

Friday, August 19	Orientation Session	Campus Location
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM (EST)	<p><b>Engineering Master's Programs Administrative Welcome</b></p> <p>Join Dr. Brad Fox the Associate Dean of Master's Programs and Bridget Fletcher the Managing Director of Graduate Student Programs and Services as they welcome you to Duke University and the Pratt School of Engineering. Topics covered will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mission and Vision of Duke Engineering</li> <li>• Structure of Student Support</li> <li>• Duke Community Standard and Plagiarism</li> <li>• Student Services</li> <li>• Health and Well-Being</li> <li>• Safety at Duke and in Durham</li> </ul> <p>This will be offered as a hybrid session. Students who have arrived in Durham are invited to join us in person, others are encouraged to join us virtually by logging in through their Duke Zoom account.</p>	<p><a href="#">Join via Duke Zoom Account HERE</a> Password: 424226</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Gross Hall 107</p>
Monday, August 22	Orientation Session	Campus Location
2:00 PM – 4:00 PM (EST)	<p><b>Engineering Master's Programs Community Building Event for students from the Biomedical Engineering, Civil &amp; Environmental Engineering, Electrical &amp; Computer Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering &amp; Materials Science departments</b></p> <p>Experience orientation in a fun and competitive way! This team-based programming will have you learning about the Pratt School of Engineering and exploring Duke's campus as you complete missions and earn points. Prizes will be awarded to the top team. Wear comfortable shoes and attire appropriate for the weather. If it happens to rain, an umbrella will be handy! Please download the GooseChase IOS or Android app ahead of time from: <a href="https://www.goosechase.com/download/">https://www.goosechase.com/download/</a>.</p>	Gross Hall 107
4:00 PM – 5:00 PM (EST)	<p><b>Engineering Master's Programs Check-In and Social for students from the Biomedical Engineering, Civil &amp; Environmental Engineering, Electrical &amp; Computer Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering &amp; Materials Science departments</b></p> <p>Meet staff, faculty, and students from the Engineering Master's Programs on the Harrington Engineering Quadrangle to enjoy a cold treat while you network with your new community. We will also have a photo opportunity, lawn games, and grab-and-go meals.</p>	Harrington Engineering Quadrangle
Tuesday, August 23	Orientation Session	Campus Location
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM (EST)	<b>The Graduate School Orientation for Master of Science (MS) Students Only</b>	Virtual – link will be provided by Duke Graduate School
11:00 AM – 1:00 PM (EST)	<p><b>Immunization Clinic for Engineering Master's Students</b></p> <p>All Duke students who will reside in North Carolina must comply with <a href="#">Duke University's Immunization Requirements</a> and submit the Mandatory Immunization Requirements Form and TB Screening Questionnaire. If you were unable to complete your immunizations requirements before arriving, please attend one of the two clinics being hosted for Engineering Master's Students.</p>	Penn Pavilion

Wednesday, August 24	Orientation Session	Campus Location
9:00 AM – 12:00 PM (EST)	The Graduate School RCR Orientation for Master of Science (MS) Students Only	Virtual – link will be provided by Duke Graduate School
11:00 AM – 1:00 PM (EST)	<b>Graduate Student Programs and Services Drop-In Office Hours</b> <i>(Optional – no registration required)</i>  Do you have questions and not know who to ask? Stop by the Graduate Student Programs and Services Drop-in Office Hours. Staff will be available to answer those quick questions you have as you get settled at Duke.	Teer 114
3:00 PM – 4:00 PM (EST)	<b>Strengths Assessment for Master of Engineering students from the Biomedical Engineering, Civil &amp; Environmental Engineering, Electrical &amp; Computer Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering &amp; Materials Science Departments</b>  An important element of graduate school is learning about yourself. During this session, Master of Engineering students from the BME, CEE, ECE, and MEMS departments will be guided through a reflection. There is a pre-assessment survey that will be sent to your Duke email address with full instructions in mid-August. Please watch for this email and complete the assessment promptly. Master of Engineering students are <b>required</b> to attend this session.	Wilkinson 21
Thursday, August 25	Orientation Session	Campus Location
11:00 AM – 12:00 PM (EST)	Electrical and Computer Engineering Departmental Orientation	<a href="#">Join via Duke Zoom Account HERE</a> Password: 417180
12:00 PM – 2:00 PM (EST)	<b>Immunization Clinic for Engineering Master's Students</b>  All Duke students who will reside in North Carolina must comply with <a href="#">Duke University's Immunization Requirements</a> and submit the Mandatory Immunization Requirements Form and TB Screening Questionnaire. If you were unable to complete your immunizations requirements before arriving, please attend one of the two clinics being hosted for Engineering Master's Students.	Penn Pavilion
2:00 PM – 3:00 PM (EST)	Time Management and Study Skills for Electrical and Computer Engineering students	French Science 2231
3:30 PM – 4:30 PM (EST)	Software Engineering Career Planning, Advice, and Wisdom	French Science 2231
Friday, August 26	Orientation Session	Campus Location
10:00 AM – 11:00 AM (EST)	<b>Community Conversations Story Circle Event</b> <i>(Optional – registration required)</i>  We invite you to take part in our Community Conversations event where we will use Story Circles to build community with engineering peers. You will get to know others whose stories may be quite	Wilkinson 126

