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in Graduate Education

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WELCOME TO MIZZOU!

Welcome to mid-Missouri, the University of Missouri, to our Botanical Garden, and your future in higher education! We are delighted to have another cohort of TigerView participants spend two and a half days attending professional development workshops, learning about our campus offerings - from our academic programs to our support services -, and engaging with our community.

Our hope is that this visit provides you with the tools and information you need to make an informed decision about your graduate education. The program is designed to connect you with Faculty, Staff and Graduate Students at Mizzou that can provide you with a wide range of perspectives on what your life will be like when you return as a Tiger.

We encourage you to spend these next few days asking questions, making friends, and enjoying yourself. It is a fast-paced visit, and only a glimpse of what we have to offer, but we believe this is just the beginning of a life-long connection between you and Mizzou.

As our Chancellor Dr. Cartwright ends his communications: M-I-Z!
(You will be able to reply to this at the end of your visit.)

Sincerely,

Dr. Raquel A. Arouca and
the TigerView Team.



ORIGINS OF THE CAMPUS VISITATION PROGRAM

Since 1990, MU has sponsored Campus Visitation Programs (CVP) for diverse students. At first, the program consisted of one day of events where participants attended workshops in the morning, toured the campus and talked with programs in the afternoon. In 1998, MU received one of the first National Science Foundation's grants from the Minority Graduate Education program (HRD #9817233), later renamed Alliances for Graduate Education and the Professoriate (AGEP). Through the grant's initiatives and commitment from MU, CVP was re-branded as Emerge. It also capitalized in LS-AMP summer undergraduate research program to reach more students. Emerge extended the visitation program to two-days, which included attending the homecoming game.

Unfortunately, there were no programs in 2013 and 2014; however, in 2015, new leadership at the Graduate School renamed and re-started the program as TigerView, added workshops about funding, financial literacy, campus climate, and engaged current diverse graduate students at MU to talk with visiting students.

Therefore, welcome the fifth cohort of the TigerView programs which brings us to our 28th campus visitation program (combined CVP, Emerge, TigerView) to promote diversity and inclusion in graduate education.

Thank you for being a part of our history and efforts to bring multiple perspectives and increase access to higher education in Missouri and the U.S. We wish you the best in your future educational journey.

PREVIOUS COHORTS

2015

Glenn Gilyot *
Jasmine Hall
Quincy Hardy
Christine Nguyen
Gabby Rentuma
Adam Roberts

2016

Anster Charles *
Max Duroseau *
Precious Hardy *
Jasmyn Sanders
Yanni Snowden-Bullock *
Daphne Valerius *

2017

Anthony Arce
Alexis Boyer
Nana Britwum
Selchia Cain
Breiona Catching
Sandra Espinoza Montes
Miracle Hall
Sterling Knox
Michaela Martinez
Jessica Melendez
Phi Khanh Nguyen *
Arsene Noe
Marcelle Peters *
Nikita Ramakrishnan
Kenya Spears
Shaun Williams

2018

Jessica Bowen
Joshua Brooks *
Anna Haber
Eileen Kysar
Madison Lawler
Bram Luciano-Vazquez
Luisa Mader
Muhammad Mussadiq
Nam Nguyen
Edgar Joel Soto-Moreno *
Charlie Su
Rachael Varnes



CENTER OF INCLUSIVE EXCELLENCE (CIE)

We CARE*! The Center for Inclusive Excellence in Graduate Education (CIE) is dedicated to promoting a diverse campus community through engagement with current and future students; partnerships with faculty and staff; presentations/workshops that further the knowledge of the value of diversity in graduate education; and providing information for underrepresented students about navigating graduate admissions' processes. The diversity initiatives offered by CIE involve all phases of graduate education - recruitment, admissions, retention, and degree completion - as well as addressing issues of campus climate.

Currently, CIE has three main initiatives: TigerView Campus Visitation Program, Glimpse into Graduate School Seminar Series, and First Year Scholars (previously First Year Fellows). Three initiatives are in pilot or under development phases: Grad Wellness walk - weekly 30 min walk with CIE's director; Scholar's Leadership Program (planning phase); and use of telepresence technology to connect first generation graduate students' families with selected aspects of their lives on campus, TiBot (pending IRB).

All our efforts are based on CARE- Connection, Advocacy, Removing Barriers, and Engagement. We hope to see you at Mizzou and part of our community soon!

You belong here!

2019 TIGERVIEW

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Dejun Jackson

University of Mississippi

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University of Central Missouri

Morgan Jackson

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SCHEDULE

Day 1

September 29, 2019

3:45 pm	Hampton Inn & Suites (1225 Fellows Place)
5:00 p.m.	Greetings and Welcome Drs. Hart and Arouca
5:15 p.m.	Workshop - First Impressions Blake Willoughby
6:30 p.m.	Dinner at Stadium Grill (Next door to the Hotel)

Day 2

September 30, 2019

7:30 a.m.	Meet at the Hotel Lobby (1225 Fellows Place)
7:40 a.m.	Depart from Hotel (promptly)
8:00 a.m.	Welcome (Memorial Union N 201C)
8:15 - 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast
9:15 - 10:15 a.m.	Tour of Campus
10:15 - 10:40 a.m.	Break (Memorial Union N 201C)
10:40 - 11:00 a.m.	Overview of Graduate School Application Raquel Arouca
11:00 - 12:00 p.m.	Workshop - Personal Statement Writing Center
12:05 p.m.	Mindfulness Exercise

