Yeshiva College
Sy Syms School of Business

WILF CAMPUS

Yeshiva University
Office of Student Life
SHACHARIT
7:45 a.m. Glueck Beit Midrash
8:10 a.m. Rubin Hall, Rubin Shul
8:30 a.m. Morgenstern Beit Midrash (Basement)

ARRIVAL AND MOVE-IN
8:30–11:30 a.m. Beller Hall, Weissberg Commons

Academic Advising and Student Support Services
Academic Advisers and Student Support Services professionals are available to meet with you to plan and discuss your Fall 2017 schedule and other academic issues or questions you may have. We are here to help you succeed and encourage you to contact us to schedule individual appointments:

YEISHIVA COLLEGE   Email: advising@yu.edu   Phone: 212.960.5276
SY SYMS SCHOOL OF BUSINESS   Email: symsadvising@yu.edu   Phone: 212.960.0845
THE KATZ SCHOOL   Email: katzugadvising@yu.edu   Phone: 212.960.5400, ext. 6150
ACADEMIC SUPPORT   Email: academicsupport.wilf@yu.edu   Phone: 646.592.4285

Max Stern Athletic Center
Shoot some hoops, lift weights, or go for a run at the athletic center in Rubin Hall.

Hours during orientation:
Sunday, August 27th: 9 p.m.–12 a.m.  Monday, August 28th: 5 p.m.–12 a.m.
Tuesday, August 29th: 4 p.m.–12 a.m.

SYMS SCHOOL OF BUSINESS HONORS PROGRAM RECEPTION
11:15–11:45 a.m. Beller Hall, Room 430
During this reception, you will learn about the goals, opportunities, and requirements of the SSSB Honors and Entrepreneurial Leadership programs.
Program. You will have a chance to meet incoming honors students, hear from upper-class students, and speak to the Director of the Honors Program, Dr. Moses Pava.

TORAH STUDIES INFORMATION SESSION: IN WHICH TORAH STUDIES PROGRAM SHOULD I ENROLL?  
For all non-registered students  
11:15–11:30 a.m.  
Glueck Center, Room 307  
Learn about the four Undergraduate Torah Studies programs and figure out which program is the right fit for you.

ENGLISH PLACEMENT EXAM FOR NON-NATIVE ENGLISH SPEAKING STUDENTS  
11:45 a.m.–1 p.m.  
Belfer Hall, Room 207  
Testing is mandatory for all non-native English speakers.

KATZ SCHOOL WELCOME SESSION  
Noon–12:45 p.m.  
Furst Hall, Room 203  
Students in the AS in Management program are invited to a welcome session with Mr. Simon Jaffe, Assistant Director of Undergraduate Programs. Please bring your Orientation welcome packet and schedule.

STUDENT WELCOME LUNCH  
1–2 p.m.  
Rubin Hall, Furman Dining Hall  
Hear words of welcome and inspiration from Dr. Ari Berman, President of Yeshiva University. Engage in a discussion with Rabbi Dr. Kenneth Brander, Vice President for University and Community Life, about the many opportunities and experiences available to you.

PARENT WELCOME LUNCH  
1–2 p.m.  
Furst Hall, Room 501  
Dr. Ari Berman, President of Yeshiva University  
Dr. Karen Bacon, The Mordecai D. Katz and Dr. Monique C. Katz Dean, Undergraduate Arts and Sciences  
Dr. Joanne Jacobson, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, Yeshiva College, Dr. Fred Sugarman, Associate Dean of Operations and Student Affairs, Yeshiva College  
Michael Strauss, Interim Dean, Sy Syms School of Business  
Enjoy lunch, hear words of welcome, and learn more about the YU experience through a question and answer session.

WORKSHOP FOR PARENTS: PARENTING YOUR COLLEGE-AGED CHILD  
Dr. Martin Galla, Assistant Director, YU Counseling Center  
2–2:45 p.m.  
Furst Hall Room 535  
Join the YU Counseling Center staff to discuss tips and advice for parenting your newly college-aged sons.

