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SELF-GUIDED TOUR

Hello and welcome to the Honors College. We are glad that you are here and sorry that we cannot give you a tour today. We hope that this self-guided tour will give you a good overview of the campus and we encourage you to return when an Honors College Student Ambassador or member of the Admissions staff can show you around the beautiful MacArthur Campus.

- ☆ You are in the **Honors College building (HC)**. Walk down the hallway towards the center atrium to begin your tour. Notice the display case outside the Dean's suite in HC130 highlighting the publications of the faculty. Walk down the hall toward rooms HC116, HC115 and HC114. These are three of the four Honors College classrooms, each with a seating capacity of 15 arranged in a seminar style. There are faculty offices on the other side of the hall. The posters on the walls show research projects done by Honors College students. Presently the chemistry and physics labs are at either end of the long hallway.
- ☆ Return to the atrium and leave the HC building by the back door, by the restrooms. Walk to the left, to the **Hibel Art Complex (HA)**; the building on the left is home to faculty offices, art studios and soon-to-be music practice rooms. The building on the right is the **Hibel Art Museum**, home to local artist Edna Hibel (www.hibelmuseum.org). Admission to the museum is free. The paintings that you will see around campus in the gold frames are the works of Edna Hibel. Looking across the street, you can see Roger Dean Stadium, home to the Florida Marlins and the St. Louis Cardinals' spring training and minor league baseball programs.
- ☆ Return on the same sidewalk toward the pergola that frequently is in bloom with beautiful pink flowers. Take the sidewalk to the left heading diagonally towards the **Dining Hall (DH)**. The dining hall is an "all you care to eat" format open during 19 meals a week (Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Monday through Friday and Brunch and Dinner on weekends.) There is a fresh salad bar, soup and sandwich station, and several hot options including vegetarian choices at each meal. Desserts rotate and there is always soft serve ice cream available.
- ☆ Look to your left, the large three story building is **Residence Hall 1 (RH1)**; behind it across a courtyard is **Residence Hall 2 (RH2)**. The residence halls are locked up 24/7; you need an OWL card (FAU ID card) or must be accompanied by a current residential student to gain access. On the top floor of each building there is a multi-purpose room with a large flat screen TV. The room can be used for studying, playing video games, club meetings, study sessions, etc. The second floor has a laundry room; students can use their OWL card for payment or there is a change machine available with quarters. Each residence hall is co-ed with single-gender suites. There are four bedrooms in each suite; each student has a private bedroom and shares a living room and two half-bathrooms. The rooms are furnished with a bed, desk, chair, chest of drawers and a large closet. Each bedroom is keyed with an individual key, so a student has access to the suite door and bedroom. A list of permitted small appliances is available in the "Guide to Residential Life." Pets are prohibited.
- ☆ Return on the sidewalk walking back towards the Honors College building, but turn to your left and go up the sidewalk that heads straight back along the recreation field. As you pass the courtyard with tables and a BBQ, you will get a good view of Residence Hall 2, and the Abacoa Town Center (www.abacoa.com). The Town Center is home to several restaurants, galleries, and shops as well as residential condominiums and serves as the anchor for the 2000-acre planned community of Abacoa.
- ☆ You will also get a great view of **Scripps Florida** to the left, with its striking double-helix "tower." Scripps Florida opened in January 2009 and is a world-renown biomedical research center, offering internships for Honors College students (www.scripps.edu/florida). Another research center, the **Max Planck Florida Institute** (www.maxplanckflorida.org), is also located on this campus; construction will begin on a permanent building soon, adjacent to Scripps. This is the first and only location in the U.S.
- ☆ You probably noticed several of the **Disc Golf** tees and holes; we have a full 18-hole course on campus.

