

## 2022 ORIENTATION

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**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17<sup>th</sup>**

### *Preparing for the Profession: The Big Picture*

- **In-Person Attendance by All Incoming Students is Required**
- **Business Attire for Professional Photos:** This will be used as your Law School Directory Photo. Students have also found these helpful for use throughout their time at the College as they engage in other professional activities and commitments.

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**12:30 - 1:15 pm     Student Check-In**

*Orientation Program: Peer & Sarah Pedersen Pavilion*

**1:15 - 1:50 pm     Dean's Welcome and Perspectives on Law School**  
Dean Vikram Amar

**1:50 - 2:00 pm     Perspectives from the Bench and Professionalism Pledge**  
Illinois Supreme Court Justice Lisa Holder White, '93

**2:00 - 2:10 pm     Introduction to Expectations for a Law Student**  
Associate Dean Verity Winship

**2:10 - 2:30 pm     Expanding the Classroom through Scholarship & Research**  
Associate Dean Jennifer Robbennolt

**2:30 - 2:40 pm     Building Your Global Network**  
Associate Dean Margareth Etienne

**2:40 - 3:15 pm     Perspectives from 1L Professors**  
Professor Shannon Moritz  
Professor Richard Ross  
Professor Lesley Wexler  
Moderated by Student Bar Association President Andrea Fischer

**3:15 - 3:30 pm     Break**

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*Small Sections 1, 2, & 3*

- 3:30 - 4:30 pm: Albert E. Jenner, Jr. Library
  - Directory Photographs in Prentice Marshall Courtroom: Library
  - Name Recording: Library Classroom 142Y
  - Office Hours: Informal Sessions with Admissions, Financial Aid, IT & Data Services, and SBA

*Small Sections 4, 5, & 6*

- 3:30 - 4:00 pm: Auditorium  
**Unlocking the Tools for Legal Research**  
Professor Faye Jones                      Professor Matthew Braun  
Professor Christopher Galanos      Professor Pia Hunter  
Professor Barbara Kaplan              Professor Travis McDade
- 4:00 - 4:30 pm: Auditorium  
**Strategic Leadership and Career Planning & Professional Development**  
Executive Assistant Dean Greg Miarecki  
Director Jolynn Caroline, Director Alex Piller, and  
Associate Director Matthew Clegg

4:30 - 5:30 pm

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- 5:00 - 5:30 pm: Auditorium  
**Strategic Leadership and Career Planning & Professional Development**  
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5:30 - 5:45 pm

**All Students – Albert E. Jenner, Jr. Library**  
Closing Remarks | Roadmap

5:45 pm

*Incoming Student Reception – Join your classmates and other members of the College of Law Community in the Albert E. Jenner, Jr. Library!*

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**THURSDAY, AUGUST 18<sup>th</sup>**

### *Academic Academy: Information, Opportunities, and Resources*

- **In-Person Attendance by All Incoming Students is Required**
  - **Business Casual Attire**
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<b>9:30 - 9:45 am</b>	<b>Leadership Through the Student Bar Association</b> Student Bar Association President Andrea Fischer Student Bar Association Executive Board Members
<b>9:45 - 11:00 am</b>	<b>You Belong Here: How Law Students Can Defeat Bias and Build Inclusion</b> Michelle Silverthorn, Founder and CEO of Inclusion Nation
<b>11:00 - 11:15 am</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>11:15 - 12:15 pm</b>	<b>Reading and Preparing Like a Law Student</b> Professor Janice Pea
<b>12:15 - 1:00 pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>1:00 - 1:45 pm</b>	<b>Public Interest Dialog: Overview of Public Interest Resources</b> Professor Rebecca Szajna Professor Melissa Frydman Dean of Students Virginia Vermillion Associate Director Matthew Clegg Assistant Director Matthew Petruszak Public Interest Law Foundation (PILF) President Carter Matt National Lawyers Guild (NLG) President Mallory Meade
<b>1:45 - 2:30 pm</b>	<b>Advice from the Experts</b> Moderated by Assistant Dean Rebecca Ray <i>Panel of Expert Upper-Level Students:</i> Alex Bailey, Nayeli Cadenas, Jihan Dubose, and Shivani Govani

**2:30 - 2:45 pm**      **Break**

**2:45 - 3:30 pm**      **Beyond the Classroom: Foundations in Wellness**  
Dean of Students Dr. Susan Landrum

**3:30 - 4:15 pm**      **Academic Academy: Law Student Competitions**  
Professor Anthony Ghiotto  
Director of the Anderson Center and Director of Trial Advocacy  
*Trial Team Demonstration: 3L Students Elizabeth Patton & Sydney Shugrue*

**Evening Event:**



**The Student Bar Association Welcomes Incoming Students**

Please plan on joining the SBA and other student organizations at an evening social event for introductions, advice, and entertainment!

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**FRIDAY, AUGUST 19<sup>th</sup>**

### *Putting It Together – Classes and Classmates*

- **Law 609: Legal Writing & Analysis Class Attendance and Participation is Required**
  - **Business Casual or Casual Attire**
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**10:00 - 11:00 am**

*Small Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, & 6*

**Small Section 1: Room A**

- Legal Writing & Analysis First Class with Professor Aylon Schulte

**Small Section 2: Room B**

- Legal Writing & Analysis First Class with Professor Penny Agallianos

**Small Section 3: Room C**

- Legal Writing & Analysis First Class with Professor Janice Pea

**Small Section 4: Room D**

- Legal Writing & Analysis First Class with Professor Rummana Alam

**Small Section 5: Room F**

- Legal Writing & Analysis First Class with Professor Sean Anderson

**Small Section 6: Room Auditorium**

- Legal Writing & Analysis First Class with Professor Kari Sanderson

**11:15 - 12:30 pm**

**Meet in the Peer & Sarah Pedersen Pavilion for the JD Class of 2025**

**Photo! You are encouraged, but not required, to wear or bring your Class T-shirt!**

*Following the Class Photo, Box Lunches will be provided in the Peer & Sarah Pedersen Pavilion and College Tours will be hosted by Student Organization Leaders.*

## Immediately Following Orientation Lunch and Photos:

### Fun on the Field, hosted by Women's Law Society



All are welcome to enjoy lawn games, prizes, refreshments, and a few surprises on Cribbet Field!

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## Friday Reminders:

- **Take advantage of the afternoon for a wide variety of opportunities:**
    - ✓ Purchase/Pick up books
    - ✓ Obtain I-Cards
    - ✓ Familiarize yourself with McKinley Health Center
    - ✓ Contact your classmates
    - ✓ Determine/Secure Parking
    - ✓ Explore the University & Champaign-Urbana Community
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## Other Reminders:

- *Classes begin on Monday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>!*
- **Special Note:**

Law 101 will begin next week and will continue *throughout the Fall 2022* semester on **Wednesdays** from **Noon to 1:00 pm!**

  - ✓ Your attendance is expected, as the Fall Law 101 program is a continuation of Orientation, with skills training and resources needed for success in law school & the practice of law.
  - ✓ **Lunch will be provided for Law 101 participants.**