



Congratulations Graduates!

The LSU Family Association would like to congratulate all of our parents and families with a student graduating this semester!

The spring 2017 Commencement Ceremonies will be held May 12. More information can be found [here](#).



Campus Updates

Upcoming Dates & Events

Monday-Saturday, May 1-6: Final Examinations

To see the 2016-2017 Academic Calendar, please click [here](#).

LSU Library Hours

Middleton Library is operating on a 24 hour basis between Sunday and Thursday. For a full calendar of hours for the fall semester, please click [here](#).

A Note from the President

Dear Tiger Families,

Commencement is right around the corner, and it is an event we should all celebrate, no matter if your Tiger is just wrapping up their first year or already trying on their cap and gown. At LSU, our sense of community sets us apart from other universities: we are one big family, and families celebrate each others' successes. While it might not be your student's turn to walk across the stage just yet, seeing friends and peers achieve this milestone provides the momentum and encouragement our Tigers need to make it to the finish line.



I encourage you to attend our main ceremony on Friday, May 12, at 8 a.m. The event will also be live-streamed for those who live far away. For more information, visit www.lsu.edu/commencement. And as always, thank you for trusting us with your Tigers.

Sincerely,

F. King Alexander

LSU President



STRIPES 2017

Do you know a Tiger starting at LSU in the fall of 2017? Encourage them to register for STRIPES! Registration is now open [here](#), where you can find session dates, information on fee waivers, and more. Questions? Email stripes@lsu.edu.





It's Almost Time to Move Out

Residence halls and apartments close for the semester on Saturday, May 6, 2017, at 8:00 p.m. Students must check out within 24 hours of their last exam or by 8:00 p.m. on May 6, 2017, whichever comes first. Students should schedule a check out time and complete the check-out process with their RA to avoid charges.

End of the Year Donations

When your student is packing to move out, encourage him or her to donate any unwanted items that are in good condition to the annual move-out donation drive. Collection bins will be placed in each hall's lobby for students to donate items that will benefit Baton Rouge's St. Vincent de Paul.

Does your student need summer housing?

Res Life offers on-campus accommodations for students enrolled summer courses with a fall housing assignment. Tell your Tiger to stop by Grace King Hall this week to get information about living on campus this summer, including rates and room availability.

Have a New Tiger Living on Campus for Fall 2017?

Room assignments for incoming Tigers are well under way! Haven't applied yet? No problem! Residential Life is still accepting applications for fall 2017.

Once your student has their room assignment, it is time to plan for Move-In Day on August 16, 2017! Check out the Res Life website for more details about Move-In Day, what to pack, microfridge rentals, and express move in services.





