



# NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY

## Information for New Graduate Students

Fall 2008

### Welcome to Northern Arizona University!

**You'll find the following information helpful as you prepare to join the NAU community of scholars.**

**ORIENTATION.** An orientation program for new graduate students and new graduate assistants will be held on Tuesday, August 19, 2008, from approximately 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. A more detailed schedule of the orientation will be available after August 1 from the Graduate College, on the web at <http://home.nau.edu/gradcol/>, or from your academic department. The morning sessions are for new graduate students and the afternoon sessions are for new graduate assistants. All new graduate students are encouraged to attend the orientation. **New graduate assistants are required to attend.**

Additional information about NAU and the Flagstaff community will be available at the orientation. In the meantime, you can check our web page for information about NAU and Flagstaff.

**HOUSING.** On-campus housing offers single students traditional residence halls, suites, and apartments. Family apartments are available for married couples and students with children. Residence hall life-style options include nonsmoking halls and floors, floors dedicated for 21-and-older and 25-and-older age groups, and quiet areas. Contracts are available for the academic year, summer, and twelve-month housing. New on-campus apartments in McKay Village, for example, provide many attractive options. For more information, or to apply for housing, you can visit the residence life web site at [www.nau.edu/reslife](http://www.nau.edu/reslife), call 928-523-3978, or write to the Office of Residence Life, NAU, PO Box 6100, Flagstaff, AZ 86011-6100.

Off-campus housing in Flagstaff is available, but expensive compared to on-campus housing. For an apartment guide contact the local newspaper, the *Arizona Daily Sun*, at 928-774-4545, or visit their online guide at [www.azdailysun.com/rentals](http://www.azdailysun.com/rentals). Relocation information is also available from the Flagstaff Chamber of Commerce by calling 928-774-4505, by visiting their web site at [www.flagstaff.az.us](http://www.flagstaff.az.us), or by e-mail at [chamber@infomagic.com](mailto:chamber@infomagic.com).

**REGISTRATION.** Newly admitted graduate students may register between April 19 and August 24. You should confer with your advisor before you register. You may register online at <https://my.nau.edu/louie/>. In order to do so, you will need a student e-mail account which you can acquire at the same website.

**IMMUNIZATION.** Information about measles immunization is enclosed. This policy applies only to students who attend classes in Flagstaff. Graduate students attending at statewide sites are exempt from this policy.

**DOCUMENTS.** Bring your Social Security card and a photo I.D. You will need to present both in order to sign up with payroll, for any type of campus employment, and you may need them for a variety of other reasons.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.** If you need additional information before you arrive in Flagstaff, contact the Graduate College at the address below.