



Orientation Schedule 2017 Undergraduate Students

Monday, August 14

All events are required, unless specified in event description.

International Student Events

9:00am-11:00am	<p>Orientation Expo for International Students (507) Welcome to SFCM! Please pick up your Orientation Funpass, complete your Immigration/Visa Check-in, and visit the various Expo stations to help you get ready for school! Please be prepared and organized; if you have a complicated situation the staff may set up an appointment with you at their office later in the week.</p> <p>Stations are: International Student Services, SFCM ID Photo, Information Technology, Financial Aid, Business Office and Student Accounts, Audition Sign-ups</p> <p>Materials to bring: --International Student Services - Your Passport/Visa, I-20, and Your Most Recent I-94 Form (https://i94.cbp.dhs.gov/i94/) --Financial Aid (if you have not already submitted forms in advance, which is recommended) -All students receiving scholarship must have turned in: 1. A signed award letter; 2. A signed Terms and Conditions form -All Students receiving any federal aid must have turned in: 1. A signed award letter; 2. A signed Terms and Conditions form; 3. Completed their master promissory note and entrance counseling through studentloans.gov -All Students receiving a PLUS loan must have turned in: 1. A signed award letter; 2. A signed Terms and Conditions form; 3. Completed their master promissory note and entrance counseling through studentloans.gov; 4. Completed their SFCM Grad Plus or Parent Plus loan application --Your SFCM email and network log-in information --A smile for your ID photo!</p>
9:15am-10:45am	Breakfast (5th Floor Student Lounge)
9:45am-10:45am	50 Oak Building Tours (Meet at 5th Floor Student Lounge) Optional tour of SFCM.
11:15am-12:15pm	Welcome and Academic Success for International Students (Recital Hall) Please bring a pencil/pen and paper to take notes.
12:15pm-1:30pm	Lunch for International Students (Salon)
1:45pm-3:30pm	International English Assessment Exam (Last names A-L room 319, M-Z room 323) Required for non-native English speaking students. This exam includes both written and oral diagnostics.

Optional for Domestic Students - Get Started Early!

11:00am-4:00pm	<p>Orientation Expo Early Start (507) If you are in town early this day, you can get started after the international students have completed the Expo. Please pick up your Orientation Passport and visit the various stations to obtain a temporary badge, take your photo for your permanent ID badge, check in with various offices and services, and get ready for school! See above for materials to bring.</p>
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Event for All Students

7:00pm-9:30pm	<p>Ocean Beach Fire Gather with your friends, board the N MUNI line outbound to Ocean Beach (A group will depart 50 Oak at 7pm), and enjoy a fire on the beach by the Pacific Ocean with light refreshments and snacks. Unlike most beaches, you'll want to wear layers to stay warm at San Francisco's Ocean Beach! Note: You may not yet have your ID badge and MUNI sticker, so you may need to pay for your fare for this trip (\$2.75 each way, exact change)</p>
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Tuesday, August 15*All events are required, unless specified in event description.***Undergraduate Student Events**

