

# Penn State Smeal MBA Program



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As you know, Orientation is required and begins on **Monday, August 11 and runs through Friday, August 22**. Although the detailed schedule will not be finalized for a few more weeks, we want you to be fully aware of what to expect when you arrive. You can plan on full days of activities with limited free time, so keep this in mind as you prepare for your move and schedule any appointments. If allowed by your lease agreement, we encourage you to arrive in State College no later than Friday, August 8th so you can get settled in and be fully prepared to begin Orientation.

Also, as you think about packing, please be sure to pack business casual, business professional, and casual clothing for orientation activities. View our [What to Pack page](#) for ideas on what you will need to kick-off your program. A great source of information as you prepare can be found on the Admitted Student Site under the [Incoming Student Checklist](#).

Some additional reminders for planning purposes:

1. [Submit your survey and photo by June 15](#)
2. [Complete your PCS and submit along with your resume by June 16](#)
3. [Complete Full-Time Expectation Study](#)
4. [Purchase your laptop](#)
5. [Review information on purchasing football tickets before June 23](#)

Sincerely,

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