- ☆ The large building on the left is home to the **College of Education (EC)** and contains faculty offices and classrooms.
- ☆ Facing the College of Education is the **Library (LB)**. Enter the 24 hour study lounge through the first set of doors. This space can be utilized after-hours by students using their OWL card to gain access. Please enter the library and feel free to look around at the rotating exhibits, check out the impressive DVD collection and the current library acquisitions. The library is open to the community, people can come in to read periodicals and use the public access computer terminals, the second floor is for quiet individual study and is home to the music collection. Within the library there are three exhibition areas where artists can show their work. The first space is across from the circulation desk in several display cases. The second and largest is straight back in the far right corner and the third is on the back wall past the stacks on the left. If you have any questions, do not hesitate to ask the knowledgeable staff working at the circulation desk.
- ☆ As you leave the Library look to your right. The building at the end of the long winding sidewalk is known as our **Research Facility (RF)**, home to the Honors College biology labs and professors' offices and future home of our chemistry labs. Also housed in the building is the **Center for Environmental Studies** (www.ces.fau.edu). This is a state-wide organization that provides internship and volunteer opportunities to our students. They are responsible in part for the beautiful arboretum that is located adjacent to the Honors College building.
- ☆ Leave the Library and walk to the left. The large building on the left is the Elinor Bernon Rosenthal **Lifelong Learning Complex (LLS)**. This facility houses the 500-seat Tamar and Milton Maltz Center for Education auditorium and the Pearl Perloff East and West wings, with three classrooms and the LLS administrative offices. The Lifelong Learning Society provides non-credit liberal arts courses for adults of all ages. Just before you reach the parking lot ahead, to the right is the **Wilkes Building (WB)**, a psychology facility. Faculty members from both the Honors College and the Charles E. Schmidt College of Science have offices and lab space here. On the first floor of the building is an amphitheatre style classroom.
- ☆ Walk down the sidewalk along the recreation field toward the front of campus; you will see the **tennis court, sand-volleyball court, pool** and **basketball court** on your left.
- ☆ Pass the 2-story **Student Resources Building** on the right and continue to the **Administration (AD) building**. Enter through the rear corner door. Along the right wall are three of the largest classrooms on campus. On the left is a 238-seat Auditorium. You will find smaller classrooms upstairs, as well as the Campus Administrative offices. Leave through the main front doors of the building.
- ☆ Follow the sidewalk around to the right. The building in front of you is the **Student Resources (SR) building**. There is a lot to see in this building! Upon entering you are in the largest **gallery** space on campus. The exhibits rotate featuring professional artists and the art work of students, faculty and staff. Through the double doors on the right is **The Burrow**. This is the student center of campus, home to the director of **Student Involvement and Leadership, Campus Recreation, University Police, OWL TV, student government offices, a convenience store and the Campus Bookstore**. Clubs hold meetings here; students can watch TV, play Wii, billiards, etc. in this student-centered space.
- ☆ Climb the stairs in the atrium or take the elevator. The second floor houses classrooms and faculty offices. There is also a teaching computer lab, and the **Information Resource Management (IRM) office**. These are the people responsible for technology on the campus. Finally, **The Counseling Center** is staffed by a psychologist and graduate intern. Services are available free of charge to students in private and group settings.
- ☆ Return to the first floor and walk across the atrium through the double doors labeled **Student Services**. As you walk down the hallway, you will see the **Student Services suite** on the left which is the "one stop shop" for most Jupiter campus students' needs from financial aid, registrar, cashier, etc. Across from the Student Services suite is the **Career Center** and another computer lab. **Student Health Services** is at the end of the hall on the right; a nurse practitioner will see students, write prescriptions, administer vaccines, do labs and make referrals to doctors in the area. Across from this office within the Student Services suite is the **Office of Diversity Services** which serves the international student community and students with disabilities, and provides multicultural education programming.
- ☆ If you leave through the double doors at the end of the hallway, you will see the Honors College on your left. This is where you began your tour.

WE HOPE YOU ENJOYED THE TOUR.
If you have any questions, please call 561-799-8646
Thanks, and please visit us again soon!

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BUILDING LEGEND

- AD** Administration/Classroom
- AR** Huckshorn Arboretum
- DH** Dining Hall Commons
- EC** Education and Classroom
- HA** Hibel Fine Arts
- HC** Wilkes Honors College
- HM** Hibel Museum
- LB** Library
- LL** Elinor Bernon Rosenthal Lifelong Learning Complex
- MA** Maltz Center for Education
- PA** Perloff Administration
- PC** Perloff Classroom
- PH** Pool House/Recreation Area
- RE** Research Expansion
- RF** Research Facility
- RH** Residence Halls 1 & 2
- SR** Student Resources/Classrooms
- WB** Wilkes Psychology
-  **Visitor Parking**
-  **Campus Directory**

DRIVING DIRECTIONS

From I-95: take exit 83 (Donald Ross Road) east to Parkside Drive. Turn North on Parkside Drive and turn right into parking area.

From Florida Turnpike headed South: take exit 116 (Indiantown Road) east to I-95 South. From I-95 exit 83 (Donald Ross Road) east to Parkside Drive. Turn North on Parkside Drive and turn right into parking area.

From Florida Turnpike headed North: take exit 109 (PGA Blvd) east to Central Blvd. North. Turn West on Donald Ross Road. Turn North onto Parkside Drive and turn right into parking area.