GET TO KNOW YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD: CHOOSE YOUR OWN ADVENTURE  
2–3:15 p.m.  
Groups will depart from Danciger Quadrangle on 185th Street and Amsterdam Avenue.  
1. High Bridge Tour with Jonathan Schwab, Director of Housing and Residence Life: Take a leisurely stroll through Highbridge Park, one of several beautiful parks near campus, and learn about the history of the High Bridge, the oldest bridge in NYC, now a pedestrian walkway spanning the Harlem River. Refreshments will be served.  
2. Practical Guide to Washington Heights with Natan Bienstock, Student Life Coordinator: Learn how to navigate the Heights like a pro, from subway stations to Starbucks.  
3. Jogging Tour with a Torah Studies administrator: Get some fresh air as you jog through the Heights and see the three bridges within 2 miles of our campus.

MINCHA  
3:30 p.m.  
Rubin Hall, Rubin Shul  

SHIUR WITH RABBI DANI RAPP  
MAGIC AND THE SUPERNATURAL  
3:45–4:45 p.m.  
Rubin Hall, Rubin Shul  

HEBREW PLACEMENT EXAM AND HEBREW EXEMPTION TEST  
3:45–5 p.m.  
The Hebrew Placement Test is mandatory for all incoming Wilf Campus students who have not yet taken the exam.  
A–J  Belfer Hall, Room 205  
K–R  Belfer Hall, Room 207  
S–Z  Belfer Hall, Room 209

SY SYMS SCHOOL OF BUSINESS MATH PROFICIENCY EXAM  
5–6:15 p.m.  
All Syms students are required to take the Math Proficiency Exam. Students will be divided into sections by their last names. Please bring only pens/pencils, a photo ID, and your YU ID number (begins with 800) to the exam. Calculators are not permitted.  
A–J  Belfer Hall, Room 807  
K–R  Belfer Hall, Room 813  
S–Z  Belfer Hall, Room 817

WELCOME DINNER  
6:15–7:15p.m.  
Rubin Hall, Furman Dining Hall  
Dr. Karen Bacon, The Mordecai D. Katz and Dr. Monique C. Katz Dean, Undergraduate Arts and Sciences  
Dr. Joanne Jacobson, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, Yeshiva College  
Dr. Fred Sugarman, Associate Dean of Operations and Student Affairs, Yeshiva College  
Michael Strauss, Interim Dean, Sy Syms School of Business  
Dr. Paul Russo, Vice Provost of Yeshiva University and Dean of the Katz School  
Enjoy dinner with key administrators, learn about their roles on campus and discover how they can help you make the most of your Yeshiva University experience.

NIGHT SEDER/MEET YOUR MADRICHIM  
7:15–8:05 p.m.  
Glueck Beit Midrash  
Join us for chaburot with your madrichim and night seder rebeim.
Mandatory Active Shooter Response Training—Safety and Security
Healthy Living on Campus Information Session
8:15–9 p.m.
Rubin Hall, Furman Dining Hall
All students must attend.
Jonathan Schwall, Director of University Housing and Residence Life

Dr. Chaim Nissel, University Dean of Students
Review safety and security protocols with Mr. Schwab and our team of Resident Advisors. Dean Nissel will provide information on security, safety and healthy living on campus. Review guidelines on sexual harassment and substance abuse prevention.

MAARIV
9 p.m.
Rubin Hall, Rubin Shul

Undergraduate Housing and Residence Life Floor Parties
9:15pm
Return to your floor to schmooze and hang out with your new floor-mates and Resident Advisors.

Monday, August 28, 2017

Shacharit
8 a.m. Zysman Hall, Fischel Beit Midrash Morgenstern Hall, Sephardic Beit Midrash

Breakfast
8:45–9:10 a.m.
Zysman Hall, Outside of Lamport Auditorium

Morning Seder and Shiur
9:15–10:55 a.m.
Zysman Hall, Fischel Beit Midrash
MYP: Rabbis Zvi Sobolofsky, Elchanan Adler, and Yehuda Willig
SBMP: Rabbis Aharon Ciment and Jonathan Schachter
IBC: Rabbi Beny Rofeh
JSS: Rabbi Yonason Shippel
Chavruta learning and shiurim with rebbeim.