8:00am-10:00am	<p>Orientation Expo (507) Welcome to SFCM! Please pick up your Orientation Funpass and visit the various Expo stations to help you get ready for school! Please be prepared and organized; if you have a complicated situation the staff may set up an appointment with you at their office later in the week.</p> <p>If you attended the Expo on Monday, you do not need to return on Tuesday.</p> <p>Stations are: SFCM ID Photo, Information Technology, Financial Aid, Business Office and Student Accounts, Audition Sign-ups</p> <p>Materials to bring: --Financial Aid (if you have not already submitted forms in advance, which is recommended) -All students receiving scholarship must have turned in: 1. A signed award letter; 2. A signed Terms and Conditions form -All Students receiving any federal aid must have turned in: 1. A signed award letter; 2. A signed Terms and Conditions form; 3. Completed their master promissory note and entrance counseling through studentloans.gov -All Students receiving a PLUS loan must have turned in: 1. A signed award letter; 2. A signed Terms and Conditions form; 3. Completed their master promissory note and entrance counseling through studentloans.gov; 4. Completed their SFCM Grad Plus or Parent Plus loan application</p> <p>--Your SFCM email and network log-in information</p> <p>--A smile for your ID photo!</p>
8:30am-10:00am	Breakfast (Salon)
9:00am-5:00pm	Locker Sign-up Begins (Student Services Center) Sign-up for your locker. Locker assignments are based on instrument. Please be show a combination or key lock in order to obtain a locker assignment, or purchase a lock for \$5.
10:00am-11:15am	Welcome, Who's Who, and Conservatory Life 101 (Concert Hall) Bring paper and pencil to take notes. Please also review the Student Handbook online in advance.
11:15am-3:15pm	Orientation Expo (507) The Expo will open again for those that did not complete stations in the morning. Please do not miss other required sessions, but if you need to go back to Expo to meet with someone you can during a break.
11:15am-12:30pm	Lunch for Undergraduate Students (Salon)
12:30pm-1:30pm	Institutional Learning Outcomes for Undergraduates (Recital Hall)
1:30pm-2:30pm	Academic Affairs Presentation (Recital Hall)
2:30pm-3:15pm	Financial Aid Meeting (Recital Hall) Required for all new undergraduate students who are receiving Federal or State financial aid.
3:15pm-4:00pm	Health and Wellness at SFCM (Concert Hall) An overview of health and wellness services offered by SFCM.
4:15pm-5:00pm	Meet and Greet with Instrumental Ensemble Directors (Concert Hall) All new instrumentalists are required to attend.
4:15pm-5:00pm	Meet and Greet with Voice Ensemble Directors (Recital Hall) All new vocalists are required to attend.
5:30pm	RJAM Meeting (501) Required meeting for new students in the Roots, Jazz, and American Music Program.

Wednesday, August 16**Undergraduate Student Events**

Starting at 9:00am	Orientation Information (Student Services Center) Lockers, directions, schedules, and answering your questions. If you're lost, come here!
8:00am-8:45am	Meeting for Transfer Students (209 Conference Room) Meeting with Associate Dean Jonas Wright; required for all new transfer undergraduate students. Breakfast will be served.
9:00am-10:00am	Adjusting to College Life (Recital Hall) Counseling Services at SFCM. Required for all new undergraduate students.

10:00am-10:15am	Break
10:15am-11:45am	Humanities and Writing Exam (507, 512) Required for all undergraduates.
11:45am-1:00pm	Break / Lunch
1:00pm-2:15pm	Sexual Violence Prevention Workshop (Salon) Required for all new undergraduate students.
2:15pm-2:45pm	Break
2:45pm-3:30pm	Technology and Professional Development (Concert Hall) A presentation on curriculum and services. Required for all new students.
3:30pm-4:15pm	Using Self-Service (Concert Hall) Fall Registration and Self-Service Instruction. Required for all new students.
4:15pm-4:30pm	Break
4:30pm-5:30pm	Meet and Greet Advisers (319, 323, 507, 512) Required for all new students.
7:00pm-9:00pm	Movie Night in the Library Join your peers for movie night in the library!

Thursday, August 17

Undergraduate Student Events

8:00am-10:00am; 3:00pm-7:30pm	Keyboard Skills Exam (510) Individual appointments will be emailed to you. Not required for keyboard, composition, and RJAM students.
Starting at 9:00am	Orientation Information (Student Services Center) Lockers, directions, schedules, and answering your questions. If you're lost, come here!
8:00am-3:00pm	Sightsinging Exams Individual appointments and room assignments will be emailed to you.
10:00am-1:00pm	Dictation Exams Individual appointments and room assignments will be emailed to you.
2:00pm-4:30pm	Music History Exam Only for eligible transfer students. Please see "Undergraduate Placement Exams" information sheet on the Orientation website for full eligibility requirements.
5:30pm-9:00pm	An Evening at SFMOMA Get your friends together and join us for an evening at the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art. Sign-up on Tuesday, August 15 at the Student Services Center; space is limited and event is free. Our group departs SFCM 50 Oak at 5:30pm to travel to SFMOMA by Muni.

