

## ***Fresh Start – Fall 2008*** ***Jennings 212***

**The mission of *Fresh Start*** is to begin the faculty development process so that new faculty will:

1. *seek to know and love God and see their teaching, scholarship, creative work, and service as part of their Christian calling to the academic world*
2. *become excellent teachers and creative and fruitful contributors to their disciplines*
3. *discover their potential for advancement into positions of academic leadership*

### **Session One: *Planning for Development***

**October 7 or 8; 3-4 p.m.**

**Objective:** *To create and sustain a faculty development plan (FDP) that will lead to professional opportunities, classroom success and personal satisfaction.*

### **Session Two: *Planning for Scholarly Contributions***

**October 21 or 22; 3-4 p.m.**

**Objective:** *To develop your research and writing interests into an action plan.*

### **Session Two: *Planning for Learning***

**November 11 or 12; 3-4 p.m.**

**Objective:** *To plan and facilitate the best classroom learning experience for all students.*

### **Session Four: *Planning for Service***

**December 2 or 3; 3-4 p.m.**

**Objective:** *To consider ways of serving at the department level, university level, broader academic level and within the Jackson community.*

### **Session Five: *Mentoring Reception***

**December 9; 3-4 p.m.**

**Objective:** *To provide an overview of the vision and goals of the mentoring program and an opportunity to meet your mentor.*