



# *Peer Advisors*

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# TRADITIONAL PEER ADVISOR TEAM

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Most members of the Peer Advisor Program hold the role of “Traditional Advisor”. Each of these Advisors serve as a mentor to a select group of incoming students. They are responsible for contacting their group of students over the summer, hosting them during the School of Architecture orientation, and keeping in touch throughout the school year. Think of them as your big brothers and big sisters as you transition from high school to college!



Full-time



Part-time



Traditional Advisor



Social Media Team



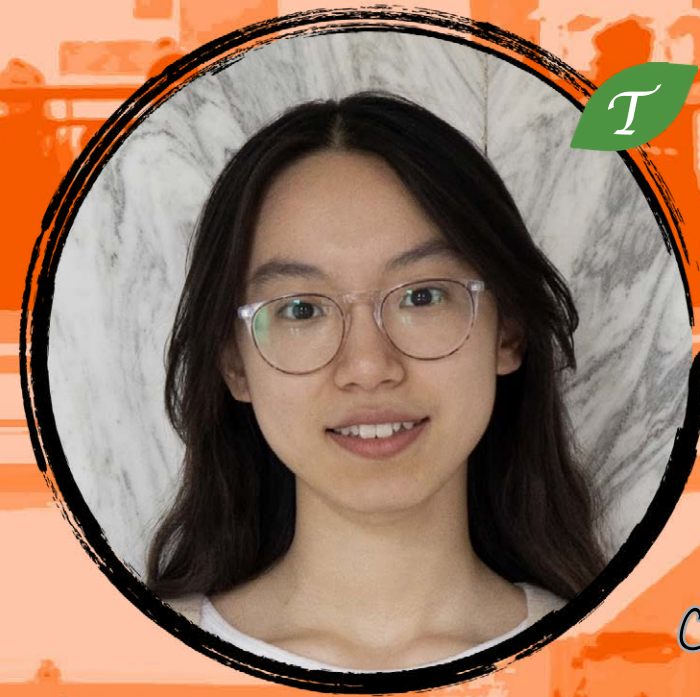
Creative Team





*Romi  
Moller*

*Co-Coordinator*



*Cindy  
Liu*

*Co-Coordinator*

Hi there! Congrats on your admissions to Syracuse University's School of Architecture! My name is Romi Moller, and I am a rising 5th-year student here at Syracuse Architecture. I currently live in the northern suburbs of Chicago, but I am originally from Israel and grew up in Sydney, Australia, and Paris, France! This upcoming Fall, I will be Co-Coordinating the Peer Advising program along with Cindy Liu. In addition to being a part of peer advising, within the school of architecture, I am a UGA for ARC182 (a representation course) and ARC394 (an architecture minor studio). I also started a club called Magazine Club with the Dean, Michael Speaks, and 4 of my peers here in the School of Architecture. I studied abroad in London and Florence during my Junior and Senior year, and cannot express enough how incredible of an experience it was. During my free time, I love painting and drawing, flipping through magazines to keep me inspired, hanging out with my french bulldog, Ollie, and finding new movies to watch! During your time in this program, you will meet so many incredible and talented people that will be there with you for the next 5 years. I am so grateful for everything Syracuse Architecture has taught me and I can't wait for you to experience what this school has to offer as well! Congratulations on your admission, and I can't wait to meet you in person in the Fall semester!

Hello everyone! Congratulations on your acceptance to Syracuse University's School of Architecture! My name is Yixing Liu and you can call me Cindy, currently a rising fifth-year student. I was born and raised in Harbin China and I currently live in Beijing. I studied abroad in Florence and London, which were truly fantastic experiences. In the School of Architecture, I am a photographer of the social media committee, a member of the International Mentor Squad and a member of the Student Mentor Squad. Besides architecture, I am passionate about theater, crochet, ceramic, cooking, hiking, and swimming. The architecture program of Syracuse University is truly incredible. You will make friends with amazing peers from diverse cultural backgrounds, you will gain a sense of family in the studio, and you will constantly be surprised and be proud of your creations. Transitioning into university life takes time. You might also encounter some overwhelming as well as discover a variety of wonderful things on this campus. Feel free to reach out when you have any questions! (Ins: cindyyixingliu, WeChat: LiuYixingCindy0129) I'm looking forward to meeting you at Slocum Hall and congrats on your acceptance to Syracuse Architecture again!





Oji  
Anderson

Hi everyone! My name is Oji (pronounced like O.G. haha) and I am a rising third-year student from Worcester, Massachusetts. I'm so excited to meet you all, and big congratulations on your admission to Syracuse and our lovely School of Architecture. Here at school, besides my involvement in the Peer Advising program, I am in the Student Government Association as well as involved in performing with student artists at shows here in Syracuse (I am the drummer of a few bands!). In my free time, I like to do crafts such as drawing and jewelry making, adventure around the city of Syracuse (I am a huge foodie- some spots nearby are INCREDIBLY delectable), as well as rock climbing at the school's gym. Having many hobbies outside of architecture has helped me a lot with balancing my workload, and I know there are so many opportunities for you guys to get involved with the things you most enjoy :) I can't wait to meet you all on campus, and if you have any questions feel free to reach out through email (ojanders@syr.edu) or on instagram @ojiandersn !!!



