

NEW AI/TA ORIENTATION PROGRAM  
Academic Center 411 (Knopf Room)  
August 18-21, 1981

TUESDAY  
AUGUST 18

- 9:00 Welcoming remarks, Professor Joseph Moldenhauer,  
Chairman, Department of English, UT
- 9:15 "*The Composition Program at UT*," Panel: Dr. Ray  
Cook, Lecturer-E306, Paul Meyer-E307, Bruce Gentry-E308,  
Popular Culture
- 10:15 Coffee Break
- 10:45 "*Invention and Creativity in Composition*," Professor  
Elizabeth Cowan, Assistant to the President, Texas A&M  
University. Dr. Cowan is the co-author of Writing,  
one of the four major texts in the E306 program.
- 11:45 Lunch
- 1:30- "*The Teaching of Mechanics in Freshman English*,"  
2:30 Dr. Cynthia Selfe, Assistant Professor, Michigan  
Technological University

WEDNESDAY  
AUGUST 19

- 9:15 "*E306: Rhetoric and Composition*," Professor James L.  
Kinneavy, Director of Freshman English, UT
- 10:15 Coffee Break
- 10:45 "*The Reading and Study Skills Laboratory (RASSL)  
Program*," Mark Gregg, Learning Specialist
- 11:30 Lunch
- 1:15 "*Integrating Literature and Composition*,"  
Dr. Carol McKay, Assistant Professor of English, UT
- 2:15 Coffee Break
- 2:45- Workshop - *The First Week of Class*, Panel: Dr. Sue  
3:45 Rodi, Lecturer, Paula Marks, Chris Merritt, Phillip Sipiora

THURSDAY  
AUGUST 20

- 9:15 "*Some Psychological Concerns about Teaching Composition*,"  
Dr. Maxine Hairston, author of The Contemporary  
Rhetoric, one of the texts used in E308.
- 10:15 Coffee Break
- 10:45 "*Using the Writing Lab in Freshman Composition*,"  
Dr. David McMurrey, Director of the Writing Lab and  
Sue Campman, Assistant Director of the Writing Lab
- 11:45 Lunch
- 1:15 "*In Defense of Textbooks*,"  
Dr. John Ruskiewicz, author of Well-Bound Words,  
one of the major texts used in E306.
- 2:15 Coffee Break
- 2:45- Workshop - *The First Week of Class*, Panel: Susan  
3:45 Blalock, Bruce Williamson, Tom Miller

FRIDAY  
AUGUST 21

- 9:15 "*Using Student Editing in Class*," Ann Graybiel,  
Assistant Instructor
- 10:15 AGSE (Association of Graduate Students of English),  
Bruce Williamson, Danielle Jaussaud and Tom Miller  
will speak on current A.I. and T.A. issues.
- 11:00- "*The Library Component of Freshman English*," Barbara  
11:45 Schwartz, Ann Neville and Dawn Hayslett, Undergraduate  
Library