

■ Tuesday, August 20 - Sunday, August 25

## WELCOME TO ORIENTATION Answering the Call of History

Dear New Yeshiva University Student,

On behalf of the entire community at Yeshiva University, we are thrilled to welcome you as you embark on your next chapter. This week, you will meet fellow students, discover the many support resources available to you and get settled on campus for an experience like no other. This is the beginning of your time at Yeshiva University, as you deepen your connection to your Jewish identity and your place in the history of our people. And, yes, there will be plenty of time for fun, too.

This year's Orientation theme is "Answering the Call of History." You are entering Yeshiva University at a time of significant challenge, change and promise for Jews in America, Israel and globally. More than ever, our community and the entire world needs you, the next generation of passionate, thoughtful and committed leaders. Orientation is the gateway to understanding how YU rises to this occasion, and how you will be part of this next generation of innovators and intellectuals, activists and achievers, providers and practitioners.

"Answering the Call of History" is more than just a theme; it's a summons to action. Now more than ever, it is easier and more tempting to give in to despair, cynicism or disengagement, but it is also more important than ever to ignite your passions, channel your talents and draw on the wealth of knowledge and values at your disposal. The extraordinary potential that lies within you can only be fully realized if you embrace the journey ahead and purposefully apply your power to make a difference.



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# OPEN DURING ORIENTATION

Beit Midrash 7th Floor, 245 Lexington Ave Learn with friends or stop by to see what's going on.

Orientation Station 245 Lexington Ave Lobby

Drop in to get answers about your schedule, connecting and more.

Basketball Gym 11th Floor, 245 Lexington Ave Wednesday, Aug. 21, 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Thursday, Aug. 22, 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Friday, Aug. 23, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

#### **TUESDAY (8/20)**

IOLSDAI (0/20)			
Time	Session		
1:00 pm- 8:00 pm	Student Arrival and Move-in  Brookdale Residence Hall		
1:40 pm & 6:10 pm	Mincha @ Adereth El		
4:00 pm - 4:30 pm	Guiding Your Student's Career Success (For Parents and Caregivers)  Room 101/102, 245 Lexington		
6:30 pm - 7:30 pm	Mechina Parents/Students Meet & Greet with Dean Shoshana Schechter  Room 101/102, 245 Lexington Ave		
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Dinner and Words of Welcome  Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave  Parents and caregivers, please join!		

## WEDNESDAY (8/21)

Slot	Time				
	7:00 am	Shacharit @ Adereth El 135 E 29th St, New York, NY 10016			
	9:30 am- 10:15 am	Breakfast & Schedule Building Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave  Put the "You" in YU and join the Office of Student Life to customize your orientation schedule. Pick from a plethora of options and craft your schedule based on your interests and needs. Need some guidance? Look out for an Orientation Leader who can answer any questions you may have.			
Α	10:30 am- 11:30 am	Stern College for Women Academic Overview Room 101/102, 245 Lexington Ave	How2@YU: Getting Connected Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave	Counseling Center Yagoda Commons, 215 Lexington Ave	Sy Syms Academic Overview Room 418, 245 Lexington Ave
В	11:45 am- 12:45 pm	How2@YU: Getting Connected Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave		Counseling Center Yagoda Commons, 215 Lexington Ave	Introduction to Library Services Hedi Steinberg Library (Second Floor, 245 Lexington Ave)
	1:00 pm- 1:45 pm	Lunch with Rabbi Dr. Ari Berman, President of YU Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave			

### WEDNESDAY (8/21)

Slot	Time				
С	2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Meet the Deans Beit Midrash (Seventh Floor, 245 Lexington Ave)	Staying Safe and Secure on Campus Room 101/102, 245 Lexington Ave	How 2 @ YU: CampusGroups + Caf Hacks Yagoda Commons, 215 Lexington Ave	How 2 @ YU: Campus Tour Meet in the Lobby of 245 Lexington Ave
D	3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Meet the Deans Beit Midrash (Seventh Floor, 245 Lexington Ave)	Staying Safe and Secure on Campus Room 101/102, 245 Lexington Ave	How2@YU: Getting Connected Room 301, 245 Lexington Ave	Introduction to Library Services Hedi Steinberg Library (Second Floor, 245 Lexington Ave)
	4:00 pm - 4:45 pm	Break			
E	4:45 pm- 5:30 pm	Introduction to Athletics Room 301, 245 Lexington Ave	International Student Orientation Room 101/102, 245 Lexington Ave	Introduction to Library Services Hedi Steinberg Library (Second Floor, 245 Lexington Ave)	Shiur Beit Midrash (Seventh Floor, 245 Lexington Ave)
	5:30 pm- 6:15 pm	Dinner  Kushner Dining Hall, 245 Lexington Ave			
	6:45 pm - 8:30 pm	Campus-wide Challah Bake with Avital Chizhik-Goldschmidt  Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave			

## **THURSDAY (8/22)**

Slot	Time			
	6:50 am	Shacharit @ Adereth El		
	9:30 am- 10:00 am	Breakfast  Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave		
F	10:00 am- 11:00 am	Healthy Relationships Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave	Shevet Glaubach Center for Career Strategy Yagoda Commons, 215 Lexington Ave	Katz School Welcome Session Room 301, 245 Lexington Ave
G	11:00 am- 11:50 am	Healthy Relationships Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave	Shevet Glaubach Center for Career Strategy Yagoda Commons, 215 Lexington Ave	How 2 @ YU: Student Study Skillz Room 301, 245 Lexington Ave
	12:00 pm - 12:45 pm	Torat Tzion Lunch Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave		
н	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	How 2 @ YU: Campus Tour Meet in the Lobby of 245 Lexington Ave	Academic Registration Sixth Floor, 215 Lexington Ave	Meet the Torah and Spiritual Life Team Beit Midrash (Seventh Floor, 245 Lexington Ave)