Friday, August 18

Undergraduate Student Events

Starting at 9:00am	Orientation Information (Student Services Center) Lockers, directions, schedules, and answering your questions. If you're lost, come here!
9:00am-11:00am	Music Theory Exam Required for all students. Room assignments will be emailed to you.
10:00am-11:30am	TAC Orientation and LogicPro Exam (512) Required for all new TAC students. Exam portion of this session is for TAC students that wish to test out of the LogicPro class; the exam does not provide you with certification.
1:00pm-3:00pm	RJAM Auditions (501) Required for all new RJAM students.
4:00pm-5:30pm	Guitar Ensemble Auditions (Room 535) Required for all new guitarists. Sign-up for a time at the Orientation Expo on August 14 or 15.
6:00pm-9:00pm	Historical Performance Vocal Auditions (Concert Hall) Auditions for Theatre Comique: Songs from Vaudeville and Early Broadway. New students sign-up for a time at the Orientation Expo on August 14 or 15; returning students sign-up online. See "Voice Audition" sheet for more information.
6:00pm-10:00pm	Opera Vocal Auditions (Salon) New students sign-up for a time at the Orientation Expo on August 14 or 15; returning students sign-up online. See "Voice Audition" sheet for more information.

Saturday, August 19**Undergraduate Student Events**

10:00am-12:30pm	Baroque Vocal Auditions (Concert Hall) Auditions for Baroque Ensemble: Handel's Rodelinda. New students sign-up for a time at the Orientation Expo on August 14 or 15; returning students sign-up online. See "Voice Audition" sheet for more information.
10:00am-1:00pm	Opera Vocal Auditions (Salon) New students sign-up for a time at the Orientation Expo on August 14 or 15; returning students sign-up online. See "Voice Audition" sheet for more information.
10:00am-5:00pm	Musical Theatre Vocal Auditions (Recital Hall) New students sign-up for a time at the Orientation Expo on August 14 or 15; returning students sign-up online. See "Voice Audition" sheet for more information.
2:00pm-4:30pm	Baroque Vocal Auditions (Concert Hall) Auditions for Baroque Ensemble: Handel's Rodelinda. New students sign-up for a time at the Orientation Expo on August 14 or 15; returning students sign-up online. See "Voice Audition" sheet for more information.
2:00pm-5:00pm	Opera Vocal Auditions (Salon) New students sign-up for a time at the Orientation Expo on August 14 or 15; returning students sign-up online. See "Voice Audition" sheet for more information.
3:00pm-5:00pm	Historical Performance Emphasis Auditions (Room 535) Contact Richard Savino at richard.savino@sfc.edu to schedule a time and for audition materials. Open to Guitar and String players.

Sunday, August 20**Undergraduate Student Events**

7:00am-5:00pm	Heart of the City Farmers' Market (UN Plaza) An excellent opportunity for students living in Panoramic or the downtown area to get affordable food! Sign up at Panoramic to go with a group! Heart of the City Farmers' Market is a farmer-run non-profit farmers' market located in San Francisco's United Nations Plaza on Sundays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. The market was created over thirty years ago to bring high-quality and affordably priced produce from small local farms to the heart of the San Francisco's urban low-income communities, as well as to support and sustain California's small-scale family farmers. The Market is located in the United Nations Plaza at the heart of San Francisco's Civic Center on Market Street between 7th and 8th Street. (http://www.hocfarmersmarket.org/)
11:00am-3:00pm	Music Theatre Auditions Callbacks (Salon) Specific audition time will be emailed to students.
5:30pm-7:30pm	Opera Vocal Auditions (Salon) New students sign-up for a time at the Orientation Expo on August 14 or 15; returning students sign-up online. See "Voice Audition" sheet for more information.
8:00pm-10:00pm	Opera Vocal Auditions Callbacks (Salon) Specific audition time will be emailed to students.
6:00pm-10:00pm	Baroque / Historical Performance Vocal Auditions Callbacks (Concert Hall) Specific audition time will be emailed to students.

