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### The Myth of Multitasking

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Do you find yourself juggling tasks at the same time? If so, register for the free teleseminar "[The Myth of Multitasking](#)" and find out why it's not working. Dr. Meggin McIntosh will interview Dave Crenshaw, author of "[The Myth of Multitasking: 'How Doing it All' Gets Nothing Done.](#)"

### Meet the Mentor: Dr. Thomas Wilson

**Dr. Thomas Wilson** is a professor in the Department of Physics and Physical Science. His research interests include both condensed-matter and laser physics. In addition, Dr. Wilson serves as a mentor for Dr. Huong Nguyen, a MU-ADVANCE Faculty Fellow. In this capacity, Dr. Wilson has helped guide Dr. Nguyen through her first few years as an assistant professor at MU. Particularly, he has helped her identify and apply for grant funding. [More information...](#)



### Resource: Why Collegiality Matters



How important is collegiality during a new faculty member's first few years? In the article "[Why Collegiality Matters](#)," the author discusses the importance of academic collegiality to the personal and professional success of new faculty. Because collegiality lessens isolation, builds networks, and contributes greatly to career longevity, it is a vital factor for jumpstarting and sustaining faculty careers in higher education.

Recommendations or suggestions for additional resources for the MU-ADVANCE Office can be sent to Heidi Williams: ([willi143@marshall.edu](mailto:willi143@marshall.edu)).



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