





Illini Day 2018

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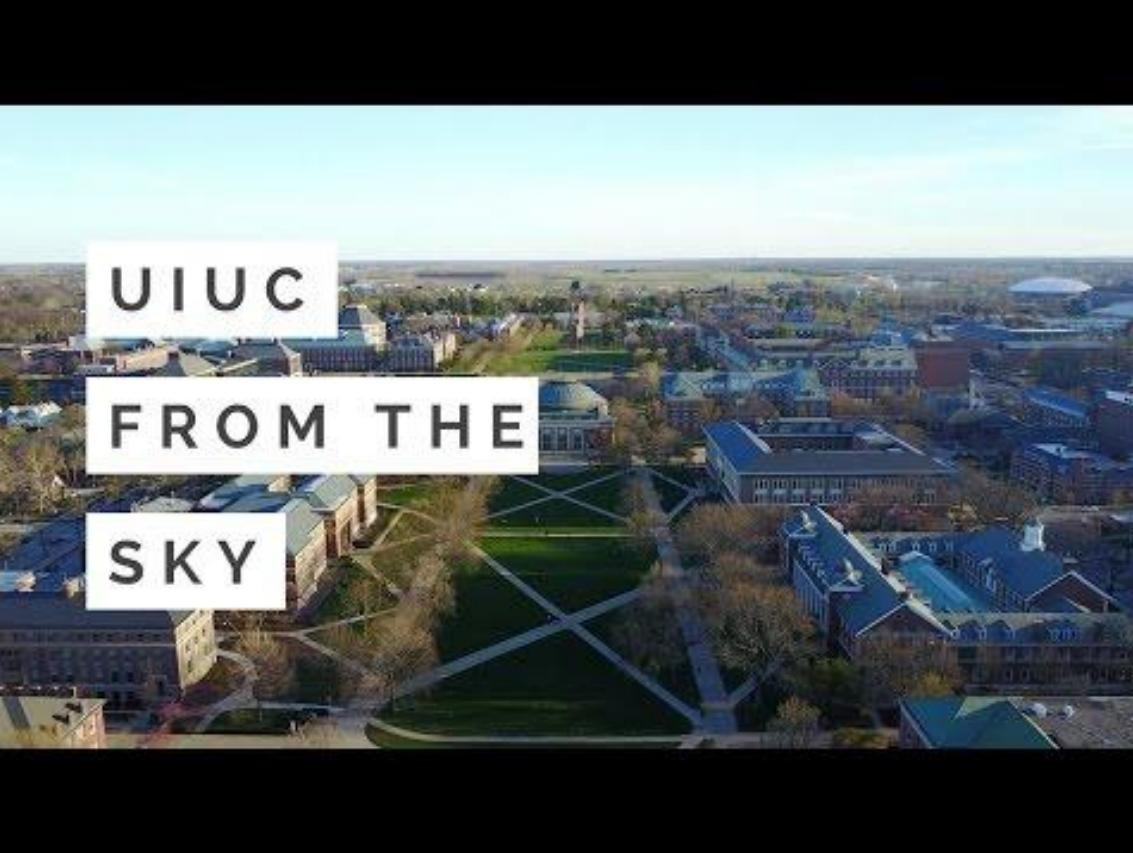
## Overview

- 1530: Registration
- 1610: Presentation
- 1630: Meet and Greet
- 1800: Dinner (optional)

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Welcome to UIUC!

An aerial photograph of the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign campus. The image shows a dense cluster of buildings with blue roofs, green lawns, and trees. In the foreground, there is a large, open grassy area with a prominent X-shaped walkway or driveway. The sky is clear and blue. Overlaid on the left side of the image is a white graphic element consisting of three stacked rectangular boxes. The top box contains the letters "UIUC" in a bold, black, sans-serif font. The middle box contains the words "FROM THE" in a smaller, black, sans-serif font. The bottom box contains the word "SKY" in a large, black, sans-serif font.