Exploring Academics
11 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
Presentations by faculty about exciting opportunities for study in their academic departments and in their fields. Each session will be presented twice; session times and departmental groupings are listed below.

Session 1: 11–11:40 a.m.
Session 2: 11:45 a.m.–12:25 p.m.
Katz School
Furst Hall, Room 213
English and Writing, Music and Philosophy
Furst Hall, Room 204

Biology, Chemistry and Careers in the Health Professions
Furst Hall, Room 205
Economics, Mathematics and Computer Science
Furst Hall, Room 206
Physics and Pre-Engineering
Furst Hall, Room 207
History and Political Science
Furst Hall, Room 208
Psychology and Sociology
Furst Hall, Room 209

Accounting and Finance
Furst Hall, Room 211

Business Intelligence and Marketing Analytics, Management, and Marketing
Furst Hall, Room 212

Lunch with Your Professors: Academic Community, Academic Integrity
12:30–1:30 p.m.
Rubin Hall, Furman Dining Hall
Joanne Jacobson, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, Yeshiva College
Fred Sugarman, Yeshiva College Associate Dean of Operations and Student Affairs
Liesl Schwabe, Professor of English
During this lunch, faculty and students will discuss academic integrity at the Wilf Campus. While everyone can agree that “cheating” is wrong now that you’re in college, what does it really mean? Can you use a test bank to study for an exam, ask a relative/friend for help with a paper or, insufficiently attribute ideas to articles you have read? While there may not be one right answer for every single class, beginning this dialogue now will equip you with the questions (and some answers!) you’ll need for a rewarding and honest college experience.

Sy Syms School of Business Registration Workshop
For Sy Syms School of Business Non-Registered Students
1:30–2:15 p.m.
Furst Hall, Room 205
Meet with an academic advisor to learn about course requirements, the registration process, and available resources. Receive and discuss your scores from the math exam.

Sy Syms School of Business Question and Answer Session
For Sy Syms School of Business Registered Students
1:30–2:15 p.m.
Furst Hall, Room 206
Meet with an advisor to discuss your schedule and any changes you may want to consider. Review your scores from the math exam.

Yeshiva College Registration Workshop
For Yeshiva College Non-Registered Students
1:30–2:15 p.m.
Furst Hall, Room 207
Meet with an academic advisor to learn about course requirements, the registration process and available resources.
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BREAKFAST, ACTIVITY, AND RELAXED LEARNING IN NEW JERSEY
Join your friends for breakfast and an interactive learning activity at the homes of Rabbis Yaakov Neuberger, Zev Reichman, and Moshe Tzvi Weinberg. Check your email for your bus assignment. Buses will depart at 9:15 a.m. from 186th Street and Amsterdam Ave.

LUNCH FOLLOWED BY INTERACTIVE PANEL DISCUSSION: IS GLOBAL HEALTH A COMMUNAL OBLIGATION?
Noon–12:55 p.m.
Rubin Hall, Furman Dining Hall
Professor Daniel Kimmel, Department of Sociology
Professor Daniel Lim, Department of Chemistry

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Belfer Hall, 12th floor, Sky Cafe
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UPCOMING EVENTS

Meet NYC: Museum Trip
Friday, September 1
10:30 a.m.
Join your peers for a trip to the Upper East Side, where you can enjoy a guided tour of the popular exhibit “New York at its Core” at the Museum of the City of New York, displaying 400 years of NYC history. Explore the museum’s other exhibits as well as surrounding attractions including Central Park’s Conservatory Gardens, Untermyer Fountain, and the Jewish Museum. Sign up at https://goo.gl/z6bEXR.