Alex  
Barney

Welcome to Syrause! My name is Alex Barney and I am a rising 3rd-year student from Lancaster, Pennsylvania (about an hour west of Philadelphia). No, I am not Amish, but yes I know a lot about them. This is my second year being an Architecture Ambassador and a Peer Advisor and I had a great time last year. I am excited to meet you guys once you get here! On campus, I am also involved with Alpha Rho Chi, the national professional gender-inclusive fraternity for architecture and the allied arts, and am currently the Professional committee chair. Additionally, I am a class representative in the Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Access Committee in the School of Architecture. Lastly, I am involved with WERW, a student ran radio channel. Some things I like: urban exploring, Crocs, sketchbooks, experimental music, thrifting, trinkets, plants, jewelry, backpacking, and a historical pretzel bakery. Feel free to reach out to me if you have any questions or just want to get to know a face in Slocum. I really appreciated the support of upperclassmen when I was entering college and would love to give back.





*Natalie  
Becue*

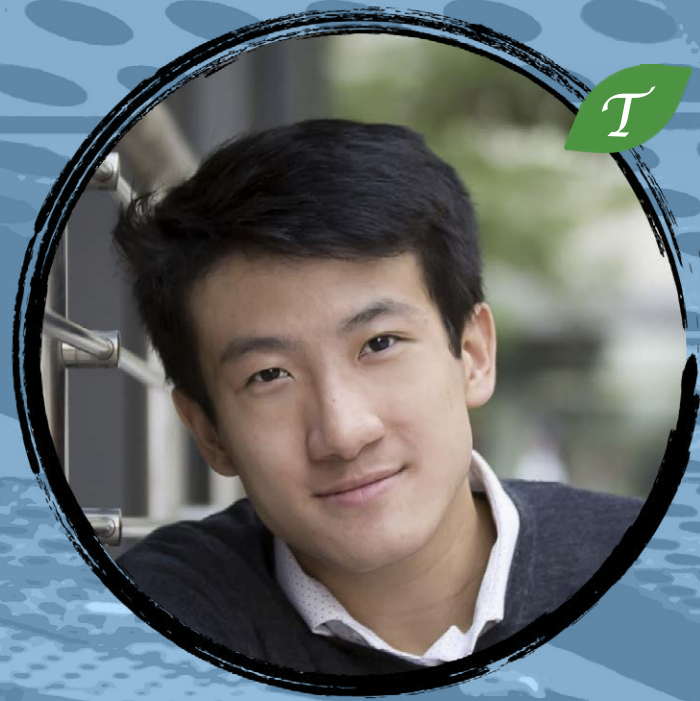
Hi everyone, and welcome to Syracuse Architecture! My name is Natalie Becue, and I'm a rising second-year student from Stamford, CT. This year I lived in the first-year Architecture LLC in Shaw Hall, and this past semester I became a member of Alpha Rho Chi (APX), the architecture and allied arts fraternity here on campus. I am hoping to minor in art history at SU, or sustainable construction or landscape architecture at ESF. Outside of architecture, I'm a huge outdoors person. I love to hike and play sports (basketball, volleyball, frisbee, etc.), but I also love to draw and paint, watch football, and go to all of our home sporting events at the Dome. I can't wait to see you all on campus soon! Feel free to reach out if you have any questions or just want to say hi! (ig: @natbecue, email: nabecue@syr.edu)



*Zach  
Blick*

Hi! My name is Zach Blick and I am from Syosset, New York. I am a rising second-year student and can't wait to meet everyone! I have been on skates playing hockey since the age of 5 and enjoy watching funny movies, cause who doesn't like to laugh? I hope to take a minor in construction management or real estate in the year to come, which will help supplement my education in architecture. I chose to come to Syracuse because of what seemed like the perfect balance between academics and social life and it has fulfilled every hope that I had. I would love for you to reach out to me on instagram @zachblick if you have any questions! See everyone soon!





*Kyle  
Chiang*

Hi everyone! My name is Kyle, and I'm a rising third-year architecture student from Centennial, Colorado (about 15 minutes outside of Denver)! Congratulations on your admission to Syracuse Architecture! I chose Syracuse because of its academic rigor and the community that exists in the School of Architecture. Aside from Architecture Ambassadors and Peer Advising, I am involved in the honors program and Alpha Rho Chi, the co-ed professional fraternity for architecture and design. In my free time here, I enjoy exploring the city of Syracuse and trying new coffee shops and restaurants (I'm a huge foodie). I also love traveling, cooking, and visiting art museums. There are plenty of opportunities here to get involved in the activities you enjoy; you just have to put yourself out there and be open to trying new things! Everyone handles the transition into college differently, but we are here to help. Syracuse Architecture is a great place for students to challenge themselves, learn, and grow. I can't wait to welcome you all in the fall!



