

Full-Time Orientation Schedule 2018



Sunday, August 5th

11:00 – 2:00 p.m. **Welcome BBQ** | *Lunch provided* | Forum
Enjoy lunch with all the new incoming students!

12:00 – 1:00 p.m. **Spouses & Significant Others Panel** | Room 170
The Spouses & Significant Others Panel is not designed for law students. Please invite your spouse or significant other to attend.

Monday, August 6th

8:30 – 9:00 a.m. **Orientation Check-in** | *Light breakfast available* | 1st Floor

9:00 – 9:30 a.m. **Welcome & Orientation Overview** | Forum
Dr. Bruce Smith, Dean of the Sturm College of Law
Sara Lockhart, President of the Student Bar Association
Christopher Engle-Newman, Assistant Director of Student Affairs

9:30 – 10:00 a.m. **Orientation Leader Breakouts** | *various building locations*

10:00 – 12:00 p.m. **Denver Law Departmental Tours** with Orientation Leaders

12:00 – 1:00 p.m. **Community Lunch** | Joy Burns Center, Fritz Hospitality School

12:30 – 1:55 p.m. **DU Resources Fair | Administrative Tasks** | 1st & 2nd Floor
Get information on various campus resources, obtain your parking permit, RTD pass, & PioneerCard, and start/finish your Administrative Task To-Do List.

Academic Block

Time	Section 1 Room 125/155	Section 2 Room 280/270	Section 3 Room 180/170
2:00-3:10 p.m.	Intro to Legal System & Sources of Law	Intro to Legal System & Sources of Law	Intro to Legal System & Sources of Law
3:20-4:30 p.m.	Types of Legal Reasoning & Legal Methods	Types of Legal Reasoning & Legal Methods	Types of Legal Reasoning & Legal Methods

4:30 – 4:50 p.m. **Checkout** with Orientation Leaders | *various building locations*

6:00 – 7:00 p.m. **Wellness Session: Cycling Class** at the Coors Fitness Center
All Wellness Sessions are optional and are located at the Coors Fitness Center.

HELPFUL INFORMATION

Attire

*Monday
Business Casual*
*Tuesday
Business Attire*

*Wednesday
Outdoor casual*

*Thursday
Casual*

Meals Provided

*Light Breakfast
Monday*

*Lunch
Monday & Tuesday*

*Heavy Appetizers
Tuesday & Thursday afternoon*

Computers

Please bring laptops for all days.

Tuesday, August 7th

6:00 – 7:00 p.m. **Wellness Session: Power Hour at the Coors Fitness Center**

All Wellness Sessions are optional and are located at the Coors Fitness Center.

8:30 – 9:00 a.m. *Light refreshments available | 1st Floor*

9:00 – 9:30 a.m. **Welcome and Professionalism Introduction** | Forum
Jessica Boynton, Assistant Dean of Student Affairs
Nabil Rodriguez and Andrea Hagler, Co-Chairs of the Honor Board

9:30 – 10:10 a.m. **Keynote Address** | Forum
Justice William Hood, Colorado Supreme Court

Time	Section 1 – Room 165	Section 2A,B,C – Room 165	Section 2D & 3 – Room 190
10:20-11:10 a.m.	Becoming the Whole Lawyer: How to be the best possible lawyer for your future clients	Becoming the Whole Lawyer: How to be the best possible lawyer for your future clients	Well-being in the Legal Profession
11:20-12:10 p.m.	Well-being in the Legal Profession	Well-being in the Legal Profession	Becoming the Whole Lawyer: How to be the best possible lawyer for your future clients

12:20 – 1:10 p.m. **Faculty Break-out Lunch** | *Lunch provided* | various classrooms
Enjoy lunch with various faculty members! Check the back of your name-tag for your room assignment.

