Welcome to the MSA Class of 2017

On behalf of the staff and faculty at Wake Forest University School of Business, we are thrilled that you will join us in the upcoming academic year. Now that you've decided to attend Wake Forest, let's talk about next steps. Please be sure to check out the Admitted Student Website by clicking [HERE](#). Also, keep an eye out for this weekly student newsletter. The newsletter will arrive in your inbox each Thursday, providing you with any updates for the week ahead.

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**Market Readiness and Employment Survey**

If you have not done so already, please take a moment to fill out this survey by clicking [HERE](#). This is also necessary in order to register for Meet the Firms.

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**Housing Highlight**

We understand that most of you will begin to select housing over the next few months. Some of you may be interested in finding a roommate. [HERE](#) you will find a Google Doc that will allow you to express interest in a
While we will not be able to match you to a roommate, we will be able to provide means for you to do so yourself.

Each week we will highlight a student housing option in our area. This week, we will highlight -

**Winston Factory Lofts**

Winston Factory Lofts may be one of the most unique options for our students who want to experience the downtown area of Winston-Salem. Originally built in 1920, the Hanes factory building has been renovated and converted into upscale, luxury, loft apartments. This apartment complex is walking distance to bars, coffee houses, parks and restaurants. Rent includes water, cable and internet. Amenities include, a fitness center, pool, indoor parking, fire pit, rooftop decks, 18 seat movie theater, pet parks and pool tables. If you are interested in learning more about Winston Factory Lofts, click [HERE](#).

**Previously Highlighted Housing**

- Wake Forest Properties
- Deacon's Station
Red Carpet Weekend & Meet the Firms

Please keep in mind that these are two separate events and you must register for each individually.

JOIN US FOR A WEEKEND AT WAKE

April 8 - 9, 2016 • Winston-Salem, NC

This annual event is a favorite among students - you don't want to miss it!

Meet your future classmates • Engage in team-building activities • Explore Wake Forest University and the surrounding city • Interact with our Dean, faculty, staff and current students

See website link below for more details on all weekend activities.

Red Carpet Weekend

Meet the FIRMS

We strongly encourage all incoming MSA students, who plan to complete a winter 2017 internship, to attend and meet key contacts at hiring firms including:

COHN REZNICK • DELLOITE •
DHG • EY • GRANT THORNTON •
KPMG • NC DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE •
PWC • RSM

There is no cost to attend Meet the Firms. Business Professional attire is required.

RSVP by March 29, 2016. Registration required
business.wfu.edu/redcarpetMSA

Student Spotlight

**Undergraduate University:** Washington & Lee
**Undergraduate Major:** Accounting
**Hometown:** Orangeburg, SC

**Fun Facts:** Candace graduated as Valedictorian from her high school before attending W&L. She served as the President of her sorority, Delta Sigma Theta and Treasurer of the Student Association for Black Unity

**Career Plans:** Candace will begin full time as an Audit Associate with Deloitte in Charlotte.

**Advice to Future Students:** Attend professors' office hours. By doing this, you get to learn more about the subject you are studying and build rapport with professors.
Happy St. Patrick's Day! Finnegan's Wake has always been a local hangout and a student favorite. Each year on St. Patrick's Day, Finnegan's hosts an all day celebration of the holiday. The event includes traditional Irish foods and beverages, as well as a bag pipe processional and live wake.

Winston-Salem is home to many professional organizations that want to help better the community. On Saturday, March 19th from 1pm – 4pm, The Winston-Salem Jaycees will have an event to celebrate Pi Day and also to raise funds for their Outstanding Young Leaders (OYL) Scholarship Program. $10 will buy you all of the pie you care to eat.
Venture over to Reynolda House to find rotating exhibits like the one featured below. Students receive free admission! Click HERE for more information.
Local Business Highlight

Foothills Brewing has been crafting their brew since March of 2005. They started with three 15-barrel fermenters, producing about 800 barrels in their first year and doubled production that following year. Today, they produce in an off-site warehouse however, customers can still stop by the pub for a drink and a bite to eat. This is a great place for students to go watch the game.

Important Dates

Meet the Firms - April 8th
Red Carpet Weekend - April 8th - 9th
*New Orientation Dates* August 24th - 26th

Please be sure to join the Facebook group if you have not done so already, by clicking the icon below!