	different from yours and get a chance to share yours too. Registration is limited to 75 students. <a href="#">Register HERE</a>	
<b>11:00 AM – 12:00 PM (EST)</b>	<p><b>Introduction to KORU</b> <i>(Optional – registration required)</i></p> <p>KORU Mindfulness is a method of mindfulness, meditation, and stress management designed for emerging adults, ages 18-29, but is suitable for all ages interested in beginning or re-engaging with their mindfulness practice. Individuals who have taken KORU courses indicate improvements in several areas: better sleep, increased self-awareness, sharper focus, and reduced anxiety. Several 4-week sessions will be offered throughout the fall semester as an opportunity to dive deeper into the practice. Registration for this introductory session is limited to 85 students. <a href="#">Register HERE</a></p>	<b>Wilkinson 132</b>
<b>1:00 PM – 3:00 PM (EST)</b>	<p><b>Drop-In Visa Registration for International Students</b></p> <p>All international student with a visa, enrolled in an on-campus program, and arriving at Duke for the first time this Fall must register with Duke Visa Services within 30 days of arriving in the United States. This visa registration session is for newly arriving Master of Engineering, Master of Engineering Management, and Master of Science students. Students will submit required documentation that confirms their visa status to their visa advisor. If you are not able to attend, please visit the <a href="#">Duke Visa Services office</a> to complete your registration as soon as possible.</p>	<b>Schiciano Auditorium</b>
<b>1:00 PM – 2:00 PM (EST)</b>	<p><b>Community Conversations Story Circle Event</b> <i>(Optional – registration required)</i></p> <p>We invite you to take part in our Community Conversations event where we will use Story Circles to build community with engineering peers. You will get to know others whose stories may be quite different from yours and get a chance to share yours too. Registration is limited to 75 students. <a href="#">Register HERE</a></p>	<b>Wilkinson 126</b>
<b>2:00 PM – 3:00 PM (EST)</b>	<p><b>Introduction to KORU Mindfulness</b> <i>(Optional – registration required)</i></p> <p>KORU Mindfulness is a method of mindfulness, meditation, and stress management designed for emerging adults, ages 18-29, but is suitable for all ages interested in beginning or re-engaging with their mindfulness practice. Individuals who have taken KORU courses indicate improvements in several areas: better sleep, increased self-awareness, sharper focus, and reduced anxiety. Several 4-week sessions will be offered throughout the fall semester as an opportunity to dive deeper into the practice. Registration for this introductory session is limited to 85 students. <a href="#">Register HERE</a></p>	<b>Wilkinson 132</b>
<b>4:30 PM – 5:30 PM (EST)</b>	<p><b>“Pratt Chat” Social Event</b> <i>(Optional – no registration required)</i></p> <p>This is your chance to mingle and unwind after a busy week! Join the Engineering Graduate Student Council (EGSC) on the Harrington Engineering Quadrangle for this student led social event. A free alcoholic or non-alcoholic beverage will be provided to participants, be sure to bring you state and Duke IDs.</p>	<b>Harrington Engineering Quadrangle</b>

Campus locations can be found at: <https://maps.duke.edu/>

\* Attendance at all orientation activities requires compliance with [Duke’s COVID-19 vaccination requirement and protocols](#)