*Audrey  
Delia*

Hey everyone! My name is Audrey Delia and I am a rising third year from Ocean, New Jersey. First, congratulations on your acceptance into the program! It's definitely no easy feat, and you all should be so proud of this incredible accomplishment. Here at Syracuse, besides my involvement in the Peer Advising program, I am an Architecture Ambassador, a member of Alpha Rho Chi (the professional fraternity for architecture and the allied arts), and a member of the Ballet Club! I have been dancing since I was three years old, and being able to continue to take classes here has definitely helped the transition into college life. Also, getting involved helped me manage the heavy workload of my classes and prioritize time for myself. Outside of school, I love being outside and I absolutely love the ocean especially since I live so close to the beach. I can't wait to meet you all on campus and I'm looking forward to chatting with you soon! If you have any questions you can reach me through my email ([abdelia@syr.edu](mailto:abdelia@syr.edu)) or my Instagram ([audrey\\_delia](https://www.instagram.com/audrey_delia)).





Maya  
Dupuis

Heya!!! Congratulations, I cannot wait to meet you guys! I'm Maya Dupuis and I'm a rising second-year student. I live in London, England however I am from Poland, Belgium and Cambodia (I love speaking French so please do so if you know it). Outside of architecture I love to do anything creative, absolutely adore the outdoors as well as music. On campus I am an Architecture Ambassador and Peer Advisor, set design and modeling team for FADS, I am pledging APX at the moment and am part of the architecture LLC. In my free time I love dancing, drawing random doodles, shopping, going out to eat, cooking and concerts. I cannot wait to meet you all :) Feel free to reach out to me on insta with any questions @maya\_dupuis\_ or over email mddupuis@syr.edu, have a great day !



Marco  
Flecha de  
Lima Cassone

Hey Class of 2028!! Congratulations on getting into Syracuse Architecture!! WOOT WOOT!! My name is Marco, I'm gonna be a sophomore this coming fall and I'm so excited to meet all of you. I've lived in São Paulo, Brazil my entire life and moved to the U.S. for university. There is SO MUCH to do in Syracuse, if Greek life is not your thing, the countless activities and clubs you can join within the university are immense. I'm a Peer Advisor and hoping to join the SoA Ambassadors; I personally love playing badminton and learning about bio architecture, I'm also hoping to join the Ceramics club and the Jewelry & Metalsmithing club next semester. I work at ITS in my spare time and there are countless other oncampus jobs you can join that are being offered all through the semester.

Welcome to college! Finishing high school and moving on to this new phase of your lives is hard, but believe me when I say everyone is different. This is nowhere near being a freshman in high school. People in college have all been in the place you'll be in soon and are ready to give you a warm welcome and hold you up through the process. You can always count on me no matter what you need (whether you need someone to talk to or help with your project). Feel free to contact me at @marcoflcassone on Insta!







*Dhruv  
Jadhav*

Hi everyone. I'm Dhruv Jadhav, and I'm a rising third-year architecture student at Syracuse University. I grew up in Arizona and now live in New Jersey. Congrats to everyone on acceptance into SU School of Architecture. My first introduction to the SOA was the Architecture Summer program, which I did in 2020. The program really showed me a lot about the school and its curriculum and culture. From then, I knew I really wanted to come to Syracuse. Going to school here has been a really fun time and I'm sure you all will enjoy Syracuse. Outside of class, I'm a part of FDS and the Peer Advising program at the SOA. I also really enjoy sports, music, and spending time with friends. You'll always see me listening to music or watching sports (sometimes both!). Architecture school can be difficult at times but it's still really fun and I'm sure y'all are going to have an amazing time at Syracuse. Feel free to reach out if you have any questions or anything- you can contact me through insta (dhruv\_jadhav1) or email (djadhav@syr.edu).



*Neha  
Jaiswal*

Hey Class of 2028! My name is Neha and I'm from Mumbai, India – and I'm going to be a sophomore this fall. This will be my first experience as a Peer Advisor and I'm so excited to meet you guys!! Currently I'm an Architecture Ambassador and also part of the AIAS general body. Outside of architecture, I love photography and hope to minor in it. I also love to swim and play at the badminton club. I look forward to meeting you guys, and congratulations on getting into Syracuse Architecture!! Feel free to reach out to me @neha.nandini on instagram!







