

Civil & Environmental Engineering

NEW GRADUATE STUDENT ORIENTATION

Monday - August 21, 2017

10am til 5 pm

Morning Session: Valley Life Sciences Building

9:15- 9:45am Graduate Student Registration

10:00am Welcome and Introductions: **Valley Life Sciences Building, Room 2050**

Host: Mark Stacey, Vice Chair of Academic Affairs

10:15am

Resources & Services (contact information may be found in online campus directory, berkeley.edu/directory) MS Steering Committee

- Computer Resources (Yoon Lee, Noah Beil, ce.berkeley.edu/resources/computing)
- Berkeley International Office (Erin Skelly, internationaloffice.berkeley.edu)
- Kresge Engineering Library (Lisa Ngo, lib.berkeley.edu/libraries/engineering-library)
- Graduate Academic Diversity (Abby M Rincon, diversity.berkeley.edu/programs-services/graduate)
- Graduate Division (grad.berkeley.edu)
- Recreational Sports (recsports.berkeley.edu)
- Tang Center (uhs.berkeley.edu)
- Back-Up Child Care (backupchildcare.edu)
- Career Center (Kathleen Crawford, career.berkeley.edu/)
- Counseling Services (Christine Zhou, christinez@uhs.berkeley.edu)

10:30am

Academic Affairs Office (AAO)

Graduate Advising

- Introduction of AAO staff (750 Davis Hall): Shelley Okimoto (Graduate Student Advisor), Maribel Castillo-Glaze (Admissions), Felicia Bautista (GSI and Reader Appt.)
- Graduate Student Class Schedule Form (www.ce.berkeley.edu/resources/forms/progress)
- Graduate Handbook: Requirements and forms (www.ce.berkeley.edu/grad/guides)
- Certificate Programs (M.S. and Ph.D.) and Designated Emphasis (Ph.D. only) (ce.berkeley.edu/grad/degrees)
- Graduate Student Residency (registrar.berkeley.edu)
- Safety Training (ce.berkeley.edu/grad/handbook/new_student_guide)
- Additional Orientation Activities (please see list below)

10:45am

Introduction of Faculty Program Representatives:

Prof. Scott Moura (ECIC)
Prof. Tina Chow (ENV)
Prof. Jonathan Bray (GEO)
Prof. Claudia Ostertag (SEMM)
Prof. Michael Cassidy (TRN)
Prof. Iris Tommelein (EPM)
Prof. Steve Glaser (SYS)

11:00am

Departmental Student Panel: "How to Survive and Thrive in CEE"

12:00pm

Lunch served on Bechtel Terrace

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Program Session

***Energy, Civil Infrastructure and Climate* 217 McLaughlin Hall**

12:45-1pm	Introductions
1:00-2pm	MS and PhD degree requirements
2:00-2:45pm	Course selection and Q&A
2:30 onwards	Meeting with current students
3:00*-4:00pm	Diversity Cookie Hour (Please stop by O'Brien Patio)

***Environmental Engineering* 534 Davis Hall**

Part 1

1:00-3:00pm	Introductions and program orientation (Prof. Hermanowicz)
3:00*-4:00pm	Diversity Cookie Hour (Please stop by O'Brien Patio)
4:00-5:00pm	Program orientation, continued (534 Davis Hall)

Part 2

Friday, August 25th – 502 Davis Hall

2:00-5:00pm	Program Orientation – Continued
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***Engineering and Project Management* 212 O'Brien Hall**

12:45-1:45pm	Introductions
1:45-2:05pm	MS and PhD degree requirements
2:05-2:45pm	Course selection and Q&A
2:45- onwards	Meeting with current students
3:00*-4:00pm	Diversity Cookie Hour (Please stop by O'Brien Patio)

***GeoSystems* 406 Davis Hall**

12:50pm	Welcome and introduction (Prof. Bray)
1:00pm	GeoSystems Engineering program and requirements (Prof. Soga)
1:15 pm	Individual advising meetings with Profs. Soga and Bray (447 & 453 Davis Hall)
3:00*-4:00pm	Diversity Cookie Hour (Please stop by O'Brien Patio)

***Structural Engineering, Mechanics and Materials* 502 Davis Hall**

1:00-2:00pm	Introductions and questions
2:00-3:00pm	Current student panel
3:00*-4:00pm	Diversity Cookie Hour (Please stop by O'Brien Patio)

***Systems Engineering* 544 Davis Hall**

1:00-2:00pm	Campus tour with current students
2:00-3:00pm	Introduction to Systems
3:30-onward	Academic advising with Prof. Glaser
3:00*-4:00pm	Diversity Cookie Hour (Please stop by O'Brien Patio)

***Transportation Engineering* 412 McLaughlin Hall ITS Library**

1:00-3:00pm	Welcome and introductions Research programs Research opportunities TE degree Related academic programs Administrative issues Student photos, information forms and logistics ITS Library introduction Student Panel
3:00*-4:00pm	Diversity Cookie Hour (Please stop by O'Brien Patio)
3:00-5:00pm	Academic Advising

*3:00 pm representatives from: Black Graduate Engineering & Science Students; Latino/a Association of Graduate Students in Engineering; Society of Women Engineers