

**Wednesday, January 4**

9 a.m.– 4 p.m.

McCormick Student  
Village**Residence Hall Check In (*Housing Contract Required*)**

Students attending orientation who also have a housing contract are able to move into their room assignment beginning today. Please contact Housing & Residential Services (312.567.5075) with your questions or for more information. Please note that the residence halls officially open on Sunday, January 8, 2012 at 9 a.m. Therefore, services prior to this date may be limited.

9–11 a.m.

McCormick Tribune  
Campus Center  
Ballroom**Graduate Advising Event**

A number of graduate faculty advisors will be available to advise you on course selection. Staff from the Registrar's Office and Graduate Admission will be available to assist you with registration or final admission issues. Not all academic departments participate in the Advising Event; you will be notified by email if your department will attend. The Graduate Advising Event is not a mandatory session for Orientation, but is offered as a convenience for those who are able to attend.

4:30–6:30 p.m.

McCormick Tribune  
Campus Center  
Ballroom**Graduate One Stop Orientation and Registration Event**

An abbreviated orientation session designed for part-time U.S. graduate students but open to all U.S. graduate students, who may choose to attend either the One Stop event or the full Orientation Week activities outlined on this schedule. **\*\*Please note: This event is for U.S. citizens and U.S. Permanent Residents only.\*\***

6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

McCormick Tribune  
Campus Center  
Welcome Center**Check-In and Receive Orientation Materials**

Meet the orientation staff. Orientation program schedules will be available. New students also receive an IIT t-shirt and campus resource list. Materials are also available in the Welcome Center on January 4 and 6. Be sure to stop by the Access, Card, and Parking office to get your IIT ID Card between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

**Thursday, January 5**

9–4 p.m.

By Appointment Only

**Advising/Registration**

Undergraduate students must contact their academic advisors for an advising appointment. Graduate students who still need to register should contact their individual advisor.

McCormick Tribune  
Campus Center  
Welcome Center**Check-In and Orientation Headquarters Open**

Visit the orientation headquarters to meet current students and ask questions about everything IIT. If you are an international student, make sure you check in at the International Center and register for classes first.

9 a.m.

Hermann Hall  
Ballroom**Welcome Program**

Join the Dean of Students, Dean of the Graduate College, and SGA president for your official welcome to IIT!

IIT 101: This program begins directly after the welcome session and will be led by orientation leaders and other current IIT students.

**Group A:** Hermann Hall Ballroom**Group B:** Wishnick Hall – Room 113**Group C:** Perlstein Hall – Room 131**Group D:** MTCC Auditorium**Group E:** Stuart Building – Room 112J (OTS Computer Lab)

- 12:30 p.m.**  
McCormick Tribune  
Campus Center
- Student/Faculty Luncheon** *The Commons*  
Meet faculty and staff over your first lunch at The Commons
- Student Resource Fair** *Mies Bridge*  
After lunch explore the Student Resource Fair to learn important information about campus.
- 1:45 p.m.**  
Hermann Hall  
Gallery Lounge
- HawkCard Pictures Taken for International Students**  
Smile! It is time to take your picture for your Hawk Card. Meet the Orientation Leaders in the Gallery Lounge to be taken to the HawkCard office. This will also be the time to have any parking questions answered.
- 1:45 p.m.**  
Hermann Hall  
Ballroom
- Study Abroad**  
Even if you've never thought about traveling outside of the United States you'll be able to learn about all the tools to make it happen! Being that only 1% of American students study abroad, this can be a life changing opportunity that will provide you an "edge" over the other 99% that do not study abroad. Come learn about the overseas options, application process, and scholarship opportunities. See the world...study abroad! This program is designed for domestic graduate and undergraduate students.
- 2:15 p.m.**  
Hermann Hall  
Ballroom
- Financial Aid and Bursar**  
Learn more about your financial aid package and the IIT billing process. This program is designed for domestic graduate and undergraduate students.
- 2:45 p.m.**  
Hermann Hall  
Ballroom
- Family Educational Rights Privacy Act (FERPA)**  
Learn about what FERPA is and how it will have an impact on you and your family.
- 3:15 p.m.**  
Hermann Hall  
Ballroom
- Peer 2 Peer Violations**  
This short session will be addressing what a Peer 2 Peer violation is as well as the consequences for participating in one.
- 3:30 p.m.**  
Hermann Hall  
Ballroom
- Sexual Assault Prevention at IIT**  
Learn about how you can prevent sexual assaults on IIT's campus.
- 3:45 p.m.**  
Hermann Hall  
Armour Dining Room  
Lower Level
- Academic Expectations (Graduate Students)**  
Dr. Sud Nair, the Associate Dean of Academic Affairs and Professor in Mechanical Materials & Aerospace Engineering will talk about how you can be sure that you are academically successful while at IIT.
- 3:45 p.m.**  
Hermann Hall  
Ballroom
- Student Panel (Undergraduate Students)**  
Take a chance to sit down with new and returning students to get some questions answered straight from the source!
- 4:30 p.m.**  
Hermann Hall  
Lower Level
- BOG Social**  
Join new IIT students for bowling, billiards, and video games. Light refreshments will be served.

