

# ORIENTATION SCHEDULE

2024 Orientation Schedule for Students in the Trachtenberg School of Public Policy and Public Administration

### MONDAY, AUGUST 19:

Media and Public Affairs (MPA) Building, 805 21st Street NW, Washington, DC 20052

#### CAREER SERVICES: PRE-ORIENTATION PROGRAMS (OPTIONAL)

11am - 12pm Introduction to Career Services for International Students

12pm - 1pm Career Services Drop-In Hours:

Meet the TSPPPA Career Services team for 15-20-minute advising sessions to

answer your career questions on a first-come basis

#### **ORIENTATION (REQUIRED)**

12:45pm - 1:15pm Orientation Check-In

1:15pm - 1:45pm Welcome and Ice Breaker

1:45pm - 1:55pm Transition to Breakout Sessions

1:55pm - 2:30pm Breakout Sessions with Program Directors:

• Master in Environmental and Sustainability Policy

• Master of Public Policy

• Master of Public Administration

2:30pm - 3:00pm Refreshments and Networking

3:00pm - 4:15pm Everything You Need to Know About Career Services,

Career Advice from TSPPPA Alumni Panel

4:15pm - 4:30pm Faculty Introductions and Closing Session

4:30pm - 5:30pm Reception



# TUESDAY, AUGUST 20:

Gelman Library, 2130 H Street NW, Washington, DC OR MPA 805 21ST ST NW, Washington, DC

12pm - 12:45pm Gelman Library Tour OR GWorld ID Card Pick-Up

Media and Public Affairs (MPA) Building, 805 21st Street NW, Washington, DC

1pm - 2pm LinkedIn Headshots:

Take your professional-quality headshot in our NEW Professional Headshot Booth for your LinkedIn profile. This service is free of charge. Please wear or bring professional attire from the waist up for your photo.

OR

GWorld ID Card Pick-Up

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2pm - 2:15pm	Orientation Check-In
2:15pm - 2:45pm	GW Office of Sustainability Presentation
2:45pm - 3:15pm	Writing Workshop
3:15pm - 3:30pm	Nashman Center for Civic Engagement and Public Service Presentation
3:30pm - 4pm	Getting Involved at Trachtenberg: Student Organizations
4pm - 5:20pm	Policy, Activism, and Necessity: A Documentary Workshop
5:20pm - 5:30pm	Break
5:30pm - 6:30pm	Current Student Panel
6:30pm - 7:30pm	Student Org-sponsored Happy Hour at Expat



## WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21:

# Career Services Professional Development Workshops Register in Handshake for any/all sessions; available in-person daytime or virtual evening sessions

In-Person: 2000 Penn Ave NW, Rooftop

8:30am - 10am Speed Mentoring

TSPPPA students will have the opportunity to connect with and learn from TSPPPA alumni who have paved diverse and impactful paths within all sectors and fields. This fast-paced networking format will empower you to engage in meaningful conversations, seek advice, and explore different career trajectories.

In-Person: 805 21st NW, Pizza will be provided

12pm - 1pm Stand Out with Compelling Resumes and Cover Letters

1pm - 2pm Build Your Professional Network on and Offline: LinkedIn, Informational

Interviews & More

Virtual:

7pm - 8pm Stand Out with Compelling Resumes & Cover Letters

8pm - 9pm Build Your Professional Network, On and Offline: LinkedIn, Informational

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<sup>\*</sup>Please note that all times are in Eastern Standard Time\*