

Engineering School of Electrical Engineering & Computer Science

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Division of Computer Science and Engineering

College of

Fall 2017 First Year Student Tips

COURSE SCHEDULING: BALANCE YOUR LOAD AND MAKE A PLAN

- Take ALEKS Calculus Placement Test before orientation if possible, can be taken 5 times per placement cycle. If you have any questions, please visit <u>math.lsu.edu/ugrad/ALEKS</u>
- Math credit information: math.lsu.edu/ugrad/PlacementCredit
- ALEKS score of 70% required for MATH 1550 (Calculus 1) and 75% for MATH 1551 (Honors) placement.
- Without a passing ALEKS score on record, MATH 1550 will be purged from schedule on July 11.
- If you later earn **AP/IB/CLEP**, dual enrollment credits, or summer credits elsewhere and need your schedule modified, contact a counselor in UCFY (225-578-6822) or CoE Student Services (225-578-5731).
- First week of fall semester (classes begin August 21), reevaluate courses.
 - **Drop** without "W" deadline: August 29, 4:30pm
 - Add course deadline: August 30, 4:30pm
- <u>To drop/add courses any time before deadline</u>; log in to **myLSU**, navigate to *Schedule Request* under the **Registration Services** tab.
- Note the sequencing and prerequisites of courses:
 - Concentration flowcharts: Isu.edu/eng/current/resources/flowcharts.php
 - Catalog: catalog.lsu.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=8648

RESOURCES

- For Java, MySQL, game design, and many more free online tutorials, log in to **myLSU** and navigate to *Lynda Campus* under the **Computing Services** tab.
- Free tutoring: visit lsu.edu/students/cas/about/services/tutoring.php

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS: JOIN, HAVE FUN, AND NETWORK WITH PEERS

- Computer Science Student Organizations
 - Visit ACM@LSU on FB
 - Visit Women in Computer Science at LSU on FB; email at wicslsu@gmail.com
 - CSC Student Organizations host study sessions and industry guest speakers
- College of Engineering Diversity Initiatives and Student Organizations: Visit Isu.edu/eng/current/diversity-initiatives/index.php

GET INVOLVED AT ENCOUNTER ENGINEERING (E2) – AUGUST, 11-16, 2017

• Visit **lsu.edu/eng/future/e2.php** to learn more about this opportunity to meet peers, faculty, upperclassmen, and industry partners; have fun while becoming familiar with the LSU campus!

MOVE-IN DAY INFORMATION

• Get all the details for Move-In Day at: sites01.lsu.edu/wp/reslife/move-in-day

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