

# 2017 DEL-MEM ORIENTATION

\*All events in LSRC, Room A158 unless otherwise noted.

Physical Address of LSRC: 308 Research Dr., Durham, NC 27708 (A-Wing)

1st Years: Bring laptops, USB headsets, and textbooks with you. Be sure to know your NetID, email address and email password when coming to campus.

2<sup>nd</sup> Years: Please remember to bring your laptops, textbooks, Duke Student ID's, a reusable water bottle, your nametags, and a coffee mug with you.

# SATURDAY, AUGUST 19, 2017

## OPTIONAL

Visit Duke Gardens Garden Hours: 8:00 a.m. - dusk; Visitor's Center: 9:00 a.m. -5:00 p.m. Visit Nasher Museum of Art, 10:00 a.m. -5:00 p.m. University Bookstore open 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

# SUNDAY, AUGUST 20, 2017

Breakfast available at 6:00 a.m. for guests at the Hilton Garden Inn	
Dress for the morning is comfortable, but not too casual.	Optional: University Bookstore Open 11:00 a.m 4:00 p.m.
Transportation to LSRC: 8:00 a.m. Meet in Lobby of Hilton Garden Inn	Орен 11.00 а.ш 4.00 р.ш.
to Board Greenway Transit Shuttle to LSRC. 8:05 a.m. shuttle departure.	
8:30 – 9:15 a.m. Welcome and Introduction to the Nicholas School DEL Staff and Student Introductions Overview of Orientation Events (Vidra & DEL)	
9:15 – 9:30 a.m. Break	
9:30 – 11:00 a.m. Program Overview (Adragna)	
11:00 a.m.– 12:30 p.m. Leadership Lunch Kingery (5th Floor Board Room, Environment Hall)	Dress is casual.
12:30 a.m.– 2:00 p.m Leadership Session (Kingery)	1:45 p.m. Meet in Lobby of Hilton Garden Inn to Board Greenway Transit Shuttle to Leadership Meeting. 1:55 p.m. shuttle departure.

2:15 p.m.– 2:30 p.m. Break	
	2:15 – 3:30 p.m.
2:30-3:30 p.m.: Master's Project Session	2 <sup>nd</sup> Years Re-Connect and Re-Orient with DEL
(Vidra and Adragna)	(Kingery)
	(5th Floor Board Room, Environment Hall)

3:30 – 5:00p.m. Hindsight 20/20 (Vidra, Kingery and Adragna) 5th Floor Board Room, Environment Hall

5:30 p.m. Greenway Transit Shuttle Pick Up in front of Environment Hall Return to hotel to drop off items, freshen up quickly, and board the bus for 6:15 p.m. departure

6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

Welcome Reception and Farewell to Don Wells
Faculty, Staff, Students, Alumni
Dinner & Soft Drinks provided
Cash Bar

West End Bar 601 W Main Street Durham, NC 27701

Shuttle back to Hilton Garden Inn departing at 7:30 p.m. Feel free to stay downtown or at West End Bar and make your own arrangements back to the hotel.

First Years Second Years

Breakfast available at 6:00 a.m. for guests at the Hilton Garden Inn Duke University Bookstore Hours for Today: 8:30 a.m. -6:00 p.m.

# Board Greenway Transits Shuttle for a 7:45 a.m. departure.

Dress for 1<sup>st</sup> year students: Business casual for the morning, bring a change of casual clothes for light hiking in the afternoon. There is no need to change for the course introduction in the afternoon. Dress for 2<sup>nd</sup> year students: Business casual

8:30 a.m. – 8:40 a.m.

