



November 17th, 2018

FALL SCHOLARSHIP DAY

Welcome to Fall Scholarship Day at Gustavus Adolphus College!

Thank you for making the trip to St. Peter and preparing yourself for today. You have joined a talented group of students on campus for this event, and we could not be more excited to have you here. Please use this master schedule to explore your options throughout the day, and do not hesitate to ask if there is anything we can do to be of assistance. Call the Admission Office at 507-933-7676 with any questions or additional needs throughout the day.

OVERVIEW

Scholarship Day Headquarters

9:30 AM – 12:30 PM; *Beck Hall Atrium*

After the welcome session, the Beck Hall Atrium will be your home base for today's events, whether you are looking to visit with someone from the admission office, ask financial questions, connect with a student tour guide, or learn more about academic offerings and our campus community. We are happy to help with anything you may need!

Personal interviews and auditions will take place in Beck Hall, Old Main and the Music, Theatre/Dance, and Art Buildings; students are encouraged to arrive at the interview location about 10 minutes before their scheduled interview time, unless more time is needed to warm-up for an audition. During interviews and auditions, we ask that parents and other guests enjoy the Beck Atrium, Jackson Campus Center, Courtyard Cafe, and other common areas on campus.

Other events are open to all students and families; parents and other visitors are encouraged to take advantage of sessions, tours, and other activities or relax in the Beck Hall Atrium.

Tours

9:30 AM - 12:00 PM; *Beck Hall 144 (West end of Atrium)*

When you are ready for a tour, check in and we will connect you with a tour guide. In addition to the tours below, we are happy to provide student-led tours of specific buildings and facilities at your request. Please inquire for more details.

Campus tours are designed for either the first-time visitor or a refresher if you have already seen campus. You will see most of our academic buildings, recreation and wellness spaces, the library, Christ Chapel, and the campus center. Plan on **an hour** for a full campus tour.

Residence hall tours give you the opportunity to see two of our first-year residence halls, Norelius and Pittman. Residence Hall tours leave at your convenience and last approximately **25 minutes**.

Instrumentation & technology tours are guided by upperclass science students and will include laboratories, research equipment and spaces students use to engage in undergraduate research alongside our faculty members. Plan for **25 minutes** for this tour, **departing at every half-hour between 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM**.

Performing arts tours are given by students active in our performing arts departments and may feature a visit to our music library, private studios, rehearsal space and the recital hall depending on your area of interest. You can also see Anderson Theatre and its backstage areas including the scene shop and costume shop. This tour will last **25 minutes**.



Schedule of the Day

8:30 - 9:00 AM Check-in, *Christ Chapel*

9:00 - 9:20 AM Scholarship Day Welcome & Overview, *Christ Chapel*

9:30 - 9:55 AM

PANEL: Achieving Excellence at Gustavus, *Beck Hall 101 (also at 10:00 AM)*

This interactive session features high-achieving students discussing leadership, service, research, extracurricular involvement, and more. Come hear how opportunities at Gustavus will positively impact your academic experience.

SESSION: Athletics, *Beck Hall 201*

Our athletic director will talk about NCAA Division III athletics at Gustavus. Topics may include academic/athletic balance, managing schedules, the athletic experience, the recruiting process, and any other questions you may have.

SESSION: Three Crowns Curriculum, *Beck Hall 301*

Gustavus is distinctive in having two general education choices. The Three Crowns Curriculum, which is limited to sixty students, is an integrated sequence of courses focused on the development of the Western tradition with comparisons to non-Western cultures, the examination of values, and the theme of the individual and community.

10:00 - 10:25 AM

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PANEL: Families- Your Questions Answered, *Beck Hall 201*

Families, make sure to take advantage of this panel, featuring faculty and administrators from various areas of academic life and student services. It is a wonderful opportunity to dig deeper into life as a Gustie for your student.

SESSION: Why Gustavus? *Beck Hall 301 (also at 10:30 AM)*

This faculty-led session will explore how a Gustavus education prepares students for life after college. Through a discussion about what happens in our classrooms, opportunities for academic exploration on and off campus, and the experiences of our recent graduates, you will learn what makes a Gustavus education distinct and our graduates distinctive.

10:30 - 10:55 AM

PANEL: Fine Arts, *Beck Hall 101*

A panel of current Gusties will answer questions and discuss their involvement in music, art, theatre, and dance at Gustavus.

PANEL: Undergraduate Research, *Beck Hall 201 (also at 11:00 AM)*

Undergraduate research is an important part of the Gustavus academic experience; students from a variety of disciplines present their collaborative research at forums and conferences around the country. This panel will allow you to ask questions of current students who have worked closely with faculty and their peers on various research topics.

