

# Dickinson

**Dickinson Institute: Strategic Leadership for the Future**  
**March 29-30, 2019**  
**Parent Itinerary**

## **FRIDAY, MARCH 29**

- 4 p.m. Optional Campus Tours**  
(For students who signed up in advance; departs from Waidner Admissions House)
- 5 p.m. Cocktail/Networking Hour**  
*The Vault, 1 North Hanover St., Carlisle*  
With members of Dickinson's senior leadership team
- 6 p.m. Dinner**  
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## **SATURDAY, MARCH 30**

- 8 a.m. Welcome from President Margee Ensign and breakfast with current students**  
*Stern Center, Great Room*
- 9 a.m. Inside the Center for Advising, Internships & Lifelong Career Development**  
*Waidner Admissions House, Information Session Room*  
Damon Yarnell, associate provost & executive director of the Center for Advising, Internships & Lifelong Career Development, Tara Fischer '02, dean of academic advising, and Annie Kondas, associate dean and director of alumni career development, will share how Dickinson helps students identify and cultivate their authentic interests—which lie at the intersection of skills, experience and personal values—to launch students into meaningful careers and lives.
- 10 a.m. Break/Optional Activities**
- Explore Carlisle**  
Carlisle is a vibrant pre-Revolutionary town with small-community charm. Nestled among the town's quaint Colonial- and Victorian-era homes you'll find specialty shops, art galleries, international restaurants, an indie theatre and other metropolitan delights. The Carlisle region has been named one of the

country's best places to raise a family by *Forbes* magazine and voted one of America's "most livable cities."

### **Visit The Trout Gallery**

*Weiss Center for the Arts, Trout Gallery*

The Trout Gallery art museum supporting the study and experience of the visual arts through direct contact with works in the gallery's collections and exhibitions.

### **Shop at the Dickinson College Bookstore**

*Lower level of the Holland Union Building*

#### **11:30 a.m. Alumni Panel**

*Rubendall Recital Hall, Weiss Center for the Arts*

- Sean Arnold '07, financial advisor for Merrill Lynch Wealth Management
- Frank James '79, co-founder of NPR blog The Two-Way and former journalist for The Wall Street Journal and the Chicago Tribune
- The Hon. John E. Jones '77, P'11, U.S. District Judge, Middle District of Pennsylvania
- Megan Shelley Dapp '05, senior associate at Triad Strategies
- Ty Saini '93, owner and orthodontist at Saini Orthodontics
- Catherine McDonald Davenport '87, vice president for enrollment management and dean of admissions at Dickinson (moderator)

#### **12:15 p.m. Lunch with alumni panelists**

*Stern Center, Great Room*

#### **1:15 p.m. Break**

#### **1:30 p.m. Looking Under the Hood of Dickinson's Global, Sustainability and Civic Engagement Initiatives**

*Althouse Hall, Room 201*

This panel will dig beyond the rhetoric to explore why Dickinson a leader in global education, No. 1 in sustainability among liberal-arts colleges and breaking new ground in civic engagement. The panelists will articulate specific skill sets that students gain from experiences in these areas, why these skills are critical for this generation and how they lead to careers.

- Samantha Brandauer '95, executive director of the Center for Global Study & Engagement
- Gary Kirk, executive director of the Center for Civic Learning & Action
- Neil Leary, director of the Center for Sustainability Education
- Neil Weissman, provost and dean (moderator)

**3 p.m.            Break**

**3:15 p.m.        Student/Faculty Panel**

*Stern Center, Great Room*

- Lucile Duperron, associate professor of French
- Mary Hinton '19 (international studies)
- Kristen Kim '19 (English)
- Sheela Jane Menon, assistant professor of English
- David O'Connell, assistant professor of political science
- Titilope Ogunsola '19 (French & Francophone studies)
- Madie Ritter '19 (environmental science)
- Kristin Strock, assistant professor of environmental studies
- David Blosser '19, moderator (English)

**4 p.m.            Closing Ceremony**

*Stern Center, Great Room*

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