MS ORIENTATION SCHEDULE 2021

COUNTDOWN TO KATZ

August 2 - August 13

Countdown to Katz is designed to ensure that the transition into your graduate studies goes as smoothly as possible. This week will feature a number of different modules hosting important information about your time at Pitt Business. All activities are self-paced and require no timeframe.

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WEEK ONE

Biz 101

All programming from August 16 - 21 will be held in Mervis Hall on the first floor unless otherwise stated.

Monday, August 16

Breakfast & Welcome 8:00 - 9:00 AM

9:00 - 12:00 PM Biz 101

12:00 - 1:00 PM Lunch

Tuesday, August 17

8:00 - 8:30 AM **Breakfast**

Working with the CMCE 8:30 - 9:00 AM

9:00 - 12:00 PM Biz 101 12:00 - 1:00 PM Lunch

Wednesday, August 18

8:00 - 8:30 AM **Breakfast**

8:30 - 9:00 AM CMCE Bootcamp Check-in | FAQs

9:00 - 12:00 PM Biz 101 12:00 - 1:00 PM Lunch

Thursday, August 19

8:00 - 8:30 AM Breakfast

Bootcamp Check in | Talking About Yourself 8:30 - 9:00 AM

9:00 - 12:00 PM Biz 101 12:00 - 1:00 PM Lunch

Friday, August 20

8:30 - 9:00 AM Breakfast 9:00 - 12:00 PM **Biz 101** 12:00 - 1:00 PM Lunch

Saturday, August 21

8:30 - 9:00 AM Breakfast

9:00 - 12:00 PM Biz 101 - Final Presentations

WEEK TWO

ACADEMIC WORKSHOPS

Monday, August 23

OFF - NO ORIENTATION PROGRAMMING WILL BE HELD

Tuesday, August 24

WORKSHOP LOCATION: 1502 POSVAR HALL

8:00 - 9:00 AM Breakfast & Business Math Workshop

9:30 - 11:30 AM Finance Workshop

12:00 - 1:00 PM Lunch - University Club, Ballroom B

1:00 - 2:15 PM Katz Community Welcome

2:30 - 3:30 PM CMCE & Executive in Residence Intro

3:30 - 4:30 PM **Employer Insights Panel**

Wednesday, August 25

WORKSHOP LOCATION: 1502 POSVAR HALL

9:00 - 11:00 AM Statistics Workshop 11:30 - 12:30 PM Lunch - Sennott Square, Second Floor 12:30 - 2:30 PM Group 1: Equity & Inclusion Workshop 12:30 - 2:30 PM Group 2: Global Competency Workshop 2:45 - 5:00 PM Group 1: Global Competency Workshop 2:45 - 5:00 PM Group 2: Equity & Inclusion Workshop

Thursday, August 26

WORKSHOP LOCATION: 1502 POSVAR HALL

8:00 - 9:00 AM Breakfast & Business Math Workshop

9:30 - 11:30 AM Faculty Director Panel

12:00 - 1:00 PM Lunch - 120 David Lawrence Hall

1:00 - 1:45 PM Job Search Strategies

1:45 - 2:45 PM **Functional Area Breakouts**

2:45 - 3:30 PM Industry Discussions

3:30 - 4:00 PM Native Accent for International Students

Friday, August 27

LOCATION: MERVIS HALL

9:00 - 1:00 PM Mock Interviews & Networking Event

Interviewing is an essential part of every job search. It is a skill that requires practice, and honing your interview skills can make all the difference in landing a position.

You will be interviewed for 30 minutes by someone with experience in the business world, and provided with individual advice and recommendations for improving your interview skills and making sure you are putting your best foot forward as you continue on in your professional career journey.

Saturday, August 28

Katz Community Block Party 11:00 - 2:00 PM

Come one, come all to the Katz Community Block Party! Bring your family & friends as we gather in the field next to Mervis Hall for some fun in the sun. The block party will host a number of food trucks, a shaved ice truck, yard games, festival games, prizes, music, and other activities.

This is a perfect opportunity to meet your fellow classmates, as well as the faculty and staff at Pitt Business.



Roc says to sign up for an interview and attend the block party!

