

Physics Department 2001 Retreat

When: Tuesday May 15, 2001 8am-3.30 pm, Marriott Hotel RTP

Directions: Take I-440 to Miami Blvd #281 in RTP. Turn right and take first right into hotel.

Who: Regular Faculty, Research Faculty, Adjunct Faculty, EPA Professional Staff with Teaching Duties, GPSA President
(confirm attendance for meal count with Becky Savage)

Agenda

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| 8-8.45am | Coffee and pastries |
| 8.45-9.30am | State of the Department (Gould) |
| 9.30-10.00am | Undergraduate majors program – can we do more with the BA (Reynolds) |
| 10.00-10.30am | Growing and diversifying the graduate program – what do we try next (Paesler) |
| 10.30-11.00am | Coffee break |
| 11.00-11.30am | opportunities in the introductory course sequences (205-208, 211/212, 123/125, 131/133)
(Beichner (overview), Mowat (labs)) |
| 11.30-noon | If it's not IF but When there is a 10% budget cut – what are our core values (Gould) |
| Noon-1pm | Lunch |
| 1-1.30pm | Departmental Center initiatives High Performance Simulation (Bernholc) and Nanoscale Science and Technology (Ade or Krim) |
| 1.30-2.00pm | Strategic plan update: review off the hiring plan and hiring procedures (Sayers) |
| 2.00-2.30pm | Short and long term space issues (Gould) |
| 2.30-3pm | Coffee break |
| 3-3.30pm | Open forum for any remarks, and close out discussion on hiring plans for the coming two years. |
| Close 3.30pm | |