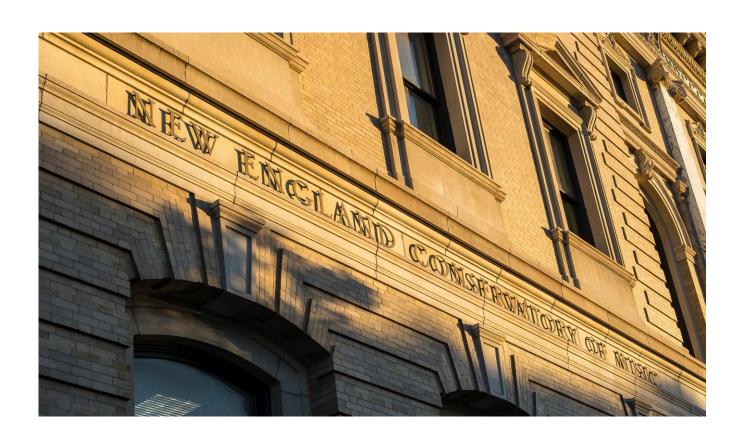
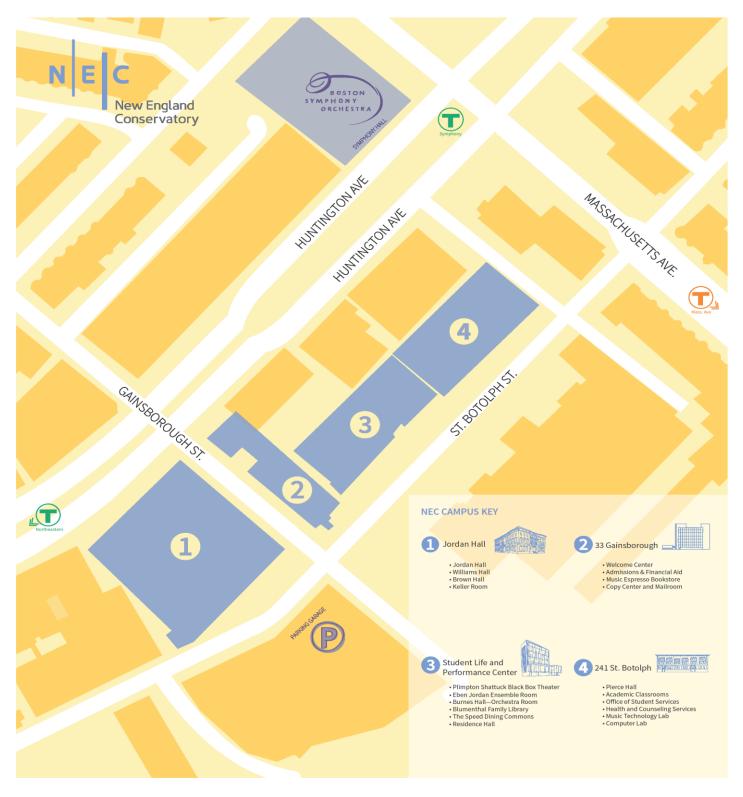


Prelude Calendar Fall 2021





Questions about NEC? Contact the Office of Student Services St. Botolph Building (4), Room 224 – 617-585-1310 – <u>studentservices@necmusic.edu</u>

ORIENTATION 2021 - SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday, August 28th | Students and Families

Time Event

9:00 AM to 5:00 PM Residence Hall (SLPC – 255 St. Botolph St)

Residence Hall Move-In for New Students

Student will sign up in advance for 1 hour move in windows

Check in available in the SLPC

5:00 PM to 6:30 PM Residence Hall (SLPC – 255 St. Botolph St)

Family Visit Time (for Residence Hall Students and Families)

Guests will be allowed to visit their student's room during Family Visit Time, from 5-6:30pm on their student's designated move-in day. Each residential student will be allowed up to two (2) guests aged 12 or over. Both guests must either be vaccinated or have received a negative COVID-19 PCR test within 72 hours of arriving to campus. Guests will need to affirm their vaccine status or negative test by completing the NEC Move-in

Students and Guests form by August 26, 2021

5:30 PM to 7:30 PM Speed Dining Commons (SLPC)

Dinner for New Residence Hall Students

Try out your new Penguin Pass and meal plan while getting to know your fellow classmates

8:00 PM to 9:30 PM Residence Hall 4th Floor Lounge (SLPC)

Ice Cream Social for New Residents Hosted by the Residence Life Staff

Sunday, August 29th | Students and Families

Time Event

9:00 AM to 5:00 PM Residence Hall (SLPC – 255 St. Botolph St)

Residence Hall Move-In for New Students

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5:00 PM to 6:30 PM Residence Hall (SLPC – 255 St. Botolph St)

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Students and Guests form by August 26, 2021

Student Recital

Returning NEC students perform for new students and families. For our family and friends that cannot join us in person, you can watch the concert live on our live stream page.

