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Planning for Promotion and Tenure: The process of applying for promotion and tenure at Union University involves the development of a portfolio that effectively demonstrates a faculty member's professional development over time. This session will include an overview of the portfolio guidelines described in the Faculty Handbook.

Speakers: Gene Fant and Hunter Baker

Date: October 3, 2012 at 3:00 p.m.

Location: BAC-41

Student Advising: While we know that it is the student's primary responsibility for their progress toward the degree they are seeking, it is also important for them to know that their instructors care and are eager to assist them. This session will explore general expectations for student advising and ways to make the process the most efficient and helpful for everyone involved.

Speakers: Hunter Baker, Kimberly Thornbury, Susan Hopper, Anita Todd

Date: October 31, 2012 at 3:00 p.m.

Location: BAC-41

Team-Based Learning – This session will consider a special form of collaborative learning that uses a specific sequence of individual work, group work and immediate feedback to create a motivational framework for students. Team-based learning increases student accountability for coming to class prepared and for contributing to discussion.

Speaker: Mark Dubis

Date: November 7, 2012 at 3:00 p.m.

Location: BAC-41