Student Orientation Schedule
Fall 2018

Tuesday, August 28

8:00-8:15am
CHECK-IN
Arrive promptly at 8:00am
Boston Campus, Jaharis Center, 150 Harrison Avenue

8:15-9:00am
SMALL GROUP INTRODUCTIONS, BREAKFAST

9:00-10:00am
WELCOME SESSION
Welcome from the Deans
Jaharis Center, 150 Harrison Avenue, Behrakis Auditorium

10:00-10:15am
ALUMNI ASSOCIATION INTRODUCTION
Grace Phelan, NO5

STUDENT COUNCIL INTRODUCTION
Silvia Berciano Benitez & Michelle Cawley

10:15-11:15am
WALKING TOUR, BOSTON CAMPUS

11:15-12:15pm
FACULTY INTRODUCTIONS

12:15-1:15pm
LUNCH
CURRICULUM ADVISING AND REGISTRATION MEETINGS
Required of students in the following programs:

- Agriculture, Food and Environment  
  Behrakis Auditorium
- Food Policy and Applied Nutrition  
  Behrakis Auditorium
- Biochemical and Molecular Nutrition  
  Jaharis Classroom 118
- Nutrition Data Science  
  Jaharis Classroom 156
- Nutrition Interventions, Communication and Behavior Change  
  Jaharis 272
- Sustainable Water Management  
  Jaharis 133
- All PhD Students  
  Jaharis Room 254

FINANCIAL AID
Valarie Marchese, Assistant Director, Financial Aid

BURSAR’S OFFICE
Ashlei Parris, Bursar Representative

BREATK

STUDENT ADVISORY & HEALTH ADMINISTRATION (SAHA)
Sharon Snaggs Gendron, Student Wellness Advisor
Cynthia Linton, Student Health Administrator

TUFTS PUBLIC SAFETY
Jess Bruno

INTRODUCTION TO THE HEALTH SCIENCES LIBRARY
Amy LaVertu, Health Sciences Library
Hirsh Health Sciences Library, 145 Harrison Avenue

GETTING CONNECTED TO TECHNOLOGY AT THE FRIEDMAN SCHOOL
Annie DeVane, Director of Communications & Web Strategies
Justin Lauzon, Senior Education Technology Specialist

COURSE REGISTRATION WITH SIS
Michelle Frankfort, Office of Student Affairs, Registrar
Jaharis Center, Behrakis Auditorium
Wednesday, August 29

8:30-9:00am  DAY 2  CHECK-IN, INTRODUCTIONS, BREAKFAST  
Behrakis Auditorium

9:00-10:15am  INFORMATION SESSION:  Centers, Projects, and Certificates!  
- Water, Systems, Science and Society Program (WSSS)- Timothy Griffin  
- New Entry Sustainable Farming Project- Jennifer Hashley  
- Feinstein International Center- Daniel Maxwell and Gregory Gottlieb  
- ChildObesity180- Erin Hennessy  
- Human Nutrition Research Center on Aging (HNRCA)- Jessica Ellis

10:15am  WELCOME from TUFTS UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT ANTHONY MONACO

10:30-10:45am  TUFTS OFFICE OF SUSTAINABILITY  
Shoshana Blank, Education and Outreach Program Administrator

10:45-11:00am  OFFICE OF STUDENT AFFAIRS  
Lori Ioannone Rodriguez, Office of Student Affairs, Associate Director  
Isabel McFall, Office of Student Affairs, Administrative Coordinator

11:00-11:30am  PRESENTATION ON ACADEMIC CONDUCT  
Edward Saltzman, Academic Dean for Education

11:30-11:45am  REVIEW OF POLICIES AND PROCEDURES  
Matthew Hast, Assistant Dean of Student Affairs

12:15-1:15pm  LUNCH  
China Pearl, 9 Tyler Street, Boston

1:15-2:15pm  CHINATOWN WALKING TOUR

2:30-3:30pm  MPH ORIENTATION  
*Only for students who have been officially accepted to the MS/MPH dual degree program by both the Friedman School of Nutrition Science and Policy and the School of Medicine Office of Public Health & Professional Degree Programs

MS/MPH BREAKOUT SESSION WITH PROFESSOR AVIVA MUST  
Sackler 812
Thursday, August 30

Schedule
Appointments in Advance

8:30-1:30pm
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ORIENTATION
Mandatory for all Non U.S. Citizens
Granoff Music Center, 20 Talbot Avenue, Tufts Medford Campus

9:30-10:30am
MEDFORD CAMPUS TOUR (optional)
Meet Tour Guide outside of J.P. Licks - 4 College Avenue (Davis Square)
Somerville at 9:00am

2:00-6:00pm
SUSTAINABLE WATER MANAGEMENT ORIENTATION
Tufts Institute of the Environment
196 Boston Avenue, Suite 2500, Medford Campus

Arrive by 6:30pm
BOSTON HARBOR SUNSET CRUISE – rain or shine!
One Long Wharf, Boston
(See reservation form via the Orientation link on our website)

Friday, August 31

Schedule
Appointments in Advance

Tuesday, September 4

FRIEDMAN SCHOOL OF NUTRITION SCIENCE AND POLICY CLASSES BEGIN
NOTE: Start dates for other schools/departments within Tufts may vary. Refer to individual school’s academic calendar.

Thursday, September 6

4:30-6:00pm
WELCOME BACK BBQ
All new and returning students, faculty, staff, and family and friends of the Friedman School are invited
Jaharis Center, Café & Courtyard, 150 Harrison Avenue