8:00 PM to 9:30 PM Residence Hall 4th Floor Lounge (SLPC)

Cupcake Social for New Residents

Hosted by the Residence Life Staff

ORIENTATION 2021 - SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Monday, August 30th | Parents and Students

Time Event

9:00 AM to 5:00 PM Residence Hall (SLPC – 255 St. Botolph St)

Residence Hall Move-In for Returning Students

Student will sign up in advance for 1 hour move in windows

Check in available in the SLPC

9:30 AM to 10:00 AM Jordan Hall

President's Welcome for New Students and Families

Remarks by President Andrea Kalyn; Provost, Benjamin Sosland; Dean of Students, Christina Davis, and Director of Health Services, Leah McKinnon-Howe. For our family and friends that cannot join us in person,

you can watch the welcome live on our live stream page.

10:00 AM to 11:00 AM Jordan Hall

Information Session for Families

NEC staff members answer questions from family

10:00 AM to 11:00 AM Williams Hall

Campus Tours with Orientation Leaders

Students will meet in Williams Hall and be broken into smaller groups to go on campus tours

11:00 AM to 12:00 PM Student Lounge

Light Grab and Go Lunch for New Students and Families

Hosted by the President's Office

12:00 PM to 1:00 PM Jordan Hall

Thinking Outside the Practice Room at NEC (Mandatory for Grad Students Only)

Hear from fellow students, meet faculty, and learn about the Community Engagement and Professional Studies department at NEC. This team of faculty and staff provide grant funding, paid performance opportunities in the Boston community, coursework and advising, and many more ways to support your holistic development as a creative artist and guide you in applying your musicality beyond the classroom, practice room, and concert

hall

12:00 PM to 1:00 PM Black Box Theatre (SLPC ground floor)

Undergraduate Class Meeting (Mandatory)

Required for all undergraduate student

Discussion of policies, academic honesty, theory testing results, and registration procedures

1:00 PM to 2:00 PM Black Box Theatre (SLPC ground floor)

Graduate Class Meeting (Mandatory)

Required for all graduate students

Discussion of policies, academic honesty, exam results, registration procedures, and recital

bookings

2:00 PM to 3:30 PM Brown Hall

CEB: Creating Community

The Center for Cultural Equity and Belonging is a welcoming and safe space for all students. Join us for a fun session about culture, belonging, and creating brave and safe spaces. This will be a time to get to know each other and share about our diverse backgrounds and cultures. Collaboratively, we will explore what belonging means to all of us and what we hope to experience at NEC. We will also learn more about how the Center for Cultural Equity and Belonging can support your journey and ways to stay connected throughout the year. Join

the conversation!

ORIENTATION 2021 - SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

3:30 PM to 4:30 PM Jordan Hall

Ensemble Meeting (Mandatory for all Classical, Jazz, and CI students with Ensemble Requirements)

The Provost, ensemble directors, and administrative staff discuss NEC's large ensembles, including

breakout sessions by ensemble

5:00 PM to 6:30 PM Residence Hall (SLPC – 255 St. Botolph St)

Family Visit Time (for Residence Hall Students and Families)

Guests will be allowed to visit their student's room during Family Visit Time, from 5-6:30pm on their student's designated move-in day. Each residential student will be allowed up to two (2) guests aged 12 or over. Both guests must either be vaccinated or have received a negative COVID-19 PCR test within 72 hours of arriving to campus. Guests will need to affirm their vaccine status or negative test by completing the NEC Move-in

Students and Guests form by August 26, 2021

Tuesday, August 31st | Students Only

Time Event

9:00 AM to 5:00 PM Residence Hall (SLPC - 255 St. Botolph St)

Residence Hall Move-In for Returning Students

Student will sign up in advance for 1 hour move in windows

Check in available in the SLPC

9:00 AM to 11:00 AM Black Box Theatre (SLPC ground floor)

Immigration Information Session (Mandatory for all F-1 Students)

Laura Messina, Yukii Ntumba, and Rebecca Teeters discuss I-20s, F-1 visa regulations, and student status

9:00 AM to 5:00 PM Iordan Hall

New Student Orchestral Auditions

See the NEC Orchestras website for all audition information (https://sites.google.com/necmusic.edu/nec-large-ensembles)

