

Instructions to register for

# FALL 2018 ORIENTATION: EMPIRE STATE OF MIND

# WELCOME TO THE NEW SCHOOL

### Fall 2018 Orientation: Empire State of Mind

Congratulations and welcome to Lang College. Life at Lang is characterized by the unique combination of hard work and personal autonomy. The academics you are about to embark on are reading and writing-intensive and grounded in the scholarly development of critical thinking. But the open curriculum gives you the freedom to explore what is relevant to you.

The theme for the 2018-2019 academic year is Empire State of Mind: a call to action, the inspiration to dig deep, be tenacious, and enact your dreams! The RegPack scheduling portal will assist you in sharing your workshop preferences and identifying the required sessions you will need to attend during Orientation Week. If you think you might not be present during these important orientation events, email us promptly at <a href="mailto:langadvising@newschool.edu">langadvising@newschool.edu</a> We look forward to seeing you in person soon!

Following are some important notes for you to keep in mind:

#### **Orientation RSVP and Workshop Selection**

Incoming students and families must RSVP for Orientation through RegPack. This free registration system will ask you to create a username and password, which will allow you to register for events throughout Orientation Week and Welcome Week(end). Use the instructions on the following pages to select your required workshops, and take your time reading the workshop descriptions to dive into all The New School has to offer!

#### **Orientation Check-In and Final Schedule:**

Your RSVP and workshop preference selection on RegPack is one step to completing your registration for Orientation. Be sure to complete your new student checklist items on MyNewSchool, and complete the required modules on the Prep for Success pre-orientation online course.

When you arrive to campus on Sunday, August 19th, you must sign in at the Orientation Check-In desk. At check-in, you will receive your printed, finalized schedule and your welcome kit. You can find the check-in table in the Event Café (UL103) of the University Center, 63 Fifth Avenue. Your families should sign in at the Orientation Check-in desk as well. Do you have questions about Orientation? Email orientation@newschool.edu



#### Move-In and Arrival:

Orientation begins with your move-in and arrival dates. If you are *living off-campus* and commuting to school, *your orientation begins on Monday, August 20* with your first scheduled activity. Do you have questions about housing? Email <u>universityhousing@newschool.edu</u> Don't forget to sign in at the Orientation Check-In to receive your official workshop schedule, complete with locations!

#### **Move-In Dates**

| Sunday, August 19                            | Monday, August 20                            |
|----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| All new international students               | All new students whose last names begin with |
| All new students whose last names begin with | K-Z                                          |
| A-J                                          |                                              |

#### International Students

#### **International Student Check-In**

All international students, professors, and scholars must officially check in with ISSS within **ten days of arriving** in the United States during the first semester of their program. New students and scholars must complete the online check-in form in their <u>iGlobal</u> page. All new students and scholars must upload their immigration documents (I-20/DS-2019, passport, and printout of their electronic <u>I-94</u> card). This check-in is in addition to your Orientation Check-In or your School-Based Check-In.

#### **New International Student Orientation**

Attendance at the in-person New International Student Orientation is required by both The New School and the U.S. government. During this session, you will learn your rights and responsibilities while in F-1 or J-1 status, learn more about the ISSS office, and meet other international students. Information about the date and location of the New International Student Orientation is included in the welcome letter that was mailed to you along with your I-20 or DS-2019.

Do you have questions about being an International Student at The New School? Email <a href="mailto:iss@newschool.edu">iss@newschool.edu</a>.



## FIRST-YEAR STUDENTS

Eugene Lang College of Liberal Arts
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As an undergraduate First-Year student at Lang College (BA or BS), please make sure to select the following **required events** in your workshop preferences:

| preferences: |         |                                                              |
|--------------|---------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| Thursday     | 8/23/18 | Lang Welcome                                                 |
| Thursday     | 8/23/18 | First-Year Group Meeting with<br>First-Year Fellows + Lunch  |
| Thursday     | 8/23/18 | One-on-one meetings with First-<br>Year Faculty Advisors     |
| Thursday     | 8/23/18 | Meet the Faculty                                             |
| Friday       | 8/24/18 | Lang Success Orientation                                     |
| Friday       | 8/24/18 | First-Year Group Meetings with<br>First-Year Fellows + Lunch |
| Friday       | 8/24/18 | Lang Student Showcase                                        |