First Shabbat/Orientation Shabbat
September 1–2
Join Rabbi Menachem Penner, Rabbi Hershel Schachter, Jonathan Schwab, and other Torah Studies staff on campus for a fun and inspiring Shabbat featuring shiurim, delicious food, and fun activities like Schweopardy on Shabbat morning and Nerf Wars on Motzei Shabbat!
Free for all new and returning students.
Sign up at bit.ly/WilfShabbat

Labor Day Fun Day
Monday, September 4
Continue your Orientation experience through the weekend with options for activities including a hike in Harriman State Park with your friends, a Mets game, and a trip to an arcade. End the day by hanging out with your friends, playing Spikeball and KanJam, and enjoying snacks in Tenzer Gardens. Check out the flyer in your Welcome Folder for more information.

Investiture of Yeshiva University President, Dr. Ari Berman
Sunday, September 10
11 a.m.
Wilf Campus
Join the YU community in celebrating the historic investiture of Rabbi Dr. Ari Berman, President of Yeshiva University. There will be various opportunities for you to celebrate throughout the day, including the investiture ceremony and a community-wide festival on Amsterdam Avenue.

First Time on Campus Student Welcome Dinner
Tuesday, September 12
5:45pm
Belfer Hall, Sky Café
Join Rabbi Dr. Kenneth Brander, Rabbi Menachem Penner, and Provost Selma Botman for a discussion about encountering different religious ideologies at YU and creating an environment of mutual respect.

Club Fair
Monday, September 18
5:45 p.m.
Heights Lounge
Stop by to learn about the limitless opportunities available for you to get involved on campus through student clubs and organizations. Swag will be available courtesy of your student government organizations.
RECREATIONAL FACILITIES
The Max Stern Athletic Center Gym and Fitness Room will be open the following hours during Orientation:

Sunday, August 27th
9 p.m.–12 a.m.

Monday, August 28th
5 p.m.–12 a.m.

Tuesday, August 29th
4 p.m.–12 a.m.

Regular hours resume
Wednesday, August 30

Visit www.yumacs.com for the full MSAC schedule.

HEAD RESIDENT ADVISERS
Jacob Ovadia: Muss Residence Hall
Daniel Gofine: Morgenstern Residence Hall
Aryeh Korman: Rubin Residence Hall

CONTACT INFORMATION
All offices are open
Monday–Thursday,
9 a.m.–5:30 p.m., and
Friday, 9 a.m.–2:30 p.m.

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212.960.5276
Furst Hall, Room 101

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212.960.0845
Belfer Hall, Room 409B

Office of the Mashgichim
917.623.4714
Glueck Center, Room 313

Office of the Registrar
212.960.5274
Furst Hall, Room 121

Undergraduate Torah
Studies Advising
212.568.7094
Glueck Center, Room 632

Office of Safety and
Security
212.960.5200
521 W. 185th Street
(next to Glueck Center)

Office of Student Finance
212.960.5399
Furst Hall, Room 121

Office of Student Life
212.960.5411
Rubin Hall, Room 106

University Housing
and Residence Life
646.592.4215
Rubin Hall, Room 106

YU CARD AND YU CARD PLAN
Use your YU Card to purchase meals on campus or at one of the following nearby YU Card restaurants: Chop-Chop, Grandma’s, Golan Heights, One Stop Kosher, Subaba and Lake Como Pizza. On the Beren Campus, you can use your YU Card at Eden Wok, Mendy’s and Tiberias.

FALL SEFORIM SALE
Select Seforim will be available for purchase in the lobby of Morgenstern Hall during the following hours:

August 27th
10 a.m.–5:30 p.m.

August 28th and 29th
11 a.m.–5:30 p.m.

August 30th and 31st
6–10:30 p.m.

September 3rd and 4th
2:30–9 p.m.

September 5th, 6th, and 7th
6–10:30 p.m.

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ANSWERS
RESULTS
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answers@yu.edu

212.960.5411
yu.edu/student-life/answers

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