



UNIVERSITY of the
SOUTHERN CARIBBEAN

USC LAUNCHPAD

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ORIENTATION PROGRAM



— August 28- 29, 2023 —

WEEK OF WELCOME 2023

USC AUDITORIUM | USC MAIN CAMPUS | MARACAS VALLEY, ST. JOSEPH

Day One
August 28, 2023

SCHEDULE

09:00 AM

Welcome & Introduction
Host and Hostess

09:05 AM

Prayer
Dean Dominic Merritt

09:25 AM

Motivational Song

09:30 AM

Presidential Address
Dr. Colwick Wilson

09:40 AM

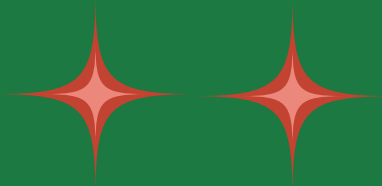
Provost Address
Dr. Len Archer

09:50 AM

Vice President Address
Ps. Onesi La Fleur

10:00 AM

Alumni Feature: The USC
Experience w/ Hosts



SCHEDULE

10:05 AM

Keynote Presentation: Mr. Ron Christopher
Finding Passion and Purpose Along Your
Path to Success

10:25 AM

Ice Breaker
LeRoy Pierre

10:35 AM

Transitioning to University Life
Fiona Rajkumar

11:05 AM

Know Your Library; Love Your Library
Stacyann Quihntero

11:15 AM

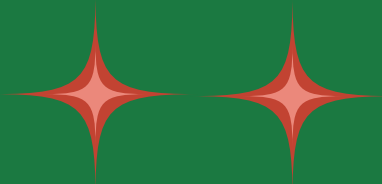
Ice-Breaker
Mr. USC 2023

11:25 AM

Understand Your Degree: Credit, Audit,
GPA, Check Sheet - Ms. Ayana Antoine

11:45 AM

The Student and the Academic
Advisor - Mrs. Lois Baynes



SCHEDULE

11:55 AM

Freshman Picnic - Students gets an opportunity to dine and chat with Administrators, Deans, Directors etc of USC:

1:00 PM

The Importance of Sports & Recreation on a University Campus - Mr. LeRoy Pierre

1:20 PM

Financial Matters
Mr. Brent Marshall

1:45 PM

GATE Matters
Mrs. Stephanie Lovelace

2:15 PM

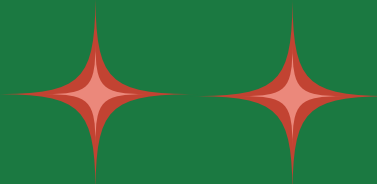
HELP LOAN Presentation by
Republic Bank Personnel

2:35 PM

Orientation sessions in the schools
and Deans' Welcome

3:35 AM

Wrap Up/University song/Farewell



Day Two
August 29, 2023

SCHEDULE

08:57 AM

Faculty Welcome

09:00 AM

Welcome and Introduction
Host and Hostess

09:05 AM

Prayer
Host and Hostess

09:10 AM

Devotional Nugget
Ps. Delroy Josiah

09:20 AM

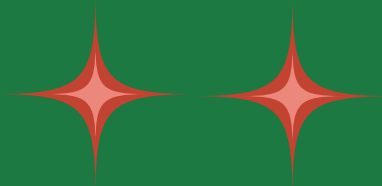
Audience Check-in
Hosts

09:25 AM

Meet your Academic Deans
Academic Deans

09:35 AM

Understanding USC's Ethos, Mission and
Vision - Ps. Terry John



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09:55 AM

Your Mental Health is not Taboo.
Counselor, Ms. Sheneece Phillip

10:20 AM

Break to Webinars
Hosts

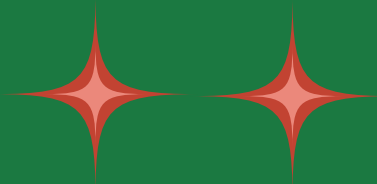
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University Song
Lyndon and Renee

10:30AM

Farewell
Hosts

Virtual - Live from the
USC Auditorium



Webinars - Tuesday, August 29, 2023

SCHEDULE

10:30 AM

The Importance of Academic Integrity
Ms. Stacyann Quintero

11:00 AM

Navigating USC's Virtual Learning
Environment - Mr. Rodney Rajkumar

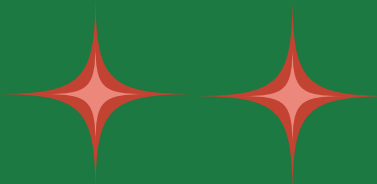
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Making the Grade
Dr. Terencia Joseph

12:30 PM

Support your Child or Spouse through
University - Dr. Soushira Liverpool-Morris

Virtual - Live via Zoom



ON DEMAND WEBINARS

VIRTUAL

GATE Matters (T&T Students Only)
Mrs. Stephanie Lovelace

VIRTUAL

**Getting Involved as a First-Year Student:
Engagement Matters! -**
Mrs. Stacey Simmons-Roberts

VIRTUAL

**Building Socio-emotional Competence as
a Student -**
Dr. Yvonne Larrier

VIRTUAL

ADULTING 101 -
Dr. Carla Copeland-Joseph

VIRTUAL

**Navigating your way as a First-Generation
University Student -**
Mrs. Clairene Mc David-Adams

VIRTUAL

**Life as a Non-Traditional University
Student - Ms. Shelly Lyons**

Available via the USC's website:
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