GET A HEAD START ON YOUR STUDIES

SCAD Cultural and Academic Preparation Program

JULY 26–AUG. 24, 2018
WHY JOIN US?

SCAD CAPP is designed to prepare talented students for a successful transition to academic, social and cultural life at SCAD before fall quarter begins. One of the CAPP goals is to help students strengthen their English-speaking skills and get into academic classes sooner. Most participants increase their English test scores at the conclusion of CAPP, leading to a successful fall quarter.
CAPP HIGHLIGHTS

CAPP provides a smooth transition for international students starting at SCAD by helping them:

- Adjust to life in the U.S. and Atlanta.
- Get comfortable speaking English in academic settings.
- Excel on the SCAD Language Studio placement test.
- Become familiar with SCAD and the surrounding communities.
- Confidently embark on the path to a creative career.
ENGLISH PLACEMENT TEST PREPARATION

CAPP assists students with:

- Speaking, writing and reading English daily.
- Improving English proficiency.
- Preparing for the English placement test given at orientation.

English placement tests will be given Friday, July 27, 2018, and Thursday, Aug. 23.
LIFE IN THE U.S.

- Find safe off-campus housing and understand how leases work in the U.S.
- Adjust to life in a completely new environment.
- Open bank accounts, turn on U.S. cellphone service and shop for items necessary to begin full-time studies at SCAD.
- Meet other SCAD students and experience true American culture through trips and tours.
- Use safety and security resources available at SCAD.
- Apply for a driver’s license or state identification card.
LIFE AT SCAD

- Meet SCAD staff from different academic and nonacademic departments.
- Meet SCAD professors and learn what is expected in a SCAD classroom.
- Learn how to use SCAD resources and transportation.
- Get early access to SCAD buildings and learning spaces.
WEEKEND ACTIVITIES

- Daytrip to Tennessee.
- Visit to World of Coca-Cola and Georgia Aquarium.
- Daytrip to Stone Mountain State Park.
- Shopping trips.
- Picnics and social events.
- Tours of Atlanta’s historical sites.
- Weekend trip to Savannah and Tybee Island, Georgia.
- Three-night trip to sunny Orlando, Florida.
SAVANNAH

CAPP Atlanta students will take a two-night weekend trip to visit and tour SCAD Savannah; explore the city’s beautiful and historic downtown; and join CAPP Savannah students for a beach barbecue on Tybee Island.
CAPP students will take a three-night trip to Orlando, home to some of America’s best theme parks, including Walt Disney World and Universal Studios. While there, students will have the opportunity to spend a day in one of these two parks. During the evenings, students may also experience some nightlife and nearby shopping at Disney Springs or Universal CityWalk.
Each room features air conditioning, en suite bathroom, two twin beds, local telephone service, a cable TV outlet, two drafting tables, two stools, two chests of drawers and internet access for each resident.

On arrival, CAPP participants will receive bedsheets, a pillow and welcome snacks.

ACA Residence Hall of SCAD includes a cardio room, a computer lab, game/TV rooms, common rooms, laundry facilities and a large community kitchen.

The program includes 18 meals per week at The Hub.
**IMPORTANT DATES**

**JULY 25–26, 2018**
- Arrive at SCAD Atlanta and check in at ACA Residence Hall of SCAD.

**JULY 27–28**
- CAPP orientation and check-in.
- Tour of SCAD Atlanta.
- Visit to local shopping center and bank to open account.

**JULY 30–AUG. 23**
- ESL classes run 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Monday through Thursday.
- Cultural activities and short trips around SCAD and Atlanta take place in the afternoons.
- Excursions to Savannah and Tennessee take place on weekends.

**AUG. 24**
- All students will relocate to their residence halls, and assistance will be provided to off-campus residents.

**AUG. 25–28**
- An optional three-day trip to Orlando, Florida, takes place after CAPP concludes.
CAPP ATLANTA
PROGRAM FEES: $3,500

- English instruction in written and oral communication that is structured to meet student needs, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Monday through Thursday.
- All course materials.
- Fun, interactive afternoon activities that connect morning instruction with real-world practical activities around SCAD and Atlanta.
- Clean, modern housing at ACA Residence Hall of SCAD, including bedsheets and welcome snacks.
- Eighteen meals per week.
- Full access to SCAD buildings, including the fitness center, library, museum and more.
- Excursions around Atlanta.
- Whitewater rafting daytrip in Tennessee.
- Three-night excursion to Orlando, Florida, and your choice of visiting Walt Disney World or Universal Studios (tickets not included).
- Two-night excursion to Savannah, Georgia.
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