**Tuesday, October 1, 2019**

7:00 – 8:30 pm  **Welcome Reception**  
Lobby of Gateway Park Life Sciences & Bioengineering Center, 60 Prescott Street  
Hosted by:  
- Winston Soboyejo, Provost  
- Jean King, Dean of Arts & Sciences  
- John McNeill, *interim* Dean of Engineering  
- Steven Taylor, *interim* Dean of Foisie School of Business

**Wednesday, October 2, 2019**

**WPI Rubin Campus Center – Odeum A & B**

Please meet at 7:15 am in the lobby of the Hampton Inn if you would like to walk to campus as a group. Walking directions provided – hotel shuttle to main campus also available

7:30 – 8:00 am  **Breakfast**

8:00 – 8:30 am  **Welcome by Provost and Deans, and Participant Introductions**  
Winston Soboyejo, Provost  
Jean King, Dean of Arts & Sciences  
John McNeill, *interim* Dean of Engineering

8:30 – 10:15 am  **Individual Opportunity Plan & Microcommunities**  
Jean King, Dean of Arts & Sciences

10:15 – 10:30 am  **Break**

10:30 – 10:45 am  **Travel Time to Departments**

10:45 am – 12:45 pm  **Time with Departments: Expectations of a Research Talk & Lunch**

12:45 – 1:00 pm  **Travel Time to Odeum**

1:00 – 2:00 pm  **Preparing for the Academic Job Hunt: Setting the Stage for the Research Talk & Managing the Interview Process**  
Susan Roberts, Department Head, Chemical Engineering  
Andrea Arnold, Assistant Professor, Mathematical Sciences  
Ali Yousefi, Assistant Professor, Computer Science  
Angela Rodriguez, Assistant Professor, Psychology  
Adam Lammert, Assistant Professor, Biomedical Engineering
Wednesday, October 2, 2019 (continued)

2:00 – 3:30 pm  Teaching Statement Workshop
Kris Wobbe, Co-director of WPI Center for Project-Based Learning and Director, WPI Great Problems Seminar program

5:30 – 7:30 pm  Networking Dinner
Higgins House (cocktails at 5:30 pm, dinner at 6:00 pm)

Thursday, October 3, 2019

8:00 – 8:30 am  Breakfast

8:30 – 9:45 am  Closing the Deal: Negotiating the Tenure Track Position
Winston Soboyejo, Provost
Steve Taylor, interim Dean, Foise School of Business
Suzanne Weekes, Associate Dean of Undergraduate Studies, ad interim and Professor, Mathematical Sciences

9:45 – 10:00 am  Travel time to Departments

10:00 am – 12:00 pm  Time with Departments: Mentoring Sessions by Discipline

12:00 – 12:15 pm  Travel time to Odeum

12:15 – 12:30 pm  Visit by WPI President Laurie Leshin

12:30 – 1:30 pm  Lunch Session: Diversity Statements as Part of Your Academic Application
Catherine Whittington, Assistant Professor, Biomedical Engineering
Emily Douglas, Professor and Department Head, Social Science & Policy Studies

1:30 – 2:45 pm  Identifying Grant Opportunities for Early Career Faculty
Anne Maglia, Associate Vice Chancellor for Research Administration and Institutional Compliance, UMass Lowell

2:45 – 3:00 pm  Closing Remarks
Winston Soboyejo, Provost
Jean King, Dean of Arts & Sciences

3:15 pm  Logan Airport shuttle departs from Bartlett Center at 3:15 pm