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2.5 hours  
140 miles  
225 km



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## Singapore Students Association



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## Meet the Executive Board



Wei Yang

External  
VP/Treasurer

Hui Yi

President

Jia Ling

Internal  
VP/Secretary



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## Resources



## Resources

- Website: [www.uiucssa.com](http://www.uiucssa.com)
  - UIUC SSA Handbook
  - Residence Hall Reviews
  - Curriculum Guides
- Facebook:
  - Page: <https://www.facebook.com/UIUCSSA/>
  - Group:  
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## Pre-Departure Checklist



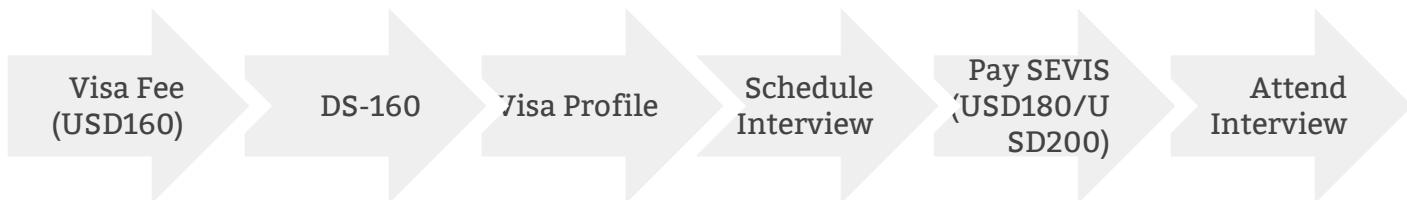
## Pre-Departure Checklist

- Visa/I-20 Application
- NetID
- Medical Checkup
- Exit Permit (NSMen)
- Housing
- Registration, Placement and Proficiency Tests

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## Pre-Departure Checklist: Visa/I-20 Application

- Link:  
<http://www.ustraveldocs.com/sg/sg-niv-visaapply.asp>
- Visa Type: F-1/J-1
- Process:





## Pre-Departure Checklist: Visa/I-20 Application

- Bring these documents to the Visa Interview:
  - DS160 Form
  - Passport\* (expiry date >6mth after intended period of stay)
  - 2x2 Photograph\* (or you can take it at the embassy)
  - I-20
  - MRV Visa Fee (\$160) Receipt
  - I-901 SEVIS Fee Receipt
  - Bank Statement/Proof of Financial Support
  - Admission Letter to UIUC



## Pre-Departure Checklist: NetID

- Link: <https://netidclaim.illinois.edu/>
- Allows you to access internet-related application/services in the university
- Wi-Fi



## Pre-Departure Checklist: Medical Checkup

- Link:  
<https://mckinley.illinois.edu/new-students/immunization-information>
- Complete:
  - Immunization Screening Form
  - TB Screening Form
- TTSU Travellers' Clinic

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## Pre-Departure Checklist: Exit Permit

- Link: ns.sg
  - ‘Manage Overseas Trips’
  - ‘Apply Exit Permit’
- OneKey SingPass Token





## Pre-Departure Checklist: Housing

- **Note: You do not have to stay in University Housing.**
- Students who are aged 21 and above do not have to stay in University Housing or Private Certified Housing
- Students who have a class standing of Sophomore or higher do not have to stay in University Housing or Private Certified Housing



## Pre-Departure Checklist: Housing

- Location:
  - Green, Stoughton, Springfield: Engineering
  - Chalmers, Armory, Daniels, John: Business
- Property Managers:
  - University Housing Group
  - PPM, CPM
  - JSM, Green Street Realty
  - Shlens', Bankier, etc.



## Pre-Departure Checklist: Registration

- Choose Online Registration
- Sign up for a registration date
- Complete College Registration homework (e.g. Placement Tests) at least 2 weeks before registration date
- Your advisor will contact you directly :)



## Pre-Departure Checklist: Placement and Proficiency Tests

- Placement Tests: **MANDATORY**
  - MATH220: Calculus I
  - RHET105: Rhetoric and Composition
  - Chemistry, Physics, etc.
- Proficiency Tests: **OPTIONAL**
  - MATH231/MATH241: Calculus II/III
  - MATH 225/MATH 285: Matrix Theory, Differential Equations
  - PHYS213/PHYS214: Thermal Physics, Quantum Physics
  - CS173: Discrete Structures



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## Departure to UIUC

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## Things to Bring

- Formal Wear
- Winter Wear (if you already own some)
- Stationery (Mechanical Pencils, Pens, etc.)
- Personal Medication (Panadol, etc.)
- Adapters for US (110V, 60Hz AC)
- Spare Pair of Glasses/Contacts

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## Things to leave in Singapore

- A4 Paper, Files
- 2-Ring hole punchers
- Bed Sheets/Pillows

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## During Travel: Hand-carry Items

- Passport with Visa
- I-20
- Admission Letter
- Medical Check-up Forms/Personal Medical Records
- Bank Statement/Proof of Financial Support
- Original Academic Documents
- Physical Copy of Bus Ticket/Train Ticket



