~International Student Orientation~

Wednesday, August 29, 2018
F.W. Olin Center 115

9:00 am  Continental Breakfast

9:30 am  Getting to Know U

10:15 am  Welcome
Dean of Students, Steve Leavitt

10:30 am  International Status Overview
J-1 and F-1 Responsibilities
Michelle Pawlowski, International Advisor

11:00 am  Trish Williams, Sr. Associated Dean of Student
Student Handbook Overview

11:30 am  International Programs/Culture Shock
Lara Atkins, Director of International Programs

Lunch West Dining Hall

1:30 pm  Check-In  all J-1 visa Students Schaffer Library 232(Bring cell phone, DS-2019 form and passport)

2:30 pm  Check-In  all F-1 visa Students Schaffer Library 232(Bring cell phone, I-20 and passport)
J-1 exchange students Meet with Registrar’s Office
Karp Hall or Lippman Hall TBD

5:30 pm  Welcome Dinner

8:00pm  Shuttle to Walmart (optional)
~Thursday, August 30, 2018~
F.W. Olin Center 115

9:00 am  Continental Breakfast
9:30 am  Social Security
   Social Security Administrators, Nicole Oliveri and Renee Bern
10:00 am  GeoBlue Health Insurance
   Tim Palmer
10:30 am  Dining Services Overview
   Chip Mecca, Director of Dining Services
11:00 am  Writing Center
   Joe Johnson, Director of Writing Programs

   Lunch West Dining Hall

12:45 pm  Campus Resource Tour
   Meet in Olin 115
5:00 pm  Walking/Tasting Tour of Schenectady
   Walk around downtown and sample area restaurant fare
   (This event is part of orientation, all are required to attend)
7pm  Activity off campus (to be announced)
~ Friday, August 31, 2018~
F.W. Olin Center

9:30 am  Continental Breakfast

9:45 am  Host Family Option and Community Support
Jim Silva

10:00 am  Campus Safety Overview
Chris Hayen, Director of Campus Safety

10:30 am  Bank of America

Lunch West Dining Hall

Take the afternoon to relax or…

1:00 pm  Shuttle to Mohawk Commons leaves from Reamer Circle
(This event is optional)

6:00 pm  Host family Dinner(optional)
~Saturday, September 1, 2018~

11:00 am Brunch in West Dining Hall

Lake George boat cruise(for those who signed up)

1:00 pm Shuttles running to Crossgates Mall
    Leaving from Reamer Circle

5pm Dinner in West Dining Hall

~Sunday, September 2, 2017~

First Year Orientation Begins
(see first year orientation schedule for details)

10:00 am Adirondack Extreme Ropes Course
    Exchange students only
    Leave from Reamer Circle

5:00 pm Pizza and Wings for all!
    College Park Hall