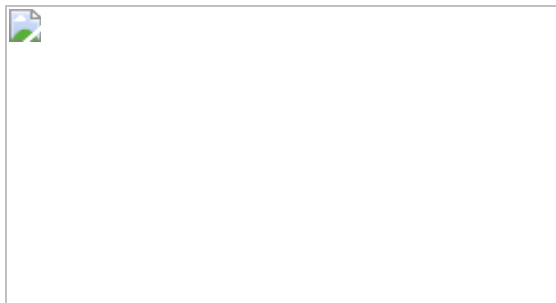
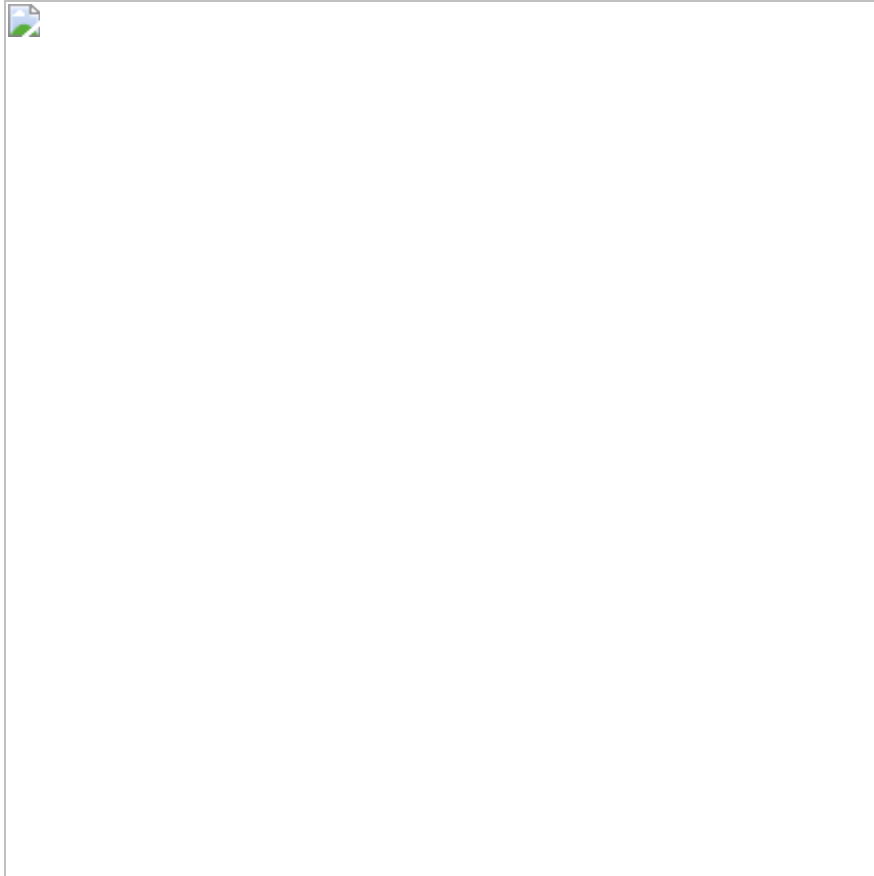
With only exams remaining to put the finishing touches to the 2016-17 year, students need to be encouraged to finish strong. Once that's accomplished, it's a great time for your student to take stock of their year. How did they do? Are they on the right track? Are they questioning their career choice or major? What's next? How can they use the summer to explore their future or gain valuable experience? The LSU Olinde Career Center offers a wide range of resources and services, many of which are online and all are available throughout the summer.

Here are just a few suggestions:

- Career assessments help students discover careers that match their unique skills, interests and personality, and point toward college majors that prepare them for these fields.
- What Can I Do with This Major demonstrates a wide range of options in each academic field.
- Careers2Geaux is a one-stop treasure trove of job postings, employer contacts, company information, schedule of events and more. Every LSU student is provided a free account.
- The Student Career Guide contains information about “all things career” from career discovery to résumé writing guidance, job search tips and strategies for success. It also contains information for students considering or applying to graduate or professional school.
- Appointments are available throughout the summer and certain appointments can be conducted by phone for those who are leaving the Baton Rouge area. Students are encouraged to meet with a career counselor or career specialist to discuss where they are on the Four Year Career Plan and what next steps will lead to success.
- Networking with family members, neighbors and friends may be surprisingly helpful in linking your student to professionals to learn more about fields of interest. Networking leads to industry and career knowledge and confidence and may open the door to job opportunities, as well. Just ask!

Whatever stage in career development your student is currently in, we are here to help them with expert advising and counseling. Investing time this summer in career exploration and preparation will pay off in career confidence and future rewards.

For more information about the LSU Olinde Career Center and our resources and services, please visit our [website](#).



Located within the Barnes and Noble at LSU, the LSU Tech Store provides the latest Apple® products at affordable education pricing and we fix what we sell. So, if your tiger has trouble with their device, from software instillation to a cracked computer screen right before finals, they do not even need to leave campus for help. Additionally, if you purchase an Apple device with us, you will have priority access to our service center, meaning you are always at the front of the line. We are here to help students get the technology needed to succeed while saving as much money as possible. If you have any questions, please email us at LSUTechStore@gmail.com or call (225)578-9304.

Safety Information

Parents, be sure your son/daughter has signed up to receive emergency text messages. [Click here to learn how they can sign up via myLSU.](#)



The Cook Hotel



Experience LSU hopes you have enjoyed reading the May Email Update and that you found the information helpful. Please contact us if we can be of assistance to you and your family.

Sincerely,
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