

Professors

You see them every week in class—Make sure you get to know them outside of the classroom!

Why?

- **When you create a good impression, the professor is more likely to help you with a question or a later request**
- **They can help answer your questions for upcoming exams**
- **They can clarify points from their lecture**
- **They can offer career advice**
- **They can write letters of recommendations for jobs/ graduate school**
- **They can suggest clubs or organizations to consider joining**
- **They may have seemed boring in class but are actually fascinating people**
- **They could serve as a mentor or help you locate someone else who would be**
- **They could be a source of an on-campus job (or share a research opportunity)**
- **They want to get to know you, too!**

How?

- **Introduce yourself at the end of the first class**
- **Drop by their office during posted office hours**
- **Send an email**
- **Say hello when you see their walking across campus**
- **Invite them to lunch**

Why not give it a try this semester?