Monday, August 21**Undergraduate Student Events**

Starting at 9:00am	Orientation Information (Student Services Center) Lockers, directions, schedules, and answering your questions. If you're lost, come here!
9:00am-5:30pm	Advising Day Individual appointments will be sent by the Registrar's Office
9:30am-12:00pm	SFCM Campus Job Fair (Atrium, 2nd Floor) Review on-campus job postings at http://tiny.cc/sfcm-campusjobs (posted at start of August). Come prepared with a resume! Need help with your resume and cover letter? Schedule an appointment with the PDEC at https://calendly.com/pdec . Also available at the Job Fair will be student leadership opportunities with organizations like Hot Air Music Festival.
12:00pm-1:00pm	Acupuncture and Chinese Herbal Medicine Presentation with Amy Hanks (Room 507) A presentation by Amy Hanks of the Musicians' Acupuncture Project (www.sfbaymap.org) on how acupuncture and herbal medicines work. For those that attend the presentation, Ms. Hanks will offer free one-on-one consultations afterwards.

1:00pm-4:30pm	Music to Go Auditions for Guitar (Recital Hall) New students sign-up for a time at the Orientation Expo on August 14 or 15; returning students sign-up online. Auditions only open to Juniors, Seniors, and Graduate students. See "Instrumental Auditions" sheet for more information.
1:00pm-2:00pm	Library Tours and Open House for Undergraduates Stop in for a tour and introduction to the library
2:00pm-3:00pm	Voice Department Meeting (Osher Salon) Required for all vocalists.

Tuesday, August 22

Undergraduate Student Events

All Day	Registration (408) Individual appointments will be emailed to students. To register you must have met with your faculty advisor.
Starting at 9:00am	Orientation Information (Student Services Center) Lockers, directions, schedules, and answering your questions. If you're lost, come here!
9:00am-12:00pm	Advising Day Individual appointments will be sent by the Registrar's Office
9:00am-11:00am	Music to Go Auditions for Violin (Recital Hall) New students sign-up for a time at the Orientation Expo on August 14 or 15; returning students sign-up online. Auditions only open to Juniors, Seniors, and Graduate students. See "Instrumental Auditions" sheet for more information.
10:00am-4:00pm	Student Academic Enrichment Center Open House (C10) Stop by the SAEC for refreshments and receive information on study groups, writing assistance, and tutoring services.
12:00pm-3:30pm	Music to Go Auditions for Piano (Recital Hall) New students sign-up for a time at the Orientation Expo on August 14 or 15; returning students sign-up online. Auditions only open to Juniors, Seniors, and Graduate students. See "Instrumental Auditions" sheet for more information.
6:30pm (Game begins at 7:15pm)	San Francisco Giants Baseball Game (AT&T Park) We have a limited block of tickets for SFCM students to go to the Giants game as they take on the Milwaukee Brewers! The tickets cost \$10 for students and can be purchased from the Student Services Center starting Tuesday, August 15. These will go quickly, so buy your ticket early! Game begins at 7:15pm at AT&T Park so we suggest leaving around 6:30pm (A group will leave the school at 6:30pm. Of course, you can arrive after the game starts if needed). AT&T Park is accessible by MUNI on your Class Pass, just take the N or T inbound trains to Ballpark at 2nd and King.

Wednesday, August 23

Undergraduate Student Events

All Day	Registration (408) Individual appointments will be emailed to students. To register you must have met with your faculty advisor.
Starting at 9:00am	Orientation Information (Student Services Center) Lockers, directions, schedules, and answering your questions. If you're lost, come here!
9:00am-11:00am	Music to Go Auditions for Woodwinds and Brass (Recital Hall) New students sign-up for a time at the Orientation Expo on August 14 or 15; returning students sign-up online. Auditions only open to Juniors, Seniors, and Graduate students. See "Instrumental Auditions" sheet for more information.
11:00am-12:00pm	Yoga Class (Salon) Optional drop-in for this free yoga class with instructor Loryn Barbeau. Wear comfortable clothes and bring a yoga mat!
12:00pm-2:30pm	Music to Go Auditions for Viola, Cello, and Harp (Recital Hall) New students sign-up for a time at the Orientation Expo on August 14 or 15; returning students sign-up online. Auditions only open to Juniors, Seniors, and Graduate students. See "Instrumental Auditions" sheet for more information.
1:00pm-4:00pm	Piano Chamber Music Auditions (Salon) New students sign-up for a time at the Orientation Expo on August 14 or 15. Returning students that have already participated in the Chamber Music class within the last year do not need to audition. See "Instrumental Auditions" sheet for more information.
3:00pm-4:30pm	Guitar Department Meeting (512) Required for all guitarists.