Welcome Message

Jeff Vincent, Stanback Dean for the Nicholas School of the Environment

A158, LSRC

8:45 a.m. – 9:55 a.m. Career & Professional Development Center Information (Deb Wojcik)

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Leadership Speaker Series: "Finding *Your* Unique Contribution to the Greatest Needs of People and Places" Nicholas Pardi

11:30 a.m. -12:30 p.m. Lunch in the Hall of Science

12:45 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.
Introduction to Orientation Course:
Making a Difference in the World at Duke Forest
Human Dominated Landscapes –
Environmental Challenges Close to Home
(Dr. Norm Christensen, Founding Dean of
Nicholas School)
Duke Forest

(Wear appropriate clothing for a light hike in woods including water, bug spray and closed toe shoes. Solar Eclipse glasses will be provided for the event.)

12:45 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.

MP Discussion
(Vidra and Adragna)
\*Solar Eclipse glasses provided.

2:45 – 3:00 p.m. Break

3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

ENV 963: Program Management for Environmental Professionals, Jesko Von Windheim

Greenway Transit Pick Up at 5:00 p.m. at Science Dr. Circle for return to Hilton Garden Inn

First Years

### **Second Years**

Dress is business casual. First years, bring your luggage to LSRC and stash in A148, keeping a casual change of clothes accessible for the afternoon.

Breakfast available at 6:00 a.m. for guests at the Hilton Garden Inn

**IMPORTANT:** Leave yourself enough time to be checked out, second years have luggage stored at the front desk if necessary, and be on the bus *no later than* 7:55 a.m.

Board Greenway Transits for an 8:00 a.m. shuttle departure.

8:30 – 8:55 a.m.
Introduction of Nicholas School Contacts
LSRC A158
Allison Besch and Erika Lovelace

9:00-11:00~a.m. ENV 964: Environmental Law & Policy Course Introduction, Sean Lonnquist

11:15 a.m.
Lunch on your own/Second Years Depart
(Second Years, arrange shuttle back to hotel as necessary, 919-286-0774)

12:30 - 1:15 p.m. How to Access the Duke Libraries (Brittany Wofford, Librarian)

1:30 – 2:30 p.m. ENV 966: Introduction to Professional Writing (Nicolette Cagle)

Immediately after class, quickly change, grab luggage, and meet at the Science Dr. circle for departure to Beaufort.

2:30 – 10:30 p.m. Leave LSRC to Duke University Marine Lab, with stop along the way for Book Discussion, and No Host dinner

Estimated driving time: 3 hrs 15 min.

Optional MP advisor meetings Self-scheduled and arranged

IT Support, as needed Suite 2104 Environment Hall (contact IT ahead of time for appointment, it@nicholas.duke.edu)

Duke University Bookstore Hours for Today: 8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

For Second Years who will be in town on Wednesday, 2017 Convocation will be held at 4:00 p.m. at Duke University Chapel. The speaker this year will be David F. Levi, Dean and Professor of Law.

# 5:00-6:00pm Mother Earth Brewery First Brewery to Attain LEED® Gold Certification http://www.motherearthbrewing.com/

Book Discussion with Dr. Rebecca Vidra --Hide Tide on Main Street: Rising Sea Level and the Coming Coastal Crisis by John Englander (held at Mother Earth Brewing)

No Host Dinner Provided Boiler Room Oyster Bar Entrees range from \$10-26 http://www.vivianhoward.com/boiler-room/

#### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23, 2017

### First Years (DUML)

8:00 - 8:45 a.m.

Breakfast

**DUML** Galley

9:00 a.m. – 10:30a.m.

Lisa Campbell, "Down East Project"

Repass Lecture Hall

10:45 - 11:15 a.m.

Travel to Mark and Penny Hooper, 273 East City Road, Smyra

11:30 a.m. -12:30 p.m.

Mark Hooper, Local Commercial Fisherman, Hooper Family Seafood

12:30 – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch on the Bus-Bagged lunches provided by DUML

(Vidra, Adragna)

1:00-1:30pm

Freshen up for our tour of Shackleford Banks

\*\*Closed toe shoes are required; preferably old sneakers or water shoes (Keens, e.g.). Bring: small backpack with hat, sunglasses, at least 1 liter water, sunscreen, bug spray, bathing suit, bags for picking up trash or shells. NO AMENITIES on island.