*Ellie  
Kaufer*

Hi! My name is Ellie Kaufer. I am from Westchester, NY and I am an incoming 2nd-year student. I played volleyball all throughout high school and have always had a passion for photography. I hope to minor in real estate in the Whitman School. Outside of architecture, I am a member of Delta Phi Epsilon sorority. When I am at home, you can find me in the kitchen baking, on a drive with my friends or grabbing a coffee. Feel free to reach out with any questions! I can't wait to meet you all! (@ellie.kaufer)



*Dio  
Krueziu*

Hi everyone! Congrats on becoming a part of The School of Architecture! I'm Dionesa (Dio) and I am a rising 2nd year. I'm originally from Albania, but I currently live in New York City. I enjoy reading, discovering new music, and all forms of art. I am also a part of the MORE in Architecture Living Learning Community. Fun fact: I have a grumpy 14 year old chihuahua who I love spending time with! I'm very excited to meet everyone! Feel free to reach out to me with any questions! My email is dkrueziu@syr.edu and my Instagram is @dionesa\_b







*Gia  
Lettieri*

Hi!!!!!! My name is Gia Lettieri, and I am a rising second-year student. I was born and raised in Scranton, Pennsylvania... like from The Office. I am an architecture major and plan to minor in psychology. I am currently part of the Architecture Student Organization and, I am an Architecture Ambassador and Peer Advisor...(obvi) In my free time, I go to the gym to lift, listen to new music, or play video games. (My fav right now is Breath of the Wild) My favorite thing about Syracuse is the constant concerts, ranging from the top artists playing in the Dome to local student bands, it fuels my music addiction. I can't wait til you all get here. WELCOME TO SYRACUSE ARCH FAM (: (ig: @gialettieri)



*Alison  
Luo*

Hi! Congratulations Class of 2028! My name is Alison and I'm a rising third-year student. I'm from San Francisco, California. In my spare time, I like to read books, watch movies (especially Harry Potter) and tv shows, and draw. I am a huge fan of Taylor Swift so you'll typically find me listening to her music. Within the School of Architecture, I joined AIAS in my first year, which helped me meet a lot of upperclassmen and later on develop leadership skills through being a part of their E-Board. In addition, I am a student ambassador in the school of architecture along with being a Peer Advisor. I love meeting new people and interacting. I am so excited to meet you all and excited to share my experiences with you all and help you navigate through college! You can reach out to me if you have any questions through Instagram! ig: \_aalisonnn\_





*Bella  
Mansfield*

Hey!! I'm Bella! I'm from Seattle, Washington and I'm going into my 2nd year. I decided to go to Syracuse because of the architecture program (obviously) and all the activities that are on campus! I really enjoy getting out by playing sports and going outside. This last year I've been playing soccer, dodgeball, futsal, and volleyball with friends! It's also been really fun exploring all the restaurants and thrift stores around campus. Syracuse is also surrounded by nature & it's pretty similar to seattle! Just a tad colder lol. I am also interested in taking a minor in landscape architecture or something that involves project management. I can't wait to meet you all!

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*Lillian  
Marsh*

Hey everyone! Congrats on your acceptance to Syracuse Architecture! Get hyped woووoo!!! I'm Lilly and I'm a rising second-year student from Hoboken, NJ. I love reading, photography, and playing the guitar. I also love exploring nature and going to concerts, coffee shops, and museums. Around campus I'm involved in AIAS as a class rep, I'm a Peer Advisor and Architecture Ambassador and I'm in Alpha Gamma Delta. On warm days you'll find me eating all my meals in front of Schine in a hammock so feel free to stop by and join! I can't wait to meet you all and don't hesitate to reach out! (IG: @lillyjm\_ email: ljmarsh@syr.edu)







*Drew  
McMullen*

Hi everyone! Welcome to Syracuse. My name is Drew, a rising sophomore and from San Diego, California. I'm here to make your transition to college as easy and fun as possible. On campus, I'm a part of Groovestand A Capella, the Honors college and of course serve as an Architecture Peer Advisor and Ambassador. Some activities I love outside of architecture are surfing (which I miss dearly,) playing guitar, singing, running, thrifting, and hanging out with friends. Looking forward to meeting all of you this fall. Please reach out to me if you have any sort of questions! Seriously! @drewmcmullenn on instagram or ajmcmull@syr.edu



*Maddie  
Merrill*

Hi everyone! Congrats on your acceptance to the School of Architecture! My name is Maddie Merrill and I am a rising second-year student from southern New Hampshire. A little bit about me is I love anything outdoors, when I'm not in studio you can often find me hammocking on the Quad after class on warm days. I love hiking, camping, skiing, pottery and am always looking for a new hobby to hyperfixate on. I am a member of the SU club ski team and I am also a part of Greek life on campus through my sorority Alpha Gamma Delta. Within the School of Architecture I am also on the executive board of AIAS as a class rep for the Class of 2027. I am so excited to meet everyone! Feel free to reach out if you have any questions, see you in the fall! (ig: @maddie\_merrill05)







*Alana  
Mitchell*

Hello class of 2028! My name is Alana Mitchell, and I am a rising 2nd-year student from Northern Virginia. This is going to be my first year as a Peer Advisor and I am very excited to be an advisor for the new class of architecture students. I am a part of the Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Accessibility committee in the school of architecture as well as a member of the Architecture Ambassadors where I give tours to prospective students. Outside of Architecture I am a member of the Ballet club and I take ice skating lessons on campus in my spare time. I additionally take piano classes with the Setnor School of Music at Syracuse and I hope to minor in Private Piano Performance and Public Policy while I am here at SU. A few of my hobbies are playing piano, running, and reading. Throughout my childhood I did sprinting primarily, but since I've been at SU I have picked up distance running as a way to relax and take my mind off of work. I look forward to meeting everyone in August!