Academic Block

Time	Section 1 (Room 125/155)	Section 2 (Room 280/270)	Section 3 (Room 180/170)
1:20-2:30 p.m.	Reading & Understanding the Law Case-briefing	Reading & Understanding the Law Case-briefing	Reading & Understanding the Law Case-briefing
2:40-3:20 p.m.	Note-taking in Law Classes	Note-taking in Law Classes	Note-taking in Law Classes

3:20 – 3:50 p.m. **Checkout** with Orientation Leaders | various building locations

4:00 – 5:30 p.m. **Colorado Legal Community Welcome Fair** | Sturm College of Law Forum
Meet with representatives from the Colorado Bar Association, local bar associations, Inns of Court, and the Denver Alumni Council. A great way to begin connecting with the Colorado legal community and understanding the benefits of these organizations for students. Heavy appetizers, beer, and wine are provided. Please dress professionally as suggested.

5:00 – 5:30 p.m. **Pass the “Bar” – How to Survive Law School Sober** | Room 145

6:30 – 7:30 p.m. **Wellness Session: Yoga Sculpt at the Coors Fitness Center**

All Wellness Sessions are optional and are located at the Coors Fitness Center.

Wednesday, August 8th

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. **Day of Service**

All incoming 1Ls participate in an organized community service project, putting to action Denver Law's dedication to the public good. More information and details about the Day of Service will be shared at Orientation.

12:00 p.m. - 1:45 p.m. **Lunch on Your Own**

Break-out into your own groups and enjoy some of the restaurants around the DU area or bring your lunch for the day and mingle with others in the Forum.

Academic Block

Time	Section 1 (Room 125/155)	Section 2 (Room 280/270)	Section 3 (Room 180/170)
2:00-2:45 p.m.	Mock Class	Mock Class	Mock Class
2:45-3:15 p.m.	Debrief of the Socratic Method and Class Note-taking	Debrief of the Socratic Method and Class Note-taking	Debrief of the Socratic Method and Class Note-taking
3:30-4:15 p.m.	Study Methods / Preparing for Exams	Study Methods / Preparing for Exams	Study Methods / Preparing for Exams

4:15 - 4:45 p.m. **Checkout** with Orientation Leaders | various building locations

6:30 - 7:30 p.m. **Wellness Session:** HIIT Class at the Coors Fitness Center

All Wellness Sessions are optional and are located at the Coors Fitness Center.

Thursday, August 9th

7:00 – 7:45 a.m. **Wellness Session:** 4.5 mile run with Chris Engle-Newman. Meet on west patio of the law school.

Academic Block

Time	Section 1 - Room 125	Section 2 - Room 280	Section 3 - Room 180
9:30-10:30 a.m.	Practice Exam	Practice Exam	Practice Exam
10:40-11:10 a.m.	Exam Review in Groups	Exam Review in Groups	Exam Review in Groups

10:00 – 12:00 p.m. International Students: ISSS Orientation & Immigration Session | Room 259

11:15 – 12:00 p.m. **Final Check-Out** with Orientation Leaders | various building locations

12:00 – 12:45 p.m. **Student Organization Information Session** (Room 180)
Each student organization or journal listed here will have representatives to provide a brief overview of their organization and give you information on how you can get involved.

<i>Student Bar Association</i>	<i>Moot Court Board</i>	<i>Student Trial Lawyers Association</i>	<i>Law Ambassadors</i>	<i>Honor Board</i>
<i>Denver Law Review</i>	<i>Water Law Review</i>	<i>Journal of Int'l Law & Policy</i>	<i>Transportation Law Journal</i>	<i>Sports & Entertainment Law Journal</i>

1:00 – 4:00 p.m. **Finish Administrative Tasks**
Please refer to the Administrative Task To-Do List.

5:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. **Incoming Student Social | Peer Mentor Meet & Greet**
The Viewhouse - Downtown
Celebrate the end of orientation and/or meet your Peer Mentors (if assigned) at this spectacular celebration. Food is provided. Alcoholic beverages available for purchase.

6:40 p.m. **Colorado Rockies Game**
Coors Field | 2001 Blake Street, Denver, CO 80205
Enjoy the game in a section just for incoming Denver Law Students and their mentors!