# Welcome!

In this introductory section, you must complete a series of required steps before officially beginning Week 1 of your course. This section will provide you with the information you need to know to create or update your profile in Canvas and contact your professor, a thorough discussion of the course syllabus, information regarding APA format and best practices for academic integrity, and an overview of the course content.

It is important for you to know that some of the activities that are required in this course introduction will be evaluated in a rubric posted at the end of the course. This rubric will be used to evaluate all the activities categorized as Professionalism. For additional details about what determines professionalism, please refer to Step 4.

STEP 4