



Widener University

Commonwealth Law School

2023 ORIENTATION and INTRODUCTION TO LEGAL PROCESS SCHEDULE

<p><u>Tuesday, August 15, 2023</u> 1:00 – 2:30 p.m.</p> <p>1:00 – 2:45 p.m. (Mandatory)</p>	<p><u>Student ID Photography</u> (<i>2nd Floor Library Building Audio/Visual Office</i>) You are strongly encouraged to upload your photo in advance of coming to campus so that your Widener ID is ready when you arrive.</p> <p>If you do not upload your photo in advance, please arrive on campus early to get your photo taken. You will not be able to access our buildings without a valid Widener ID.</p> <p><u>Registration/Check-In/Tours</u> (<i>Gallery in Administration Building</i>)</p>
<p>3:00 – 5:00 p.m. (Mandatory—IN PERSON)</p>	<p><u>Welcome</u> (<i>Room A180 in Administration Building</i>) Matthew Kerns, Associate Dean of Admissions Michael Hussey, Dean & Associate Professor of Law</p> <p><u>Getting to Know Our Team</u> Molly Acri Jamie Zadra Jeremy Wingert Jenalyn Johnson Tara Mead</p> <p><u>Getting to Know Career Development</u> Nicole Antos Elizabeth Simcox</p> <p><u>Getting to Know Your Widener IT</u> Brian Fearnbaugh Jon Poor</p> <p><u>Library Orientation</u> Susan Giusti, Co-Director Brent Johnson, Co-Director</p>
<p>5:00 – 6:00 p.m.</p>	<p><u>Dinner</u> (<i>Outside A180</i>)</p>
<p>6:00 – 8:30 p.m. (Mandatory—IN PERSON)</p>	<p><u>Introduction to Legal Process</u> (<i>A180 and Assigned Rooms</i>)</p>

<p><u>Wednesday, August 16, 2023</u></p> <p>2:00 – 4:30 p.m. (Mandatory—IN-PERSON)</p>	<p><u>Introduction to Legal Process</u> (A180)</p>
<p>4:30 – 6:00 p.m.</p>	<p><u>Dinner</u> (<i>Outside A180</i>)</p>
<p>6:00 – 8:30 p.m. (Mandatory—IN PERSON)</p>	<p><u>Introduction to Legal Process</u> (<i>Assigned Rooms</i>)</p>
<p><u>Thursday, August 17, 2023</u></p> <p>2:00 p.m. - 2:55 p.m. (Mandatory—IN PERSON)</p> <p>3:00 – 4:15 p.m.</p>	<p><u>Welcome from the Student Bar Association</u> John Merola, SBA President</p> <p><u>Getting to Know Student Affairs</u> Randi Teplitz, Dean of Students</p> <p><u>Diversity, Equity, Inclusion & Belonging at Widener Commonwealth</u> Michelle Davis, Chief Diversity Officer</p>
<p>4:30 – 6:00 p.m. (Mandatory—IN PERSON)</p> <p><u>Business attire is required</u></p>	<p><u>Welcome to the Profession Induction Ceremony and Reception</u> (<i>Room A180</i>)</p> <p><u>Welcoming Remarks and Introduction of Faculty & Keynote Speaker</u> Michael Hussey, Dean</p> <p><u>Alumni Remarks</u> Lynette Carter, '20 Marzzacco Niven & Associates</p> <p><u>Keynote Address & Affirmation of Professionalism,</u> Karoline Mehalchick, Chief Magistrate Judge United States Magistrate Judge for the Middle District of Pennsylvania Nominee, United States District Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania</p> <p><u>Dinner Reception</u></p>
<p>6:30 – 9:00 p.m. (Mandatory—IN PERSON)</p>	<p><u>Introduction to Legal Process</u> (<i>Assigned Rooms</i>)</p>
<p><u>Friday, August 18, 2023</u></p> <p>12:00 -1:00 p.m. (Mandatory--ZOOM)</p> <p>https://widener.zoom.us/j/91285389249</p>	<p>Financial Aid Entrance Counseling. Dana Moore, Financial Aid Director</p>

Saturday, August 19, 2023

9:30 – 11:45 a.m.

(Mandatory—IN PERSON)

Introduction to Legal Process Exam (A180)

Orientation Questions? Please do not hesitate to contact Randi Teplitz, Dean of Students, at rbteplitz@widener.edu.

Introduction to Legal Process Questions? Please do not hesitate to contact Professor Dimino at mrdimino@widener.edu.