*Tosia  
Mysliwiec*

Hi, everyone! My name is Antonia Mysliwiec but I go by Tosia (pronounced To-sha). I am a rising third-year student at Syracuse, and I'm originally from Cliffside Park, New Jersey, which is in northern New Jersey! I'm Polish which explains the last name and first name (haha) and I am fluent in the Polish language! At Syracuse I'm part of the club Ski Team, Future Designers for Syracuse (FDS) and the Renée Crown University Honors Program. I love to ski, read, edit videos, and travel and may have a slight Dunkin' and Panera obsession. SOA has been nothing but a welcoming, warm, and helpful community. It can seem intimidating at first but being surrounded by people who have the same interests as you, from so many different places, becomes the best experience ever! You become so close with everyone and feel so at home in such a short amount of time, it really is the best time. Congrats on becoming a part of our family and see you soon!





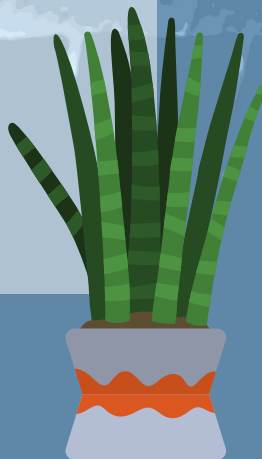
*Sofia  
Rivera*

Hi everyone! My name is Sofia Rivera, and I'm a third-year student in the School of Architecture at Syracuse University. Originally from Medellin, Colombia, I currently reside in Brookfield, Connecticut. I'm a member of the Honors Program and Our Time Has Come Scholars, I'm also pursuing a minor in Business in Whitman. In my free time, I enjoy exploring new restaurants, going on spontaneous trips with friends, taking cycling classes at the Barnes Center, and running. Although I have a broad taste in music, you'll most likely find me listening to Drake. My time at Syracuse has not only introduced me to new passions but has also connected me with like-minded individuals. If you ever feel lost during your transition, don't hesitate to reach out to me for support. I'm here to help make your time both in and outside of the School of Architecture as enjoyable as possible. I'm excited to meet you all, and congratulations on joining Syracuse University! Feel free to contact me at [Sriver14@syr.edu](mailto:Sriver14@syr.edu) or through my Instagram, Sofrvera.



*Ella  
Robertson*

Hello everyone! My name is Ella! I am from Camillus, NY. This fall I will be a second-year student in Syracuse Architecture. This is my first year as a Peer Advisor and I am so excited to meet you all. I want to minor in business management because I want to have the option to run my own business in the future. Right now I am an Architecture Ambassador. I give tours to prospective students as well as admitted students. Also, outside of architecture I am on the club gymnastics team. During spring semester I get to travel a couple times with my team and compete. I really enjoy gymnastics because it is a great break from class work. I also enjoy watching shows, reading books, and just hanging out with all my amazing friends I met my first year. I am really looking forward to meeting you all.







*Gianna  
Rullo*

Hi everyone! Congratulations on your admission to Syracuse University's School of Architecture! My name is Gianna and I'm a rising second-year student from Binghamton, New York! I chose Syracuse for its fantastic academic program and resources that help students thrive in a healthy and happy environment! When I'm not being an Architecture Ambassador or Peer Advisor, I participate in the SU Club Tennis Team and Architecture Student Organization (ASO). I'm also part of the Honors, Alpha Rho Chi, and H.E.L.P. organizations! In my spare time, I enjoy volunteering, reading, traveling, spending time with friends and family, as well as eating! So although architecture may seem daunting, you have plenty of time and opportunities to explore! Besides, if you ever feel overwhelmed or unsure of something, we're always here to help! You've got this! Congratulations again! I can't wait to meet all of you!!



*Noah  
Sadler*

Hi everyone, congratulations on getting into Syracuse! I am Noah Sadler and I am from Scotch Plains, New Jersey. I am a rising second-year student and I am a part of the Outing Club, Circle K, Architecture Ambassadors, and Peer Advisors. I have played soccer all my life and am a fan of Liverpool FC. I also love watching movies and am a big skier. In January I went to Verbier, Switzerland to ski with my friends. I am so excited to meet all of you, so please feel free to reach out to me with any questions, my instagram is @noahsalad. Have a good summer!