1:30 p.m. Arrive at DUML boat dock

1:45-2:15 p.m.

Boat to Shackleford Banks

2:15 - 5:15 p.m.

Shackleford Banks, Coastal Ecology Field trip

(Sue Stuska, Ed.D., Wildlife Biologist, National Park Service)

5:15-5:45 p.m.

Boat back to DUML

5:45 - 6:15 p.m.

Clean up, get into neat but casual attire for the BBQ at 6:30pm.

6:30 - 8:00 p.m.

Chicken BBQ & Burger Picnic

Vegetarian options available.

DUML Galley (outside, weather permitting)

\*\*Marine Lab faculty

8:15 p.m.

Bus to Backstreet Pub (Relaxation, Optional)

Return Shuttle to DUML - Times TBD

### THURSDAY, AUGUST 24, 2017

# First Years (DUML)

Dress for morning is neat but casual, but please wear closed toe shoes. Bring sunscreen and fill your water bottle, as we will be outside during the kayak tour.

8:00 - 8:25 a.m.

Breakfast

**DUML** 

8:30 -9:15 a.m.

Drones in Marine Science and Conservation demonstration

Dave Johnston, Assistant Professor of the Practice of Marine Conservation Ecology

Everrette Newton, Ph.D. Candidate in the MSC Program

9:15 – 9:30 a.m. Break/Load luggage onto bus

9:30 - 10:00 a.m.

Travel to David Burney's home in 224 Shore Drive, Gloucester

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Kayak Tour with David Burney

12:00 - 1:00 p.m.

Travel to NCCF Offices 3609 HWY 24, Newport

1:00 - 2:30 p.m.

Lunch and Educational Talk

Rachel Bisesi, Education Overview, NCCF

Drive Home

2:30 p.m. – 5:00/5:30 p.m.

Estimated driving time: 2 hrs to RDU; 2.5 hrs to campus

Stop at RDU Airport, followed by Duke University

Duke University Bookstore open until 6:00 p.m.

#### TAXIS & OTHER TRANSPORTATION WHILE IN DURHAM

Because there are not very many taxis in Durham, you need to call by phone ahead of time for a taxi. Airport taxis/shuttles generally charge a set fare from Durham to the airport, ranging from \$25-\$45 one way (the below prices are estimates only and should be confirmed when making arrangements). Taxis below have been recommended by other Duke students/scholars.

**NOTE:** RDU = Raleigh/Durham International Airport

### **Local Taxis Around Town and to the RDU Airport** (Remember to call in advance)

- Charlene's Safe Ride: 919-309-7233 (SAFE). Flat fee of \$35 from Duke campus to RDU (for up to 2 passengers).
- **Durham's Best Cab: 919-680-3330/1-866-680-3330.** Flat fee of \$29 from Duke campus to RDU.
- J.M.T. Taxi Service: 919.417-7033 (cell). Flat fee of \$25 for students to RDU.
- We also have Uber and Lyft in Durham!

Hilton Garden Inn Shuttle: 919-286-0774

Bull City Connector (free bus that runs along Main St., where your hotel is located, including a drop off on campus to the corner of Research Dr. & Circuit Dr.). There is a stop right at the corner of Main St. and Ninth, and will take you downtown as well: <a href="www.bullcityconnector.org">www.bullcityconnector.org</a>.

Walking instructions from Research Dr. & Circuit Dr. to LSRC A158:

- Head down Circuit Dr. away from the traffic circle and towards the big stone arch
- Pass two smaller parking lots, and just before you arrive to the stone arch, you will see a walkway lead to a flight of stairs, take those stairs down. Environment Hall will be to your right as you descend.
- Walk straight, past the deck and courtyard, under the breezeway, and the second door on your right in the breezeway is the hallway right outside A158.

#### IMPORTANT ORIENTATION CONTACTS

# **Duke Environmental Leadership Program**

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#### Melissa Adragna, Program Coordinator

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# Rebecca Vidra, PhD, DEL Faculty Director

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# **Greenway Transit (Mark)**

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