Dear Entering Class of 2021:

Hello and welcome to Washington University School of Medicine and the Gateway Curriculum! We look forward to your arrival in September and hope to assist you in getting off to a great start.

There are a number of materials to read and actions to take before you arrive for Gateway Orientation on September 7. On June 1, you will receive an important email from the Registrar. Please read it carefully as it contains information on your wustl email and WUSTLKey, which are required for access to all things WashU. In addition, it will also indicate that the Pre-Matriculation tab on your applicant portal at mdapply.wustl.edu is active. Under that tab you will find a centralized list of action items. Pay close attention to the new student health action items as you may need to schedule an appointment with your physician. If you will be requesting accommodations, please review our policy here and begin the process as soon as you are able.

I encourage you to connect with your future classmates and current students on social media and virtually. Housing information and advice on a variety of topics from our students can be found in our Dis-Orientation Guide. Here is another helpful document to find housing.

We will be having a “We Chose WashU Wednesday” Town Hall on Wednesday, June 2, at 5pm.

I look forward to meeting all of you on September 7! If you have questions or any of us can assist you in any way, please do not hesitate to ask and, in the meantime, please keep an eye on your WUSM email account – we will be sending more information on June 1. Stay safe and be well!

Warm regards,

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