11:00 AM to 12:30 PM Black Box Theatre (SLPC ground floor)

The NEC Experience (Mandatory for Undergraduates Only)

Learn about Entrepreneurial Musicianship, Community Performances and Partnerships, and the First Year Experience from fellow students and the faculty you will work with. These programs support your holistic development as a creative artist, and will guide you in applying your musicality beyond the classroom, practice

room, and concert hall

1:00 PM to 3:00 PM Brown Hall

Orientation Central

Drop by anytime! Come get information from NEC's departments, organizations, and local vendors including:

Gallagher Insurance The Writing Center Rebecca's Café Concert Halls

NEC Health and Counseling Center Entrepreneurial Musicianship Department Music History Department Modern Languages

Information Technology Services Institutional Advancement/Engagement

Recording and Performance Technology Services NEC Libraries

Community Performances and Partnerships Student Housing and Activities Center Music Theory Department Liberal Arts Department

The YMCA NEC Copy, Mail, & Print Services Office of Marketing & Communications The Penguin

Public Safety Voice and Sound Lab

ORIENTATION 2021 - SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

3:00 PM to 4:00 PM Black Box Theatre (SLPC ground floor)

Graduate Wellness Seminar (Mandatory for all Graduate Students)

Mandatory for all graduates.

4:00 PM to 5:00 PM Black Box Theatre (SLPC ground floor)

Undergraduate Wellness Seminar (Mandatory for all Undergraduate Students)

Mandatory for all undergraduates.

5:00 PM to 6:30 PM Residence Hall (SLPC – 255 St. Botolph St)

Family Visit Time (for Residence Hall Students and Families)

Guests will be allowed to visit their student's room during Family Visit Time, from 5-6:30pm on their student's designated move-in day. Each residential student will be allowed up to two (2) guests aged 12 or over. Both guests must either be vaccinated or have received a negative COVID-19 PCR test within 72 hours of arriving to campus. Guests will need to affirm their vaccine status or negative test by completing the NEC Move-in

Students and Guests form by August 26, 2021

7:00 PM to 9:00 PM Residence Hall (SLPC)

Residence Hall Security Meetings (Mandatory)

Community meetings held on each floor of the Residence Hall followed by a security meeting

Wednesday, September 1st | Students Only

Time	Event
9:00 AM to 5:00 PM	Jordan Hall
	New Student Orchestral Auditions
	See the NEC Orchestras website for all audition information
	(https://sites.google.com/necmusic.edu/nec-large-ensembles)
9:00 AM to 1:00 PM	Eben Jordan Ensemble Room (SLPC 2nd floor)
	Jazz Majors Ensemble Auditions
	See Jazz Board or email from department for assigned times
9:30 AM to 10:00 AM	Pierce Hall
	Undergraduate Composition Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)
	Mandatory for Undergraduate Composition students
	Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements
9:30 AM to 10:00 AM	Burnes Hall (SLPC 2nd floor)
	Undergraduate Guitar and Harp Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)
	Mandatory for Undergraduate Guitar and Harp students
	Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements
9:30 AM to 11:00 AM	Williams Hall
	Voice and Vocal Pedagogy Departmental Meeting
	Required for all voice performance and vocal pedagogy majors
10:00 AM to 4:00 PM	Mezzanine (Jordan Hall 1M)
	Choral Department Undergraduate Placement Hearings for Non-Voice Majors
	See emailed schedule and Orientation NEO for assigned times
10:30 AM to 11:00 AM	Pierce Hall

Graduate Composition Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)

Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements

Mandatory for Graduate Composition students

ORIENTATION 2021 - SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

10:30 AM to 11:00 AM Burnes Hall (SLPC 2nd floor)

Graduate Guitar and Harp Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)

Mandatory for Graduate Guitar and Harp students

Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements

11:30 AM to 12:00 PM Pierce Hall

Graduate Vocal Performance Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)

Mandatory for Graduate Vocal Performance students

Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements

11:30 AM to 12:00 PM Burnes Hall (SLPC 2nd floor)

Undergraduate Woodwind Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)

Mandatory for Undergraduate Woodwind students

Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements

1:00 PM to 1:30 PM Pierce Hall

Graduate Collaborative Piano Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)

Mandatory for Graduate Collaborative Piano students

Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements

1:00 PM to 1:30 PM Burnes Hall (SLPC 2nd floor)

Graduate Woodwind Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)

