2017 – 2018 NYU Transfer Ambassador Role

The Transfer Ambassador Program matches new transfer students with an upper-class student leader who provides guidance and support while ensuring that transfers have the resources and services necessary for a successful transition into NYU. The role of a Transfer Ambassador includes serving as a role model and peer mentor to their students, to be an advocate throughout their new transfer experience, and to refer students to the various NYU and NYC resources available.

TRANSFER AMBASSADOR ROLE

- Serve as a role model and mentor to a cohort of approximately 40 new transfer students
- Create one-on-one connections with cohort members in order to support them through their individual NYU experience
- Plan and support Welcome Week and Spring Welcome programs in collaboration with the Student Resource Center (SRC)
- Facilitate programs and events that engage their cohort members in various topics and experiences, with the goal of creating connections between cohort members
- Track and oversee individual programming budget funds per the Student Resource Center guidelines
- Communicate weekly with students informing them about relevant on and off-campus events and services and providing advice on important transition topics. This will include answering various virtual questions and making referrals to appropriate offices and organizations at NYU
- Assess transfer student programs and needs via interviews with cohort and various other methods
- Attend fall and spring training programs, bi-weekly one-on-one conversations and team meetings

TRANSFER AMBASSADOR IMPORTANT DATES

- First Transfer Ambassador Team Meeting: April 29th, 2017
- Fall Training: Please hold from 8am – 7pm on August 21st -25th, 2017
- Welcome Week: Sunday, August 27th, 2017 - Saturday, September 2nd, 2017
- Transfer Student Welcome and Reality Show: Monday, August 28th, 2017
- Spring Training: Please hold from 8am – 7pm on January 17th – 19th, 2018
- Spring Week: Saturday, January 21st, 2018 - Saturday, February 3rd, 2018

*These above dates are non-negotiable for our 2017 – 2018 Transfer Ambassadors. Beyond academic requirements, Transfer Ambassadors are required to attend these dates as a part of this role. Final fall and spring dates will be reviewed with the team during the first Transfer Ambassador Team Meeting.

TRANSFER AMBASSADOR BENEFITS

- Stipend of $800 per semester that will be paid by the end of each semester
- Personal and professional skill development including experience in peer mentorship, budget management, program planning, and resource referral expertise
- Led by university administrators who are invested in your individual development