All incoming First-Year students must select the following **required events** as workshop preferences:

| Evening of Your Arrival                         | OL Meet and Greet & President's Welcome      |
|-------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| Offered multiple sessions on Tuesday, 8/21/18   | Sexual Assault and Prevention                |
| Tuesday, 8/21/18                                | Building the Community I Want                |
| Tuesday, 8/21/18                                | Academic Orientation:<br>Welcoming Symposium |
| Offered multiple sessions on Wednesday, 8/22/18 | Safety in the City                           |

Additionally, Lang offers the following **optional events** during orientation week:

| Monday   | 8/20/18 | Lang Parent Welcome                                                                                                                                            |
|----------|---------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Thursday | 8/23/18 | Dance Orientation:<br>For anyone interested in learning more<br>about Dance at Lang                                                                            |
| Thursday | 8/23/18 | Open Walk-in Hours with Student<br>Success Advisors                                                                                                            |
| Friday   | 8/24/18 | Open Walk-in Hours with Student<br>Success Advisors                                                                                                            |
| Friday   | 8/24/18 | Science Lab Open House For students interested in learning more about the Science + Art + Design Lab and the Interdisciplinary Science major and minor at Lang |

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| New student checklist on MyNewSchool                                                                       |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Workplace Answers eLearning coursework These three courses automatically emailed to you                    |
| Academic Integrity module on Prep for Success pre-<br>orientation online course<br>(released early August) |
| Experience + Meaning module on the Prep for Success pre-orientation online course (released early August)  |

## DUAL DEGREE BA/BFA STUDENTS

Eugene Lang College of Liberal Arts & Parsons School of Design The New School Fall 2018 Orientation: Empire State of Mind

As a dual degree BA/ BFA student at Lang and Parsons, please make sure to select for the following **required events** in your workshop preferences:

| Wednesday | 8/22/18 | Dual Degree BA/BFA Orientation                                                                                                                               |
|-----------|---------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Thursday  | 8/23/18 | Parsons Welcome                                                                                                                                              |
| Thursday  | 8/23/18 | Lang Welcome                                                                                                                                                 |
| Thursday  | 8/23/18 | First-Year Group Meeting with First-<br>Year Fellows + Lunch<br>Required for dual degree students<br>enrolled in an LNGC 1400- First-Year<br>Seminar course  |
| Thursday  | 8/23/18 | One-on-one meetings with First-Year<br>Faculty Advisors<br>Required for dual degree students<br>enrolled in an LNGC 1400- First Year<br>Seminar Course       |
| Thursday  | 8/23/18 | Meet the Faculty                                                                                                                                             |
| Friday    | 8/24/18 | Lang Success Orientation                                                                                                                                     |
| Friday    | 8/24/18 | First-Year Group Meetings with First-<br>Year Fellows + Lunch<br>Required for dual degree students<br>enrolled in an LNGC 1400- First-Year<br>Seminar course |
| Friday    | 8/24/18 | Lang Student Showcase                                                                                                                                        |

Additionally Lang and Parsons offer the following **optional events** during orientation week:

| optional events during orientation week: |                                                                                                                                                                |  |  |
|------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|--|
| 8/20/18                                  | Lang Parent Welcome & Parsons Parent Reception                                                                                                                 |  |  |
| 8/23/18                                  | Dance Orientation:<br>For anyone interested in learning more<br>about Dance at Lang                                                                            |  |  |
| 8/23/18                                  | Parsons First-Year and First-Year Transfer Workshops                                                                                                           |  |  |
| 8/24/18                                  | Science Lab Open House For students interested in learning more about the Science + Art + Design Lab and the Interdisciplinary Science major and minor at Lang |  |  |
|                                          | 8/20/18<br>8/23/18<br>8/23/18                                                                                                                                  |  |  |