Mandatory for Graduate Woodwind students

Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements

NEC Voice and Sound Analysis Lab

Especially interesting for singers, but all students are welcome. Learn about the spectrographic technology available at NEC for analysis of singers and musical instruments (both live and from recordings). Observe and measure vibrato, legato, resonance, ring, registration, vocal fold closure and more; see your sound. Drop-ins

welcome any time between 1:00 and 3:00

1:30 PM to 3:30 PM Meet on the steps of the SLPC

Walking Tour

Explore the NEC neighborhood and discover local restaurants, stores, and amenities

2:00 PM to 2:30 PM Pierce Hall

Graduate Vocal Pedagogy Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)

Mandatory for Graduate Vocal Pedagogy students

Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements

2:00 PM to 2:30 PM Burnes Hall (SLPC 2nd floor)

Graduate Brass/Percussion Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)

Mandatory for Graduate Brass/Percussion students

Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements

2:00 PM to 5:00 PM Black Box Theatre (SLPC ground floor)

Opera Acting Auditions

Required for all new graduate students. Sign up for a time on the Opera Board starting August 25. Prepare

provided excerpts

3:00 PM to 3:30 PM Pierce Hall

Undergraduate Vocal Performance Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)

Mandatory for Undergraduate Vocal Performance students

Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements

ORIENTATION 2021 - SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

3:00 PM to 3:30 PM Burnes Hall (SLPC 2nd floor)

Undergraduate Brass/Percussion Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)

Mandatory for Undergraduate Brass/Percussion students

Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements

5:00 PM to 7:00 PM Speed Dining Commons (SLPC)

Welcome Home BBQ

Come enjoy a free meal and get to know your fellow students.

7:30 PM to 11:00 PM Brown Hall

Jazz Jam Session (Mandatory for Jazz Majors)

A jam session for all new students majoring in Jazz Performance. Jazz Composition, CI, and Classical majors are welcome to participate, time permitting. Bring your instrument. Guitar and bass amplifiers and a vocal P.A.

will be provided. All are invited to come and listen

Thursday, September 2nd | Students Only

Time Event 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM Iordan Hall **New Student Orchestral Auditions** See the NEC Orchestras website for all audition information (https://sites.google.com/necmusic.edu/nec-large-ensembles) 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM Eben Jordan Ensemble Room (SLPC 2nd floor) Jazz Majors Ensemble Auditions See the Jazz Board or email from department for assigned times 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM Williams Hall

Voice Department Hearings – Undergraduate Students

See the Voice Board for assigned times

9:00 AM to 10:00 AM Zoom

Contemporary Improvisation Department Meeting

For all new and returning students; see email from department for link

9:30 AM to 10:00 AM Burnes Hall (SLPC 2nd floor)

Graduate Conducting Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)

Mandatory for Graduate Conducting students

Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements

9:30 AM to 10:00 AM Pierce Hall

Undergraduate Piano Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)

Mandatory for Undergraduate Piano students

Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements

10:30 AM to 11:00 AM Pierce Hall

Graduate Piano Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)

Mandatory for Graduate Piano students

Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements

10:30 AM to 11:00 AM Burnes Hall (SLPC 2nd floor)

Undergraduate Strings Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)

Mandatory for Undergraduate Strings students

Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements

ORIENTATION 2021 - SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

11:00 AM to 1:00 PM Mezzanine (Jordan Hall 1M)

Choral Department Undergraduate Placement Hearings for Voice Majors

See emailed schedule and Orientation NEO for assigned times

11:00 AM to 5:00 PM Black Box Theatre (SLPC ground floor)

Voice and Opera Department Hearings/Auditions - Graduate Students

See the Voice Board for assigned times

11:30 AM to 12:00 PM Burnes Hall (SLPC 2nd floor)

Graduate Strings Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)

Mandatory for Graduate Strings students

Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements

11:30 AM to 12:00 PM Pierce Hall

Graduate Jazz and Contemporary Improvisation Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)

Mandatory for Graduate Jazz and Contemporary Improvisation students Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements

12:00 PM to

Friday, Sept 3, 5:00 PM PowerCampus Self-Services (online)

Registration for Doctoral Students

Register online through PowerCampus. Students who miss their registration appointment will be charged

a late registration fee of \$250

1:00 PM to 1:30 PM Pierce Hall

Undergraduate Jazz and Contemporary Improvisation Students Academic Advising (Mandatory)

Mandatory for Undergraduate Jazz and Contemporary Improvisation students Advisor provides information on registration and degree requirements

1:30 PM to 3:30 PM Meet on the steps of the SLPC

Walking Tour

Explore the NEC neighborhood and discover local restaurants, stores, and amenities

2:00 PM to 5:00 PM Office of Student Services (St. Botolph 224)

Advisor Walk-In Hours

Have a few more questions about your degree? Drop by to speak one-on-one with your advisor for a few

minutes.