## During Travel: Customs and Immigration

- Check for stamp and signature



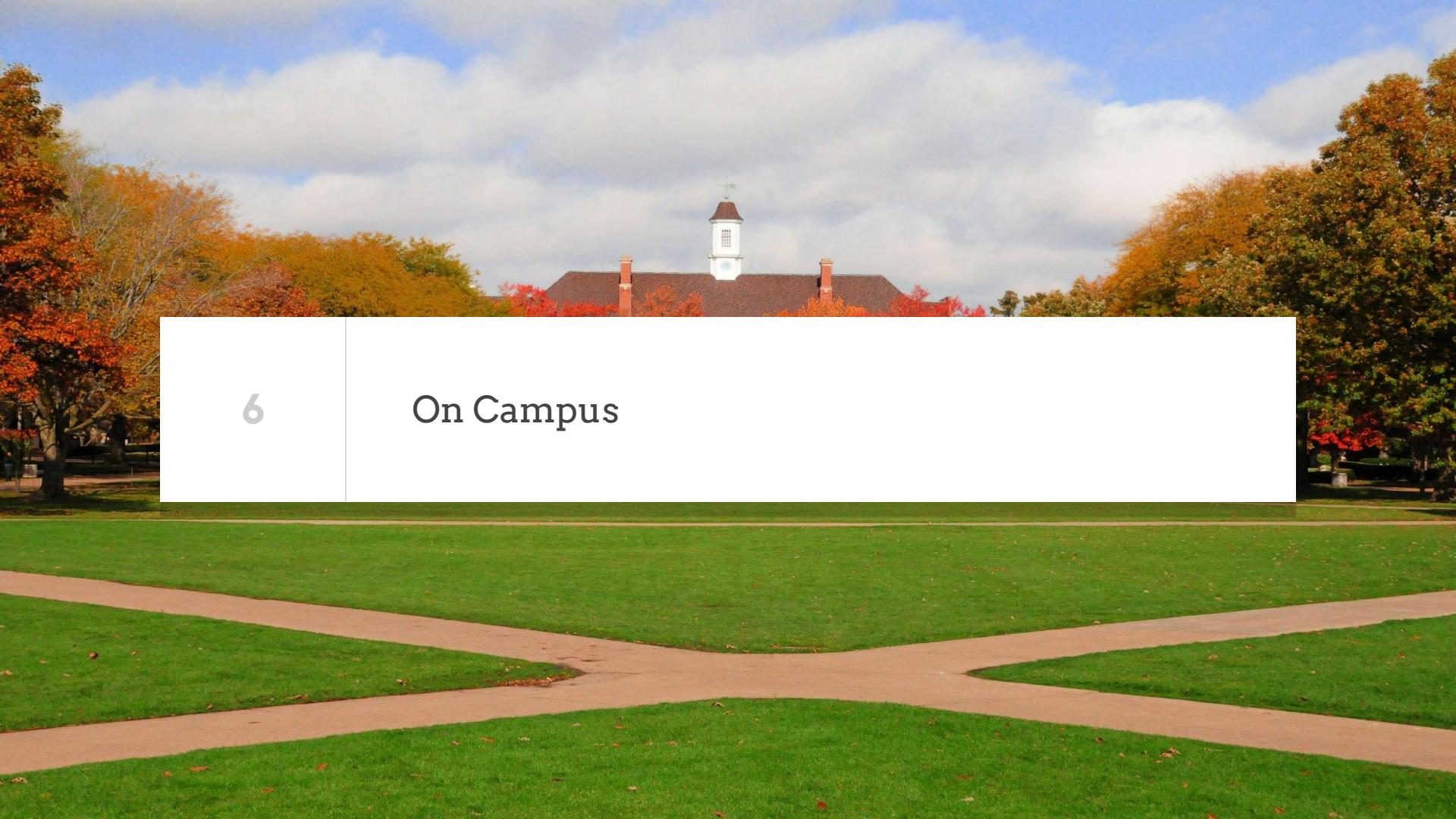
## During Travel: Getting to UIUC

- Bus (Peoria, \*Suburban, \*Greyhound)
- Train (Amtrak)
- Plane (O'hare/Midway to Willard Airport)



## Arrival in UIUC: Checklist

- Pre-Arrival E-Form
- ISSS Check-in
- I-Card
- TB Screening and Immunizations at McKinley
- Update Address
- Phone Number
- Bank Account



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## On Campus



## On Campus: Transport

- Car:
  - DMV: Champaign (don't need SSN)
- Bus: CUMTD
- Rail: Amtrak at Illinois Terminal



