

## FALL 2021 GRADUATE STUDENT ORIENTATION

*Begins Monday, August 16, 2021*

### Program Agenda

#### LIVE Sessions (all Eastern Standard Time)

##### ORIENTATION TO BLOUSTEIN STUDENT AND ACADEMIC SERVICES

*LIVE Zoom: Overview of student support services, advising, registration, term bills, financial aid, career development, activities and student organizations, on campus experience.*

August 16<sup>th</sup> – 10:00am to 11:00am [Student and Academic Service Orientation Session](#)

##### ORIENTATION TO ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

*LIVE Zoom sessions: Overview of degrees, classes, faculty, concentrations, advising, and requirements.*

[Health Administration Program](#): August 16<sup>th</sup> or August 17<sup>th</sup> – 5:00pm to 6:00pm

[Public Policy Program](#): August 18<sup>th</sup> – 12:00pm to 1:00pm

[Public Informatics](#): August 19<sup>th</sup> – 10:00am to 11:00am

[Urban Planning and Policy Development Program](#): August 20<sup>th</sup> – 10:00am to 11:00am

[PhD Planning and Public Policy](#): August 30<sup>th</sup> – 2:00pm to 3:00pm

#### PLACEMENT EXAMS Online Sessions (all Eastern Standard Time)

##### ONLINE PLACEMENT EXAM: BASIC QUANTITATIVE METHODS

*Live Webex: Exam session for placement purposes for the course Basic Quantitative Methods 970:515 and 833:521. [Read Flyer here](#), Online Exam date: August 27<sup>th</sup> 10am- 1pm (EST) To register: email sa1681@scarletmail.rutgers.edu before August 25<sup>th</sup> at 5pm (EST) You'll need: Non-graphing calculator and pen or pencil.*

##### ONLINE PLACEMENT EXAM: GIS

*Online exam is a two-hour placement exam and you do not need access to an ArcGIS license to complete. You may find it useful to access online ArcMap help resources.*

To take the exam, first you need permission and send note and a valid email address to Professor Payne (will.b.payne@rutgers.edu) by 5:00pm on August 26<sup>th</sup> You will receive in return an email with details on the exam. A grade of 80 percent is a passing grade and you will be notified via email of the result

