



School of Law Orientation - 2024

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18

5:00 p.m.

School of Law Convocation
Chester Fritz Auditorium

MONDAY, AUGUST 19

8:20 – 8:50 a.m.

Orientation Check-In (international students only)
Office of Student Life – Suite 140

9:00 – 10:00 a.m.

International Center presentation
(International students only)
School of Law – Room 203

Orientation Check-In (non-international students)
Office of Student Life – Suite 140

10:15 a.m.

Welcome from Dean Brian Pappas
School of Law – Room 203

10:30 – 11:45 a.m.

Wellness Presentation
Pam Shea
School of Law – Room 203

11:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch (on your own)

1:00 – 2:00 p.m.

Alcoholism/Addiction in the Legal Profession
Judith Roberts
School of Law – Room 203

2:10 – 2:40 p.m.

Lawyer Assistance Program Information
Tony Weiler, Executive Director, SBAND
School of Law – Room 203

2:40 – 2:55 p.m.

Break

2:55 – 4:00 p.m.

How to Have Difficult Conversations
Dean Brian Pappas
School of Law – Room 203

4:00 p.m.

Wrap-Up / Q&A / Evaluation



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TUESDAY, AUGUST 20

8:15 – 9:00 a.m.	Coffee & Conversation (with Orientation Group) <i>Location TBD</i>
9:00 – 11:00 a.m.	Equity, Inclusion, Professionalism, and Title IX Beth Valentine, Equity Compliance and Education Manager Equal Opportunity & Title IX <i>School of Law – Room 203</i>
11:00 – 11:15 a.m.	Break
11:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Academic Advising & Hawk Central Brittany Borgen & Melanie Schindler <i>School of Law – Room 203</i>
11:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch (on your own)
1:00 – 1:50 p.m.	School of Law Academic Standards & Policies Assistant Dean Brad Parrish <i>School of Law – Room 203</i>
2:00 – 3:00 p.m.	University Counseling Center presentation <i>School of Law – Room 203</i>
3:00 p.m.	Wrap-Up / Q&A / Evaluation
6:30 p.m.	Games Night <i>School of Law – Law Library</i>

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21

8:15 – 9:00 a.m.	Coffee & Conversation (with Orientation Group) <i>School of Law – locations TBD</i>
9:00 – 10:15 a.m.	Difficult Conversations Dialogue Dean Brian Pappas <i>School of Law – Room 203</i>
10:25 – 10:55 a.m.	Career Development Session Mary Feller, Director of Career Development <i>School of Law – Room 203</i>



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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21 (CONT'D)

11:05 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.	Law Library/Computer Services <i>School of Law – Law Library</i>
11:50 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch (on your own)
1:00 – 2:15 p.m.	Core Values of the Legal Profession Professor Michael McGinniss <i>School of Law – Room 203</i>
2:25 – 3:15 p.m.	Professionalism Presentation Assistant Dean Brad Parrish <i>School of Law – Room 203</i>
3:30 – 4:20 p.m.	Academic Success Presentation Assistant Dean Brad Parrish <i>School of Law – Room 203</i>
4:20 p.m.	Wrap-Up / Q&A / Evaluation

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22

8:15 – 9:00 a.m.	Coffee & Conversation (with Orientation Group) <i>School of Law – locations TBD</i>
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Academic Success Presentation (Part I) Professor Blake Klinkner Elizabeth Behrens, Dir. of Academic Success & Bar Passage <i>School of Law – Room 203</i>
12:00 – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch (on your own)
1:00 – 3:30 p.m.	Lawyering Skills I <i>School of Law – Room 8 (Cook), Room 203 (Williams), Room 201 (Dasse)</i>
4:00 pm.	Fode Lecture (reception to follow) <i>School of Law – VandeWalle Courtroom Reception in School of Law Central Commons</i>



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FRIDAY, AUGUST 23

9:00 – 11:30 a.m.

Lawyering Skills I
*School of Law – Room 8 (Cook), Room 203 (Williams),
Room 201 (Dasse)*

11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch (on your own)

1:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Academic Success Presentation (Part II)
Elizabeth Behrens, Dir. of Academic Success & Bar Passage
School of Law – Room 203