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Day 2 - Continued

12:15 - 1:30 p.m.	Lunch
1:45 - 2:20 p.m.	Internal and External Funding for Graduate School Dr. Lissa Behm-Morawitz and Ms. Rachel Newman
2:30 - 3:30 p.m.	Ask a Graduate Student
3:30 p.m.	Mindfulness Exercise
3:35 p.m.	Break
3:45 p.m.	The 15 minute workshop: Questions to ask Raquel Arouca
4:00 - 5:00p.m.	CV/Resume Dr. Laura Page
5:00 - 5:30p.m.	Visit the Mizzou Store (Student Center)
5:30 p.m.	Return to hotel and break (1225 Fellows Place)
6:15 p.m.	Leave for Dinner
6:30 p.m.	Heidelberg's 9th St
8:00 p.m.	Sparky's Homemade Ice Cream



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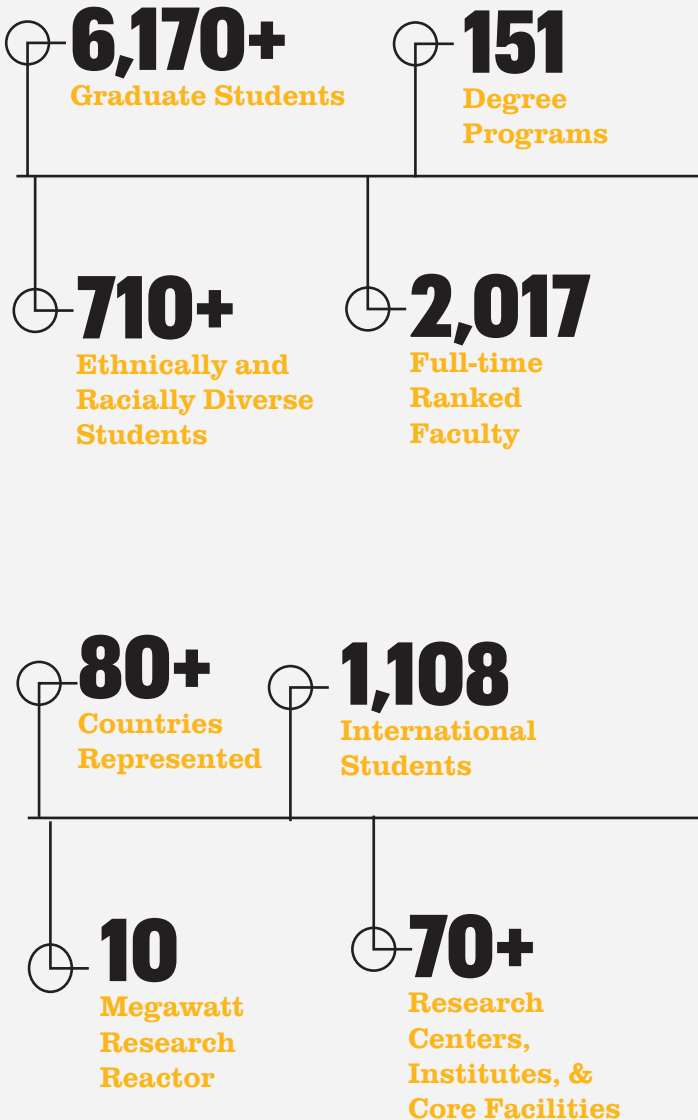
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Day 3

October 1, 2019

	NOTE: Breakfast at the Hotel
8:15 - 8:30 a.m.	Meet at Hotel Lobby (1225 Fellows Place)
8:30 a.m.	Depart from Hotel
8:45 - 9:00 a.m.	Meet representatives from Programs (Rotunda at Jesse Hall)
9:00 - 12:00 p.m.	Program Visit (individual schedule)
12:15 - 12:30 p.m.	Meet Raquel and Graduate Students (Memorial Union N 201A)
12:30 - 1:30 p.m.	Lunch with Graduate Students (Campus Dining)
1:30 - 2:00 p.m.	Presentation: Campus Climate (Memorial Union N 201A)
2:15 p.m.	Mindfulness Exercise
2:20 p.m.	Break
2:30 - 3:15 p.m.	Workshop: Networking and LinkedIn Ryan Murray
3:15 - 4:00 p.m.	Financial Literacy Financial Success Office
4:00 - 4:15 pm	Break
4:15 - 5:00 p.m.	Connections: Campus Resources
5:05 p.m.	Return to Hotel
6:15	Leave for Dinner
6:30 p.m.	Closing Dinner Bleu Private Dining Room (3919 S Providence Rd)
8:30 p.m.	Return to Hotel

FACTS



ABOUT MIZZOU

21
Schools
& Colleges

1839
Established

10
National
Academy
of Science
Members

\$205
Millions
In Annual
Research
Expenditures

317,000
Alumnx
Worldwide

60+
Graduate
Student
Organizations

\$3.9B
Impact on
Missouri
Economy

1,262
Acre Botanical
Garden

YOU BELONG AT MIZZOU!



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