

~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