All incoming First-Year students must select the following **required events** as workshop preferences:

| Evening of Your Arrival                         | OL Meet and Greet &<br>President's Welcome   |
|-------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| Offered multiple sessions on Tuesday, 8/21/18   | Sexual Assault and Prevention                |
| Tuesday, 8/21/18                                | Building the Community I Want                |
| Tuesday, 8/21/18                                | Academic Orientation:<br>Welcoming Symposium |
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## **BA/BFA STUDENTS**

## Eugene Lang College of Liberal Arts & College of Performing Arts School of Jazz

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As a dual degree BA/ BFA student at Lang and CoPA, please make sure to select for the following **required events** in your workshop preferences:

| Monday    | 8/20/18 | CoPA: New Student Check-In and<br>Breakfast                |
|-----------|---------|------------------------------------------------------------|
| Monday    | 8/20/18 | Welcome Meeting for College of<br>Performing Arts Students |
| Monday    | 8/20/18 | Jazz: Placement Testing                                    |
| Tuesday   | 8/21/18 | Jazz: Ensemble Listening Session                           |
| Wednesday | 8/22/18 | Dual-Degree BA/BFA Orientation                             |
| Thursday  | 8/23/18 | Lang Welcome                                               |
| Thursday  | 8/23/18 | School of Jazz and Contemporary Music Welcome Session      |
| Thursday  | 8/23/18 | Jazz: Facilities & Equipment Orientation Meeting           |
| Thursday  | 8/23/18 | Meet the Faculty                                           |
| Friday    | 8/24/18 | Lang Success Orientation                                   |
| Friday    | 8/24/18 | Lang Student Showcase                                      |
| Friday    | 8/24/18 | Jazz: Placement Testing                                    |

Additionally Lang and CoPA offer the following optional events during orientation week:

| optional events during orientation week. |         |                                                                                                                                                                |  |
|------------------------------------------|---------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| Monday                                   | 8/20/18 | Lang Parent Welcome & CoPA Parent Reception                                                                                                                    |  |
| Thursday                                 | 8/23/18 | Dance Orientation:<br>For anyone interested in learning more<br>about Dance at Lang                                                                            |  |
| Friday                                   | 8/24/18 | Science Lab Open House For students interested in learning more about the Science + Art + Design Lab and the Interdisciplinary Science major and minor at Lang |  |

All incoming First-Year students must select the following **required events** as workshop preferences:

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| Tuesday, 8/21/18                                | Building the Community I Want                |
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## TRANSFER STUDENTS

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As an undergraduate transfer student at Lang College (BA or BS), please make sure to register for the following **required events:** 

| Thursday | 8/23/18 | Lang Welcome             |
|----------|---------|--------------------------|
| Thursday | 8/23/18 | Meet the Faculty         |
| Friday   | 8/24/18 | Lang Success Orientation |
| Friday   | 8/24/18 | Lang Student Showcase    |

Additionally Lang offers the following **optional events** during orientation week:

| Monday   | 8/20/18 | Lang Parent Welcome                                                                                                                                            |
|----------|---------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Thursday | 8/23/18 | Dance Orientation: For anyone interested in learning more about Dance at Lang                                                                                  |
| Thursday | 8/23/18 | Open Walk-in Hours with Student Success Advisors                                                                                                               |
| Friday   | 8/24/18 | Open Walk-in Hours with Student Success Advisors                                                                                                               |
| Friday   | 8/24/18 | Science Lab Open House For students interested in learning more about the Science + Art + Design Lab and the Interdisciplinary Science major and minor at Lang |

All incoming undergraduate transfer students must select the following **required events** as workshop preferences:

| Evening of Your Move-In (Commuters on Monday, 8/20/18) | OL Meet and Greet & President's Welcome                                    |
|--------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Offered multiple sessions on Tuesday, 8/21/18          | Sexual Assault and Prevention                                              |
| Tuesday, 8/21/18                                       | Building the<br>Community I Want<br>(transfers optional but<br>encouraged) |
| Offered multiple sessions on Wednesday, 8/22/18        | Safety in the City                                                         |

You are invited to the Transfer Student Social, on Wednesday, 8/22/18

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