4:30 p.m.  
Hermann Hall  
Faculty Club Lounge

### **Community Resource Fair**

Set up a bank account, purchase a cell phone, and explore on campus housing options, etc.

Participating sponsors are:

**Banks:** Chase and Citibank

**Cell Phones:** T-Mobile and AT&T

**Housing & Food:** Dining

**University Resources:** Bursar

## **Friday, January 6**

9–4 p.m.  
McCormick Tribune  
Campus Center  
Welcome Center

### **Orientation Headquarters (HQ) Open**

Visit the orientation headquarters to meet current students and ask any questions you have!

### **Campus Tours**

Tours depart from Orientation HQ as needed

11:00 a.m.  
Hermann Hall  
Auditorium

### **Ethics in the Profession (Graduate Students)**

presented by: Bob Anderson, Director, Office of Technology Transfer and Intellectual Property. This presentation will focus on intellectual property, ethical issues in professional activities and business, and the IIT Academic Code of Honesty.

12:00–1:30 pm  
McCormick Tribune  
Campus Center  
Ballroom

### **New Graduate Student & Faculty Luncheon (Graduate Students)**

IIT faculty would like to welcome you to campus at a new graduate student luncheon. This is a wonderful opportunity to meet faculty as well as other new students in your department. All new graduate students are welcome to attend.

1:30 – 4:00 p.m.  
Hermann Hall  
2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

### **HawkCard Pictures Taken for Domestic Students**

Smile! It is time to take your picture for your Hawk Card. Follow the signs up to the HawkCard office to get your picture taken. This will also be the time to have any parking questions answered.

## **International Student Program**

2:00 p.m.  
Hermann Hall  
Auditorium

### **Immigration Basics & Employment for International Students**

All F-1 and J-1 international students are required to attend this session. Students will learn how to maintain immigration status and comply with U.S. laws and regulations. Students will also be introduced to the International Center staff and resources available through the International Center.

3:15 p.m.

### **Health, Wellness, and Safety**

The Center for Public Safety and the Center for Health and Wellness will lead a session for students to learn how they can maintain their physical and mental wellbeing while on campus. The Center for Health and Wellness will explain the resources available for students, including counselors, registered nurses, and more. They will also offer tips on using one's IIT insurance on and around campus. Ray Martinez, the Director of Public Safety, will offer tips and resources to help students stay safe on an urban campus.

4:15 p.m.

### **Introduction to American and Classroom Culture**

Come and learn about basic nuances of American culture both in and out of the classroom. This portion of Orientation is designed to help you be successful both in the classroom with your professors and in your day to day interactions with American citizens.

4:00 –6:00 p.m.

*Idea Shop*

### **iPad Distribution to new first-year or transfer students**

As a new first-year or transfer student entering IIT this spring semester 2012, you are eligible to receive a new iPad 2. Distribution will take place in the Idea Shop from 4:00 – 6:00 PM on Friday, January 6, 2012. Please remember to bring your student ID. In order to receive an iPad, you must be registered for **12 credit hours** or more, which constitutes full-time status. Please be sure to meet with your advisor to determine your course schedule and receive your registration pin so you can complete your registration, for 12 credit hours or more, prior to arriving for iPad pickup. An email was sent on Wednesday, December 21, 2011 to all potentially eligible new undergraduates.

#### **ADA Statement**

Illinois Institute of Technology provides individuals with disabilities reasonable accommodations to participate in university activities, programs and services. Individuals with disabilities requiring an accommodation to participate in an activity, program or service should call the activity, program or service director. For further information on IIT's resources for students, staff and faculty with disabilities contact: Center for Disability Resources, Illinois Institute of Technology, 3105 S. Dearborn, LS 252, Chicago, IL 60616 312.567.5744 [disabilities@iit.edu](mailto:disabilities@iit.edu)