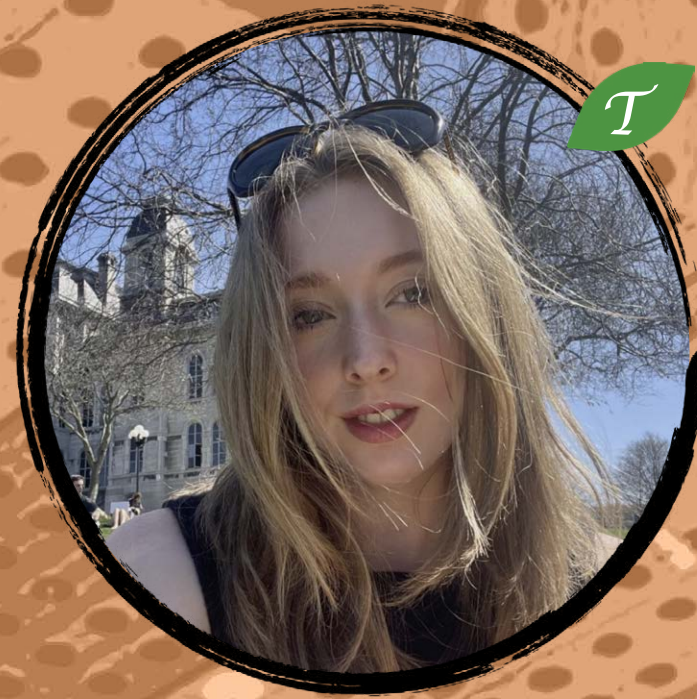




Segal

*Emily  
Segal*

Hi everyone! My name is Emily Segal! I am a rising second-year student in the SoA! I am a member of AIAS, an Arch Ambassador, and I hope to minor in Sustainable Construction Management. I am from Portland, Maine and I love painting, crocheting, listening to music, watching movies and dancing and everything outdoors (especially hammocking on the Quad)! Outside of architecture, I am a member of Danceworks (dm me if you are interested in dancing in college!!) and Alpha Gamma Delta (dm if you want to learn more about Syracuse Greek life too!) I love going to Syracuse sports games and dressing up to show school spirit! Reach out to me for any questions you may have about Syracuse. My insta is @emily\_segal4 and my email is eksegal@syr.edu Welcome to our Orange fam!



*Kayla  
Stock*

Hello Class of 2028! Congratulations on your acceptance into the School of Architecture! My name is Kayla and I'm a rising second-year student from Chicago. At Syracuse I am involved in set design and modeling for FADS (Fashion and Design Society), graphic design for Zeal Magazine, an Architecture Ambassador, and I'm in the Architecture LLC. I also plan on minoring in art history. I love to travel and read, and I'm really into art and fashion. In my free time I love grabbing a coffee somewhere local, shopping, and spending time outside (but only when it's warm). So excited to meet all of you this fall! If you have any questions feel free to DM me @kayla.stock11 or email me at klstock@syr.edu







*Kate  
Tang*

Hi everyone! Congrats on choosing Syracuse Architecture- I can't wait to meet all of you! My name is Kate and I'm from Detroit, Michigan. On campus I'm a part of NOMAS, the Honors college and of course the Peer Advising program. I love reading, anything food related, being active, spending time with friends and camping. I'm excited to tell you all about Syracuse and hopefully make your adjustment easier. Don't hesitate to reach out to me if you have any questions, or even if you just want to chat! My insta is @katetang\_ and my email is ktang12@syr.edu.



*Nicole  
Trubskyy*

Welcome and congratulations to the class of 2028!! I'm so proud of all of you! My name is Nicole and I am a rising second-year student at the School of Architecture and I am also minoring in Landscape Architecture at the College of Environmental Science and Forestry. Other than being a Peer Advisor I am also a student ambassador, a member of the Alpha Rho Chi fraternity (the national fraternity for architecture and the allied arts), a member of the Ukrainian Club at Syracuse, and involved with the Architecture Student Organization. In my spare time I like to paint, rock climb, play the piano, hammock with friends, and listen to music (talk to me about music please and thank you). My instagram is @nicole.trubskyy if you want to DM me and say what's up! I can't wait to meet all of you in August...be excited!