3:30pm-5:30pm	Music to Go Auditions for Voice (Recital Hall) New students sign-up for a time at the Orientation Expo on August 14 or 15; returning students sign-up online. Auditions only open to Juniors, Seniors, and Graduate students. See "Voice Auditions" sheet for more information.
4:30pm-5:30pm	Piano Department Meeting (Concert Hall) Required for all pianists.

Thursday, August 24

Undergraduate Student Events

All Day	Classes Begin
12:30pm-2:30pm	Large Ensemble Auditions A specific audition time and location will be emailed to you.

Friday, August 25

Undergraduate Student Events

11:30am-1:30pm	Informational Tables (Café) Bring your questions for One Medical, 24hr Fitness, and SF Performances on their services and discounts for students!
3:00pm-7:30pm	Instrumental Ensemble Auditions A specific audition time and location will be emailed to you.
5:00pm	"Off the Grid" Friday Night Food Truck Party at Fort Mason Off the Grid is a weekly outdoor food truck bonanza staged at the historic waterfront campus of Fort Mason Center. Off The Grid features 17 food trucks, 11 food tents, 2 dessert carts, plus beverages from Magnolia Brewery (for those over 21, bring ID). DJs from 5-7:30 pm, and live bands from 8-10 pm. Take the 47 or 49 bus inbound toward Fisherman's Wharf and get off at the Van Ness Ave/Bay St. stop (https://goo.gl/RBxmYW). A group will leave SFCM 50 Oak at 5:00pm to take MUNI to Fort Mason Center.

Saturday, August 26

Undergraduate Student Events

11:30am	Alcatraz Tour Alcatraz Island offers a close-up look at the site of the first lighthouse and US built fort on the West Coast, the infamous federal penitentiary long off-limits to the public, and the history making 18 month occupation by Indians of All Tribes. Rich in history, there is also a natural side to the Rock—gardens, tide pools, bird colonies, and bay views beyond compare. SFCM has a limited number of discounted tickets for \$10 (normally \$37), available for students at the Student Services Center. Our group will depart 50 Oak at 11:30am to head to Pier 33 by MUNI. We must arrive at Pier 33 no less than 30 minutes before our 1pm cruise departure. Only standard size backpacks are allowed (17 in. height x 10 in width x 9 in. depth). Backpacks and any other larger items exceeding these measurements will not be allowed onboard the vessels or Alcatraz Island. Pier 33 has refreshments for purchase, if needed.
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Sunday, August 27

Undergraduate Student Events

8:00am-1:00pm	Visit Muir Woods! Walk among old growth coast redwoods, cooling their roots in the fresh water of Redwood Creek and lifting their crowns to reach the sun and fog. Federally protected as a National Monument since 1908, this primeval forest is both refuge and laboratory, revealing our relationship with the living landscape. Our bus departs 50 Oak at 8 AM and will depart Muir Woods at Noon in order to return to 50 Oak around 1 PM. Sign-up and pay \$5 for this program in advance at the Student Services Center. Includes entrance to Muir Woods and chartered bus transportation. Space is limited!
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Monday, August 28

Undergraduate Student Events

3:00pm-7:00pm	Instrumental Ensemble Auditions A specific audition time and location will be emailed to you.
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Tuesday, August 29**Undergraduate Student Events**

12:30pm-2:30pm	Instrumental Ensemble Auditions A specific audition time and location will be emailed to you.
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Wednesday, August 30**Undergraduate Student Events**

3:00pm-7:30pm	Instrumental Ensemble Auditions A specific audition time and location will be emailed to you.
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Tuesday, September 5**Undergraduate Student Events**

6:30pm	Vocal Health Presentation (Salon) Presented by the UCSF Voice and Swallowing Center and the Office of Student Affairs.
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