Faculty Retreat
January 13, 2015

8:00-9:00 Coffee and pastries
9:00-9:10 Opening Remarks
Frank LaFerla, Dean, Ayala School of Biological Sciences
9:10 - 9:20 Introduction to the Retreat
Craig Stark
9:20 - 9:50 Breakout Session 1: I’ve seen you before – who are you?
9:50 - 10:20 Coffee
10:20 - 11:40 Collaborative Research Talks
  10:20 – Melissa Lodoen, Molecular Biology and Biochemistry
  10:40 – Dritan Agalliu, Developmental and Cell Biology
  11:00 – Marcelo Wood, Neurobiology and Behavior
  11:20 – Travis Huxman, Ecology and Evolutionary Biology
11:40 - 12:10 Coffee
12:10 - 12:50 Breakout Session 2: What makes collaborations form and work?
12:50 - 1:50 Lunch
1:50 - 2:30 New hires data blitz
2:30 - 2:50 Undergraduate Education
  Michael Leon, Associate Dean
2:50 - 3:20 Coffee
3:20 - 4:00 Teaching Techniques and Practices
  3:20 – Brian Sato and Pavan Kadandale
  3:40 – Lightning Talks: Nancy Aguilar-Roca, Debra Mauzy-Melitz, Andrea Nicholas
4:00 - 4:40 Breakout Session 3: Applying new teaching methods in our classes
4:40 - 5:00 Evaluating Teaching Effectiveness
  Diane O’Dowd, Vice Provost for Academic Personnel
5:00 - 5:10 Where do we go from here? Closing comments and thoughts for next year
  Naomi Morrisette, Steven Allison, Brian Sato, and Christine Suetterlin
5:10 Reception

Updated 12/4/14: This is subject to change.