Registration Information for Advisors

1. New this year: when you look at a fall course in the catalog, there is a link at the bottom of the course description that will take you directly to PRESTO (up to the minute) enrollment information. See the link titled “Click here for the Fall 2015 Schedule of Classes”; once on the PRESTO page, click on the blue highlighted course line at the top for current enrollment information. (Spring 2016 will be added when registration begins in November.)

2. New this Fall: a quick way to see new courses added since registration ended in April!

In the catalog, on the left side is a list of all courses offered in 2015-2016. Directly below it is a new link “New Fall Semester Courses Added Since April 24, 2015.”

3. A reminder that links also exist on the left side of the catalog that list all courses that meet one of the general requirements for Cultural Diversity, Quantitative and Formal Reasoning, and Writing. All co-curricular classes are also listed.

4. Degree Works: we are in the process of rewriting the general requirements so that students who matriculated Fall 2013 and later will see the “new” requirements as written without any of the language pertaining to “old” and “new.” We expect this rewritten version to be available for advising the week of August 24. (Students who matriculated before Fall 2013 will be able to see the relevant Degree Works report which references the “old” and “new” requirements.)

5. How can you see up to date information about enrollments?

- Using the catalog, the link (explained above) for each course takes you directly to PRESTO enrollment figures or log onto PRESTO [Go to: Faculty and Advisors/Look-Up Classes/Select Semester/Select Course information]. (Remember to click on the blue highlighted course information to see current enrollments.)
We will post an updated list of enrollments on our main webpage: http://new.oberlin.edu/office/registrar/ beginning August 25. We will update this list on the morning of August 28 before we begin the second day of registration.

6. RAPS: are not required for any Continuing or Returning student if they are already registered. New students always need their RAP until the end of Add/Drop.

7. Add/Drop: August 31- September 10. Appointments for all students are scheduled as follows:

August 21, September 1: Each student has 3-4 hours each day in which to add and drop. Beginning September 2: all add/drop appointments begin at 9:00 and end at 11:30 pm each day.

All add/drop appointments can be seen in PRESTO by your advisee [Go to: Student and Financial Aid/Registration/Registration Status].