# On Campus: Food



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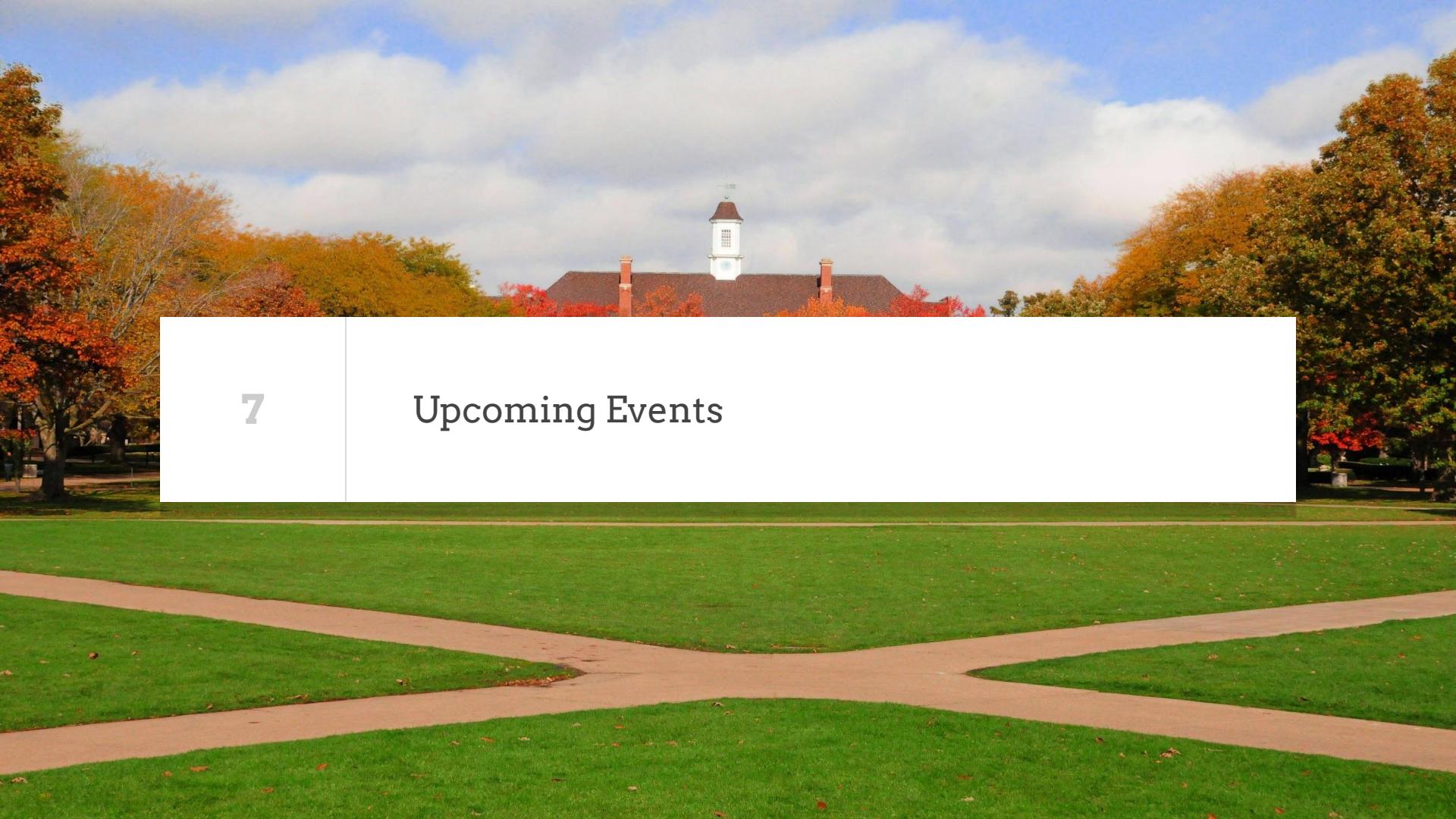
## On Campus: Entertainment

- Shopping:
  - Marketplace Mall
- Arts and Culture
  - Krannert Center
  - The Art Theatre
  - Parkland Community College
- Nightlife
  - Legends, Kams, Joes, Brothers, etc.
  - The Canopy Club

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## On Campus: Others

- Medical:
  - McKinley Health Center
  - Carle Hospital
- Haircuts:
  - The Pizzazz: Not used to Asian hair
  - G and R (一剪美): Average



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## Upcoming Events

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- 14 July, Saturday: SPH Top Universities and Scholarships Fair
- 28 July, Saturday: Summer BBQ
- 26 August, Sunday: Quad Day
- 1 September, Saturday : Chicago Trip

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## Course Registration Walkthrough



*Thank You! Any Questions?*

