UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, June 4 – **End Of Year Celebration**: You are invited to the international students 2016-2017 end of year celebration. Friendship families are also invited. Please contact them to see if they are attending. Sunday 4th June. 2:00PM/Esch-Hurvis in WCC. EVERYONE WELCOME. *FREE CABARET DVDs*

**Exchange Student & Waseda Farewell Ceremony**—1 p.m. in WCC Cinema.

Thursday, June 8 – **Senior Champagne Toast**: ISS office will be organizing an international senior’s toast on the 8th of June at 6:30pm. This includes champagne, sparkling juice, cake, and a photo booth. RSVP is required.

Thursday, June 8 – **Residence halls close for underclassmen**: The residence hall will be closed to all underclassmen at noon except those who are staying on campus over the summer. If you plan to stay on campus a little while longer you’ll need to make plans for that accordingly.

Sunday, June 11 – **Commencement Reception**: This reception is an event after the graduation ceremony in the International House. This is a great time to meet up with friends, take some pictures, with a light lunch and refreshments.

Get your I-20 signed for travel endorsement
@ International House

ISS Walk-In Hours (FINALS WEEK):
   Monday – Wednesday: 9-11 a.m. and 2-4 p.m.
   Thursday, 9-11 a.m.
   OR by appointment!

Note: ISS is closed 10th week for annual immigration conference.
# Summer Break Checklist

If you are leaving campus for the Summer break:

1. Remember the important dates!
   - Residence halls will be closed by **Thursday, June 8, 2017 at noon**.
   - Residence halls will be reopened on **Saturday, September 9, 2017**
2. Get your I-20 signed for travel endorsement. Refer to first page of newsletter
3. Summer Break Check-out details. Pack and rearrange your furniture accordingly. [https://www.lawrence.edu/students/housing/faqs/node/1212](https://www.lawrence.edu/students/housing/faqs/node/1212)
   - Unplug all electronic appliances
   - Throw out perishable food; empty, defrost and unplug your fridge!
   - Move furniture at least 12 inches away from radiators/heating vent.
   - Lock your windows and door, and take your keys with you.
   - Sign and date the check-out information sheet by your door.
4. Pack up and store your belongings in storage if needed. Campus-wide storage room hours will be posted in each hall.
5. **If you need to stay late after hall closing and/or arrive early:**
   1. Room rate: $25/day
   2. Early arrival requests for Fall term must be submitted to campus life NOW.

---

## Travel and Re-Entry Reminders (F-1 Students):

To **re-enter the U.S., you must travel with:**
- A valid passport (valid for at least 6 months into the future)
- A valid F-1 or J-1 visa*
- I-20 or DS-2019 from Lawrence University with valid travel signature from ISS
- For students on post-completion OPT: You should be returning to the U.S. to resume employment and have a valid Employment Authorization Document with you.

It is **recommended that you also travel with:**
- ISS/Lawrence contact information
- Current financial documents
- Class schedule for upcoming Term
- I-901 SEVIS fee receipt
- For students on OPT and AT: A letter from your employer verifying employment status.

*If your visa is expired or if you changed status in the U.S., apply for a new visa at a U.S. Embassy or Consulate in your country. Check on processing times and required documentation.

**Form I-94**
Students who arrive to the U.S. at an air or sea port of entry will be issued an electronic Form I-94 record to document your official arrival and departure in the U.S. It is a good practice to print your I-94 record after each entry to the U.S. to check the accuracy of the record of that particular arrival.
Home Country: Jamaica

Major in Lawrence: Double major, Government (International Relations) and Philosophy

Current Location: San Diego, CA

Current Occupation:
Director of Development

What are your favorite memories in Lawrence? Organizing International dinners in Downer (now Hurvis) or Lucinda's (now loft housing in Colman)

What was your favorite class? International Law with Professor Skran

What do you miss about Lawrence? The size. There is something nice about knowing everyone around you and not being a number. I knew everyone when I was at Lawrence.

How has Lawrence affected your life? Phonathon was my first job in advancement. I didn't know it then, but that was the start of my career.

What are your words of wisdom for current students? Say yes to opportunities that come your way, even if they feel foreign to you. Be open to the unexpected.

What advice would you give someone who would like to pursue a career in your field? Get to know the professionals on the alumni and development teams and learn from them. They are a wealth of knowledge and hidden gems at Lawrence.