*Neha  
Waghmare*

Hi everyone! Congratulations on choosing Syracuse University School of Architecture! My name is Neha and I'm from Pune, India. I am a rising 2nd year student. I am also planning to minor in Studio Arts. I am a part of Architecture Students Organization (ASO), MORE in Architecture LLC, and a FYS Peer Leader. This is my first year as an Architecture Peer Advisor and I'm so excited to meet everyone! Outside of class I like to read, paint, swim, listen to music. Other interests include art and photography. Please reach out if you need anything! (insta: \_nehaa\_14, email: nwaghmar@syr.edu)



*Adam  
Wingert*

Hello everyone and congratulations! My name is Adam Wingert and I am a rising second-year student from London, Ontario in Canada. Outside of class and being a Peer Advisor I am the treasurer of the Curling Club and am involved in Robotics Club as well. I encourage all of you to try to get involved on campus as I have, it's a rewarding experience and there are so many rich communities to find your place with here at Syracuse. In my free time, I enjoy playing games, building Legos, and drawing. If you have any questions or just want to chat, you can reach out to me on Instagram (adam\_wingert), or by email, (acwinger@syr.edu). I look forward to seeing everyone here this fall as we kick off a new, exciting year in architecture!







Monica  
Yee

Hey everyone, congrats on your acceptance into Syracuse University! My name is Monica Yee, and I am a rising 3rd-year student. I am from Torrance California, which is near the Los Angeles area. I chose to attend Syracuse because of the beautiful campus and for the chance to experience all four seasons! However even with our amazing campus, I love to explore Syracuse, try new foods, and see shows in the city. I am naturally an introvert, but putting myself out there helped me to find friends with similar interests to me and made the college transition much easier. I am so excited to meet everyone this coming fall! Please feel free to contact me on instagram monicaky\_ or through email myee05@syr.edu.



Bruno  
Yeh

Hey everyone! My name is Bruno Yeh and I am a rising second-year student from Wilmington, Delaware. I am an Architecture Ambassador and am excited to be a Peer Advisor! Outside of architecture, I like to keep myself busy with intramural sports such as soccer, futsal, dodgeball and volleyball, as well as other clubs such as the Jewelry and Metalsmithing club. I love to travel and get outside, play video games, workout and try new restaurants. One of my favorite things about Syracuse and the School of Architecture is how much there is to do. From guest lectures, to the New York State Fair, you can dive deeper into your studies or completely take a break from them whenever you want. I know you might be a bit nervous right now (Don't worry. I was there too) so if you have any questions, feel free to reach out to me @bruno.yeh on Instagram. I am excited to meet you all in the fall!



# SOCIAL MEDIA TEAM



*Alexandra  
Grypinich*

Coordinator

A select group of upperclassmen who create and maintain all the program's social media platforms, such as Instagram and GroupMe. Members assemble and post relevant, engaging information for the new class on a regular basis throughout the year. They will also create special videos for orientation, which we are sure that you will love. This group is mainly behind the scenes but you are welcome to reach out to any of these members who you may feel a connection with. In addition, they have some part-time members who are also Traditional Advisors.

Hi and congrats!! My name is Alexandra, and I am a rising 5th-year student from Detroit area, Michigan. My family is originally from Montreal, Quebec, so I speak French at home. I have been an Architecture Ambassador and a Peer Advisor since my first year, and I am excited to lead the social media committee this year! I am in many organizations on campus including AIAS, Architecture Ambassadors, Women in Design, and I am a founding member of Alpha Rho Chi, the national gender inclusive professional fraternity for architecture and the allied arts. On campus, I have a job as a research intern for Dr. Sharifi a professor whose research focuses on deep energy retrofitting and Passive House. I spent all of 2022 abroad (London in the spring and Florence in the fall) which was an incredible experience, and I love to talk about it, so ask me questions if you have any! Outside of architecture, I am in the Honors program and have a minor in Sustainable Construction from SUNY ESF. In my free time I love to craft (all crafts but especially crochet), swim (mi piace nuotare), read, and travel. I can't wait to meet you all and hopefully be your 5th year buddy!





*Katie  
Eveleth*

Hi Everyone! Congratulations on your acceptance to the School of Architecture! My name is Katie Eveleth and I am a rising 5th-year B.Arch student at Syracuse University! I am from Chatham, New Jersey which is about 45 minutes away from New York City! You can usually find me in the studio or on campus taking videos for my youtube channel (I make architecture vlogs)! Aside from Peer Advisors and the social media committee, I am on the e-board for Architecture Student Organization, also I take pictures for school events. Outside of architecture, I'm part of a K-pop dance team called Cuse Krew and I play badminton on the Club team (I'm also the club secretary so message me if you want to join)! In my free time I sell custom digital art, play tennis and ski with friends. Through architecture, I did the NYC and London abroad programs. I will be studying abroad in Japan at a different university in the fall but I'm excited to meet you all in the spring!