SESSION: Why Gustavus? *Beck Hall 301 (also at 10:00 AM)*

11:00 - 11:25 AM

SESSION: Pre-Health Programs, *Beck Hall 101 (also at 11:30 AM)*

Our exceptional science curriculum and dedicated advising resources provide phenomenal preparation for medical and professional school. Ask questions and learn about the hallmarks of our programs, distinctive opportunities, where our students are attending medical and graduate school and what makes them strong applicants.

PANEL: Undergraduate Research, *Beck Hall 201 (also at 10:30 AM)*

SESSION: Study Away, *Beck Hall 301 (also at 11:30 AM)*

Our study-away options include semester, year-long, or January-term programs on six continents, allowing students to fully customize their experience based on their goals and curricular needs. These options for studying away - and how to sort through the choices - will be covered in this presentation.

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12:00 - 12:30 PM Faculty-Led Academic Information Sessions

Join representatives from your area of interest for a brief presentation and question-and-answer session to learn more about our strong academic programs.

Biology, *Beck Hall 101*

Chemistry, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, *Beck Hall 201*

Communication Studies, *Beck Hall 311*

Economics and Management, *Beck Hall 111*

Elementary and Secondary Education, *Beck Hall 113*

Geography, Geology, and Environmental Studies, *Beck Hall 115*

Health and Exercise Science: Athletic Training, Exercise Physiology, Physical and Health Education, *Beck Hall 117*

Humanities: English, Classics, Philosophy, Religion, Scandinavian Studies, History, Languages, etc., *Beck Hall 211*

Mathematics, Computer Science & Statistics, *Beck Hall 213*

Nursing, *Beck Hall 215*

Physics and Pre-Engineering, *Beck Hall 217*

Political Science and Gender, Women, and Sexuality Studies, *Beck Hall 313*

Psychological Science, *Beck Hall 219*

Sociology and Anthropology, *Beck Hall 317*

Luncheons

Please refer to your individual schedule for your assigned luncheon time and location. These luncheons are designed to be convenient and should fit into your personal schedule. Enjoy a delicious meal and engage in conversation with current Gusties. As you leave the luncheon, we will send you off with a small gift to thank you for joining us today!

THE COURTYARD CAFE | 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Don't miss our campus coffee shop in the lower level of the Jackson Campus Center. Visit Brenda and enjoy a cup of organic 'Peace Coffee,' latte, espresso, or the "Scholarship Day Special!" This is another great place to explore during your down time.

THE BOOK MARK | 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Visit our campus bookstore to score Gustie gear, browse for gifts, and learn more about books by Gustavus authors. Use the coupon in your folder!

OTHER EVENTS

Experience the Gustavus community just as our students do!

Swimming & Diving hosts Grace Goblirsch Invite

Lund Center

10:00 AM

Social Justice Soup: Lost and Found Monologues

Kresge Studio

2:30 PM

Women's Basketball hosts Martin Luther

Lund Center

3:00 PM

International Festival

Alumni Hall

5:30 PM

Men's Basketball hosts Northwestern-St. Paul

Lund Center

7:00 PM





Today's Featured Speakers



Rebecca M. Bergman, PhD | President of Gustavus Adolphus College

Rebecca M. Bergman is the 17th President of Gustavus Adolphus College. Prior to assuming the presidency in July 2014, Ms. Bergman had a 26-year career at Medtronic, Inc., a leading medical technology company. She most recently served as Vice President, Research, Technology and Therapy Delivery Systems for Medtronic's Cardiac Rhythm Disease Management business. Ms. Bergman holds a B.S. degree in Chemical Engineering from Princeton University, completed graduate studies in Chemical Engineering and Materials Science at the University of Minnesota, is a member of the National Academy of Engineering, and has received honorary doctorate degrees from Drexel University and St. Catherine University. President Bergman believes in the inherent strengths of the Gustavus community, the passion of the faculty and students for teaching and learning, and the commitment of the College to its core values. She is a champion of mission-driven organizations, innovation, and the development of future leaders.



Alisa Rosenthal, PhD | Assoc. Provost and Dean of Sciences and Education

Dr. Alisa Rosenthal is currently serving as Associate Provost and Dean of Sciences and Education in the Provost's Office. She also serves as Special Assistant to the President for Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion. In this role, she oversees and coordinates the College's implementation of strategic plan initiatives designed to diversify the Gustavus community. As a Professor of Political Science, Dr. Rosenthal was recognized for outstanding teaching and awarded both the Edgar M. Carlson Award for Distinguished Teaching and the Swenson-Bunn Memorial Award for Teaching Excellence.



Tom Young '88 | Vice President for Institutional Advancement

Thomas Young has enjoyed a 22-year distinguished career as a fundraiser and volunteer organizer. As Vice President for Advancement, he is responsible for the College's fundraising and stewardship activities as well as engagement of the 28,000 alumni. Born in Brainerd, MN, he spent his formative years in Stockholm, Sweden and Fargo, ND, and graduated from Gustavus in 1988 with majors in Speech Communications and Scandinavian Studies.