EDUCATION AT FAU.

UAS objectives are geared towards helping students learn the essential parts of developing and implementing appropriate, meaningful outcomes, for a four year graduation plan. UAS is intentional in their approach to aid students in performing their best, giving maximum effort, and ultimately, becoming winners by achieving their academic goals.

UAS also listens to the needs of their students and provides them information to include advising, resources, and referrals to the appropriate department. The heart of the department is represented by the various quotes displayed on the walls of UAS. Marcy Blochowiak's quote "You are always only one choice away from changing your life," reminds students that all choices are important and UAS's mission is help guide their choices.

The needs of specific populations served by UAS include students who've experienced foster care or homelessness, those who identify as first generation, and individuals interested in pursuing a career in law.

In an effort to meet the students where they are, UAS staff is located in residence halls and parking garages through Get Wise on the Quad and Get Wise on the Go (which provides general advising in Parking Garage 1 [near the library] on Mondays from 5-7 p.m.). You and your students may explore the following websites to find out more information:

- Educate Tomorrow at FAU Program: [www.fau.edu/uas/educate\\_tomorrow.php](http://www.fau.edu/uas/educate_tomorrow.php)
- First Generation Advising: [www.fau.edu/uas/firstgen.php](http://www.fau.edu/uas/firstgen.php)
- PLUS - Pre Law University Services: [www.fau.edu/prelaw](http://www.fau.edu/prelaw)
- Get Wise, Residential After-hours Student Support: <http://www.fau.edu/uas/getwise.php>

Please encourage your students to see their advisors and coaches in the Student Support Services building, Rooms 201 and 227.

LET'S WORK TOGETHER TO HELP LEVEL THE PLAYING FIELD FOR YOUR OWLS!  
[advisingservices@fau.edu](mailto:advisingservices@fau.edu) | [www.fau.edu/uas](http://www.fau.edu/uas) | 561-297-3064

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## FAU Medicine

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## FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY



*University Physicians Delivering Personalized Primary Care*

# *Accepting New Patients*

2 MINUTES FROM FAU'S BOCA RATON CAMPUS

[www.faumedicine.org](http://www.faumedicine.org)

Attention Families!

We are very proud to announce the launch of FAU Medicine Primary Care, our first university operated physician practice. Located two minutes from our Boca Raton campus, the practice combines the latest innovations in primary care medicine with a personalized, patient-centered approach delivered by Florida Atlantic University physicians.

FAU Medicine Primary Care will oversee all aspects of adult patients' healthcare, from preventative care, wellness and nutrition, to geriatric care and the management of complex chronic conditions. The new high-quality services will fill an important need for non-concierge primary care services in our community. As an academic center, FAU Medicine also offers opportunities to participate in clinical trials and engage in the latest research studies.

FAU Medicine Primary Care is scheduled to open in mid-February. The practice is already taking appointments for new patients. For more information, visit [www.faumedicine.org](http://www.faumedicine.org). To make an appointment, call 561-566-5328 (561-566-5FAU)

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## Upcoming Events for your Student:

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### 4th Annual Women's Leadership Institute



**Friday, March 15 at 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.  
College of Business, Barry Kaye Hall  
777 Glades Road, Boca Raton, FL 33431**

The Women's Leadership Institute (WLI) strives to raise awareness on issues women face in leadership and to provide opportunities for students. The theme for this year's conference Visionary Women: Champions of peace and nonviolence. This conference will offer students, faculty, and staff three track options: Knowing your Worth, Impacting Change, and Career Women.

Please inform your student to register to attend this event!  
Get your student Informed, Empowered, and Involved.

[Apply Now](#)

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## Palm Beach Book Festival



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*Words in Paradise*

**Saturday, March 16 at 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.**  
**University Theater**

The Dorothy F. Schmidt College of Arts and Letters at FAU is hosting the 5th annual Palm Beach Book Festival in Boca Raton with an exciting group of New York Times Best-selling/celebrity authors. Free parking is included with admission. Lunch will be for sale at the event. This is an excellent opportunity for families and students to attend and meet an exciting group of authors in a variety of genres.

For more information please click on the link below.

[Click Here](#)

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## JCPenney Suit-Up Event

**OWLS,**  
join us at the...



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**JCPenney**  
**SUIT-UP**  
**EVENT**

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**Sunday, March 31 from 6-10 p.m.**  
**JCPenney, 1600 NE 23rd St, Pompano Beach, FL 33062**

The FAU Career Center is proud to announce that JCPenney - Pompano Beach store will be hosting a JCPenney Suit-Up Event for our FAU OWLs. Current FAU students and first-year alumni will receive 40% off all professional attire.

Students and alumni will have the opportunity to work with stylists to perfect their professional wardrobe, network with employers, win prizes and more! Transportation will be provided from the Boca Raton campus. To enter the event please use the JCPenney entrance that faces Copans Road.

Please inform your student to RSVP on Handshake to reserve their spot on the FREE shuttle from the Boca Raton campus to JCPenney!

[Learn More](#)

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## Additional dates in March

**Here are some events to encourage your students to participate in and dates to keep in mind:**

March 4-10: Spring Break. No classes will take place, but offices will be open.

March 6: Last day to pay tuition and fees for students with Florida Prepaid, Financial Aid or Veteran's Assistance deferment

March 14: Preparing for Graduate School Workshop

March 29: April 3: Greek Week

[Learn More](#)

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