## **THURSDAY (8/22)**

Slot	Time			
1	2:15 pm - 3:00 pm	Stern College for Women Honors Program Orientation Yagoda Commons, 215 Lexington Ave	How 2 @ YU: CampusGroups + Caf Hacks Room 301, 245 Lexington Ave	How 2 @ YU: Who? What? Where? Room 306, 245 Lexington Ave
	3:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Break		
	5:15 pm - 6:30 pm	Dinner Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave		
	6:15 PM	Walking/Subway Groups Leave for Harry Potter, Six and WNBA Game  Meet Outside Brookdale		
	6:30 PM	Walking Group Leaves for Dave & Buster's  Meet Outside Brookdale		

#### FRIDAY (8/23)

Slot	Time		
	7:00 am	Shacharit @ Adereth El	
	11:00 am - 12:45 pm	<b>Brunch</b> Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave	
	4:30 pm - 5:30 pm	Nourish Your Neshama Room 101/102, 245 Lexington Ave End the week with some cholent and kugel as we welcome in shabbat.	
	7:23 pm	Candle Lighting See Next Page for Full Shabbat Schedule	

#### **Additional Friday Activities**

#### **Tour of the Met**

Framed: Biblical Conflicts on the Renaissance Canvas with Dr. Shaina Trapedo

#### **Tour of the Hispanic Society of America**

Hidden Gems of the HSA with Dr. Ronnie Perelis

Movie (TBD)

# BEREN CAMPUS AUGUST 24-25 ORIENTATION SHABBAT 24-25

### **FRIDAY NIGHT**

7:00 PM

Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv

Beit Midrash (Seventh Floor, 245 Lexington Ave)

7:23 PM

**Candle Lighting** 

8:15 PM

**Dinner** 

Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave

9:30 PM

Answering the Call of History: Students' Perspectives

Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave

9:15 PM -Midnight **Snacks and Games** 

Brookdale Back Lounge



# BEREN CAMPUS AUGUST 24-25 ORIENTATION SHABBAT 24-25

### **SHABBAT DAY**

9:00 AM

Shacharit

Beit Midrash (Seventh Floor, 245 Lexington Ave)

11:15 AM

Kiddush Followed by Shiurim

Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave

1. Rabbi Azi Fine (Room 306, 245 Lexington Ave)

2. Dr. Jonathan Schwab (Room 101/102, 245 Lexington Ave)

3.TBD

12:00 PM

Lunch

Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington

From College to Calling: How YU Shaped Our Professional Lives

FOLLOWING LUNCH

Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave

6:40 PM Mincha

Room 101/102, 245 Lexington Ave

7:00 PM Seuda Shlishit with Dean Shoshana Schechter

Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave

8:23 PM Maariv/ Havdalah

Koch Auditorium, 245 Lexington Ave

9:30 PM Melava Malka/ Ice Cream Party

Back Lounge, Brookdale Residence Hall



## **SUNDAY (8/25)**

Slot	Time		
	8:30 am	Shacharit @ Adereth El	
	9:00 am	Buses Leave for Six Flags Great Adventure  Meet Outside 245 Lexington Ave	
	11:00 am - 12:30 pm	Brunch Room 101/102, 245 Lexington Ave	
	5:15 pm	Buses Leave to Wilf for BBQ and Concert  Meet Outside 245 Lexington Ave	
	5:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Dinner Kushner Dining Hall, 245 Lexington Ave	
	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Welcome Back BBQ Tenzer Garden, Wilf Campus	
	8:00 pm	Buses Return to Beren Campus Meet Outside Zysman Hall	

## EXPLORE NYC

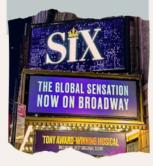
#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 22

Sign Up Via CampusGroups - Spots Are Limited!



#### BROADWAY SHOW SIX

- Walking Group Leaves from Brookdale at 6:15 PM
- For Beren Students







#### BROADWAY SHOW HARRY POTTER AND THE CURSED CHILD

- Walking Group Leaves from Brookdale at 6:15 PM
- For Beren and Wilf Students







#### Subway Group Leaves from Brookdale at

WINGS

 For Beren Students

6:15 PM







#### DAVE AND BUSTERS

- Walking Group Leaves from Brookdale at 6:30 PM
- For Beren and Wilf Students











# BAKE WITH AVITAL CHIZHIK-GOLDSCHMIDT





Avital Chizhik-Goldschmidt is a writer living in New York City. She is a news editor at The Real Deal and her work has appeared in the Atlantic, New York Times, Foreign Policy, and Vogue among others. Avital has taught journalism at the Columbia Graduate School of Journalism and at Yeshiva University's Stern College for Women. Avital does pastoral work alongside her husband Rabbi Benjamin Goldschmidt in the synagogue they co-founded, the Altneu, on Manhattan's Upper East Side.





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Select "School Login" and select "Yeshiva University." The prompt will ask for your YU AD, which can be found on yu.edu/findid. Continue to follow the prompts.

You are all set! Browse the app to register for your Orientation sessions!

To log in on your laptop, head to yeshiva.campusgroups.com and repeat Step #2.



