

**2018 MBA/MS Orientation**  
**The Lally School of Management**  
**Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute**  
**August 27<sup>th</sup> and August 28<sup>th</sup>**

**Monday, August 27<sup>h</sup>**

**Check-In for All Programs (NEW & CO-TERM STUDENTS) - Facts You Need to Know - Lally Organizations – Advisement**

*Biotech Gallery & Auditorium - (Dress: Business Casual)*

- 8:30 AM – 9:30 AM      **Mandatory Check-In** (Light Breakfast will be served)
- 9:30 AM – 9:45 AM      **Welcome & Lally School of Management Staff Introductions**
- 9:45 AM – 10:15 AM    **Networking**
- 10:15 AM – 10:45 AM    **Making Connections**
- 10:45 AM – 11:10 AM    **Review of Academic Regulations, Advising & Registration Processes**
- 11:10 AM – 11:30 AM    **Introductions to Clubs: Why are they Important?**
- 11:30 AM -12:30 PM     **LUNCH**  
*Biotech Gallery - (Dress: Business Casual)*
- 12:45 PM -1:45 PM     ***The Lally School of Management - (Pittsburgh Building-Lobby) - (Business Casual)***  
**Club & Center Information, Lally Building Tour**  
The Center for Financial Studies  
The Buttonwood Club  
Lally Management Student Association (LMSA)  
APICS Lally Chapter  
Admissions Ambassadors  
Product Development Management Association (PDMA)  
The Severino Center for Technological Entrepreneurship  
Masters Scholars Research Program (MSRP)  
Center for Career and Professional Development (CCPD)  
Mandarin Club / Confucius Club  
Women in Business Club
- 1:45 PM – 3:00 PM     **Program Director Advisement and Program Introduction**  
*MBA Cohort & Prof. Kumar – Pitts 4114*  
*MS BSAN Cohort & Prof. Dorit Nevo – Pitts 4206*  
*MS MGMT Cohort & Prof. Hao Zhao – Pitts 5114*  
*MS QFRA Cohort & Prof. Qiang Wu – Pitts 5216*  
*MS SPCM Cohort & Prof. T. Ravichandran – Pitts 4204*  
*MS TC & E Cohort & Prof. Thomas Triscari—Pitts 3304*
- 3:00 PM – 4:30 PM     **New Student Registration Clinic**
- 4:30 PM – 6:00 PM     **Clubhouse Pub Gathering**  
*(3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Rensselaer Student Union)*

## **Tuesday, August 28<sup>th</sup>**

*Darrin Communications Center - (Dress: Business Casual)*

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| 10:00 AM – 10:30 AM | <b>Your Lally Business School Identity: Vision, Mission &amp; Values</b>     |
| 10:30 AM – 11:30 AM | <b>Transitioning into Business School</b>                                    |
| 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM | <b>Center for Career and Professional Development</b>                        |
| 12:30 PM – 1:30 PM  | <b>LUNCH</b><br><i>Darrin Communications Center (Dress: Business Casual)</i> |
| 1:30 PM – 2:30 PM   | <b>Ethics and Business Decision Making</b>                                   |
| 2:30 PM - 3:15 PM   | <b>Citation &amp; Avoiding Plagiarism in Academic Writing</b>                |
| 3:15 PM – 3:30 PM   | <b>Center for Communication Practices: Writing Center Resources</b>          |
| 3:30 PM – 7:00 PM   | <b>Lally Community Reception</b>   |