

A Faculty Fellow is a full-time faculty member who serves as an academic advocate and mentor for undergraduate students in an assigned Residential College. Faculty Fellows work closely with Residential Faculty and Housing and Residential Life staff to increase faculty-student engagement in the Residential College and contribute to developing an intentional intellectual community. Faculty Fellows do not reside in their assigned Residential College but fill a fundamental role in the community as part of the Senior Staff. The Faculty Fellow has a time commitment of 3-4 hours per week during the academic year and an additional time commitment during training, opening, and closing of the Residential Colleges.

Faculty Fellows will be expected to:

- Report to the Residential Faculty of their affiliate Residential College.
- Become knowledgeable about the curricular frameworks and basic requirements of the University's undergraduate schools and colleges.
- Advise students about their selection of cognates and the academic options in the different schools and colleges.
- Maintain a regular but informal presence in the residence hall, including, but not limited to, visiting at critical times (i.e., orientation and move-in).
- Host at least one engagement hour per week in the Residential College.
- Attend weekly senior staff meetings.
- Attend monthly Residential Faculty/Faculty Fellow meetings.
- Host one program with students per semester in a Residential Faculty apartment.
- Attend select Tuesday evening Residential College staff meetings as needed for program planning and occasional evening events.
- Participate in faculty training, typically held August 2-14 and January 2-14, exact dates TBA.
- Provide an annual report of activities in the Residential College.

Faculty Fellows will be appointed for a one-year term, with the possibility of renewal. Faculty Fellow activities will be assessed at the end of the academic year. Faculty Fellows receive a five-meal/week meal plan each semester. Budget pending, a one-time research stipend or professional development funding may be available.

Invitations to apply for Residential Faculty openings will be extended to select Faculty Fellows who have successfully completed their terms. Interest in a residential position is not a requirement of the Fellow position, and not everyone who completes a Faculty Fellow term will ultimately be extended an invitation to apply. Being a Residential Faculty member is a singular appointment without the option for reapplication.

Qualifications: Full-time faculty appointment with substantial undergraduate teaching responsibilities. Preference for candidates with terminal degrees. Candidates must have at least

two years of University of Miami teaching experience as a full-time faculty member at the time of application and have demonstrated experience in academic advising or mentoring as well as other direct and ongoing interactions with undergraduate students. Applicants should be student-centered, innovative, willing to collaborate with residential life staff, able to work with students and build sustainable links between curricular and co-curricular experiences and have a knowledge and understanding of a large, urban research university. Candidates should also be familiar with the University of Miami's Residential College system, the educational mission of the University, issues facing today's college students, and be able to relate to and communicate with college students. They should possess strong interpersonal and communication skills and the ability to work effectively with students and Residential College staff.