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October Meeting Update

- Dr. Gloria Cox, Dean of the Honors College, spoke on the opportunities the Honors program offers UNT students. Specifically, The Honors Certificate, The Honors Scholar, and The Distinguished Honors Scholar. If you are interested in learning more about the Honors College, visit www.unt.edu/honors. She would like support from the advisors in recognizing honors students and recommending the Honors College to those that are eligible.
- Dr. John Hipple, with the Counseling and Testing Center, gave hand-outs regarding retention rates. If you were unable to attend the meeting and would like a copy, please contact [Dr. Hipple](#).
- 13 of the 18 Peer Advisors came to the UCAN meeting in which Carol Mercer, Housing, explained what the peer advisors do and how they accomplish their goal of promoting academic success in residence life. Did you know that the 18 peer advisors are responsible for making contact with 1,825 residents in the 2005-2006 year? Thank you to the peer advisors for their referrals! If you are interested in being included in peer advisor emails, contact [Carol Mercer](#).



Upcoming Meetings and Topics:

Thursday, November 17, 2005:

12:00-1:30, Room to be announced

Researching and Presenting in Advising
Study Abroad
Course Spotlight, PSYC 1000

Friday, December 2, 2005:

10:00-12:00, Music 251

New Advisor Workshop

Friday, December 16, 2005:

12:00-1:30, Room to be announced

Advising Students with Disabilities
Course Spotlight

New Advisor Workshop

Have you been advising at UNT for a year or less? If so, you are invited to attend the New Advisor Workshop being held on Friday, Dec. 2nd from 10:00 to 12:00 in Music 251. Come and learn about the Counseling and Testing department, The Learning Center, Equity and Diversity, Study Abroad, and Trio. It is a great opportunity to meet people from other departments and other new advisors. All advisors that are eligible to attend will be receiving an invitation from their UCAN college representative.

Not a UCAN member yet?

The primary goal of UCAN is to provide academic counselors and advisors with opportunities for professional development, recognition, and peer support, ultimately building a network of resources to enhance student success in college. UCAN is open to all UNT faculty and staff that guide students in an academic setting.

Have a UCAN item you would like to see included in the newsletter? E-mail Alex Romano (RomanoA@unt.edu)
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