4:00 PM to 5:00 PM St. Botolph 313

Brass and Percussion Department Meeting

Collaborative Piano Department Meeting

4:00 PM to 5:30 PM Burnes Hall (SLPC 2nd floor)

Jazz Studies Department Meeting

Friday, September 3rd | Students Only

Time Event

8:00 AM to 5:00 PM PowerCampus Self-Services (online)

Registration for Master of Music and Graduate Diploma Students

Register online through PowerCampus. Students who miss their registration appointment will be charged

a late registration fee of \$250

ORIENTATION 2021 - SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

9:00 AM to 10:00 AM Online

Undergraduate Schedule/Registration Notification

Undergraduate student will be sent an email notifying them that their Fall 2021 schedules are ready to view on

PowerCampus Self-Services

New Student Orchestral Auditions

See the NEC Orchestras website for all audition information (https://sites.google.com/necmusic.edu/nec-large-ensembles)

11:00 AM to 5:00 PM Black Box Theatre (SLPC ground floor)

Voice and Opera Department Hearings/Auditions - Graduate Students

See the Voice Board for assigned times

11:00 AM to 12:00 PM St. Botolph G01

Composition Department Meeting

1:30 PM to 3:30 PM Meet on the steps of the SLPC

Walking Tour

Explore the NEC neighborhood and discover local restaurants, stores, and amenities

5:00 PM to 8:00 PM Meet on the steps of the SLPC

Sunset Harbor Cruise

Watch the sun set over the city as you cruise Boston Harbor. Meet on the steps of the SLPC at 5:00 for a prompt 5:15 departure. Cruise tickets are free, however, a cash bar will be available for snacks and beverages where you will need your own monies. Be sure to bring money for a return tick on the MBTA (\$5 round trip). No alcohol allowed. Please RSVP here for your spot on the cruise by **Sunday, August 29th at 11:59pm ET!**

Saturday, September 4th | Students Only

Time Event

1:30 PM to 3:30 PM Meet on the steps of the SLPC

Walking Tour

Explore the NEC neighborhood and discover local restaurants, stores, and amenities

4:00 PM to 6:00 PM Meet on the steps of the SLPC

Walking Tour

Explore the NEC neighborhood and discover local restaurants, stores, and amenities

Sunday, September 5th | Students Only

Time Event

1:30 PM to 3:30 PM Meet on the steps of the SLPC

Walking Tour

Explore the NEC neighborhood and discover local restaurants, stores, and amenities

ORIENTATION 2021 - SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Tuesday, September 7th | Students Only

Time

1:00 PM to 2:00 PM

Zoom (https://necmusic-edu.zoom.us/j/97407155188?pwd=NmZsVlZsSlVLZEZidFNIdFNPR2VEdz09)

Nuts and Bolts of CEPS

Want to reach out and give back to the local community? Have a project idea and need startup funding? Want to gain more performance experience? Eager to get connected in your new home city and earn extra cash? Join the Community Engagement and Professional Studies team to explore the many performance & funding opportunities in the Boston community available to you through NEC, and get all the deadlines, applications,

and details you need to know!

1:00 PM to 5:00 PM Eben Jordan Ensemble Room (SLPC 2nd floor)

Jazz Ensemble Auditions for Non-majors and Returning Students

Sign up on the Jazz Board. Non-majors welcome to audition

Wednesday, September 8th | Students Only

Event

9:00 AM to 12:00 PM Eben Jordan Ensemble Room (SLPC 2nd floor)

Jazz Ensemble Auditions for Non-majors and Returning Students

Sign up on the Jazz Board. Non-majors welcome to audition

12:00 PM Classes Begin and Add/Drop Begins

Thursday, September 9th | Students Only

Time Event

9:30 AM to 11:00 AM Jordan Hall

President's Convocation

Required for new and returning students, faculty, and staff. President Andrea Kalyn introduces new faculty and staff and is joined by student speaker (Zoe Cagan) to welcome new and returning students and commemorate the opening of the school year. We hope most of you can join us in person, but those that

cannot, can view live on our live stream page.

7:30 PM Brown Hall

CI Opening Night Concert

Faculty performances from NEC's Contemporary Improvisation Department

Friday, September 10th | Students Only

3:00 PM to 4:30 PM Speed Dinning Commons (SLPC)

NEC Involvement Fair

Interested in joining a club or organization? Come check out the Involvement Fair to learn more.

Sunday, September 12th | Students Only

3:00 PM to 6:00 PM Eben Jordan Ensemble Room (SLPC 2nd floor)

Open Mic Hosted by the Contemporary Improvisation Department