*Stephanie  
Feng*

Hi, congrats! I am Stephanie, or you can call me Steph for short, and I will be an entering 2nd-year student. I am from Melbourne Australia and Beijing China, so I speak Mandarin and Cantonese at home. This is my first year being a Peer Advisor and I am excited to meet you all, be a friend and help you all gain familiarity around campus. I love anything fitness and sport related, art and reading. I chose Syracuse because of the great community, wide range of electives and the balance between work and play. I hope to minor in Business at Whitman School of Management. My instagram is [steph\\_enni](#), reach out if you have any questions! If you don't have any questions just say hi and we can be friends! :)







*Jake  
Glagola*

Hey, everyone! Congratulations on your acceptance to the School of Architecture! I can guarantee you will love it here. My name is Jake Glagola and I am a rising third-year student. I am from Ellicott City, Maryland, which is between Baltimore and Washington, D.C. In high school, I played baseball and was the head manager for our football team. I have a lot of history playing several other sports. Currently, I am a very active golfer and skier. Here on campus, I do a little of everything. There are so many opportunities and fun things you can do that I love to try out with my friends. A big thing you will have to learn is time management, and I am here to help. My rule of thumb is to get everything done as soon as possible. This will give you the free time to explore the other great parts of Syracuse and not be stuck in your dorm room or studio. I am looking forward to meeting you all. Please reach out to me if you have any questions, I love talking with people. My Instagram and Snapchat are @jakeglagola; email is jwglagol@syr.edu. Bleed Orange!



*Pallas  
Hoffmann*

Hey everyone! My name is Pallas Hoffmann, I'm currently headed into my third year at Syracuse University School of Architecture and I wanted to congratulate you on being accepted into the program! I know that at this point before my first year, I was very overwhelmed with information and matriculation tasks, so I hope I can be a resource for you during these stressful weeks. A little bit about me, my parents are from Laos and Germany, however, I was born and raised in Rochester, NY. I did manage to spend a lot of time with my family in Germany and traveling in the US and in Europe. During my free time I love thrifting, hiking, and spending time with friends and family. Along with being in Syracuse University's Honors Program, I'm an Architecture Ambassador, and Secretary for the Women's Club Volleyball Team. Outside of architecture I play in Club, Intramural, and Sharkey's Volleyball, and am a part of the Filipino Student Association (FSA). For this summer, I am interning at Passero Associates in Rochester, where we work on a lot of community-oriented projects. During the school year, I also work on the changeover crew at the Dome (we set up every game!) As you can see, there are so many clubs and organizations you can join, as well as flexible job opportunities, if that's something you're interested in. Feel free at any point to reach out with any questions or if you feel confused about something, I might not have all the answers, but can put you in contact with someone who does! I'm so excited to meet you in the fall!

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*Grace  
Hong*

Hey everyone!! Welcome to the Syracuse Architecture Class of 2028! My name is Grace Hong and I am currently a rising third-year student. I'm from Old Greenwich, Connecticut, but grew up in Tokyo, Japan! Growing up abroad allowed me to experience so many different cultures and ultimately sparked my interest in architecture. My high school in Connecticut was pretty small (only 75 people in my graduating class!) but I found the transition to Syracuse to be not too difficult. With the tight-knit community of the School of Architecture you get the feeling of a smaller school with all of the opportunities of a larger university. Personally, I love to explore new places, travel, and go on little adventures. I am also a big dog person! I have a four year old mini goldendoodle named Teddy back home! He's the picture on my lock screen and I'd be more than happy to show you some pictures and bond over our pets (I also have a bunny named Indigo!!) I'm part of the architecture + design professional fraternity APX, the set design team of FADS (Fashion and Design Society club), the architecture school DEIA council, and of course Peer Advising and Architecture Ambassadors! Feel free to reach out to me on insta @gracehonggg or over email at gahong@syr.edu!! I can't wait to see you all on campus :)



*Ali  
Martinez*

Hi everyone! My name is Ali Martinez and I'm currently a rising 4th-year student from Long Island, New York. Congratulations on your acceptance into the Syracuse University School of Architecture! You should be so proud of yourself! After taking part in Syracuse's Summer College Architecture program, I knew that SOA was the place for me and I can't imagine being anywhere else. I've been a part of the Peer Advising Program since my first year, working as a traditional advisor my second year, and on the Social Media Committee this past year and next year! Architecture can take up a lot of your time, so remember to take some time for yourself! In addition to being a Peer Advisor, I'm an Ambassador for the School of Architecture, and I'm currently the Vice President of Education of my sorority, Kappa Alpha Theta. Outside of architecture you can find me having movie nights with my friends, taking pictures of everything, exploring Syracuse, and sitting on my house's porch! College is a big transition for everyone, so don't be afraid to put yourself out there and make new friends! Just remember to be patient, and that good things come to those who wait. Syracuse has so much to offer, so make the most of it... I promise it'll be worth it. Congratulations again and I can't wait to meet you all next year!





*Sophia  
Martino*

Hi everyone!! Congratulations on your acceptance and get ready for the upcoming best years of your life. My name is Sophia Martino and I'm from Westfield, New Jersey. I'm going into my fourth year and I'm happy to say that I've been a member of the Peer Advising Program since my first year. I worked as a Traditional Advisor my second year and started working with the Social Media Committee my third year and will continue to work with them for my fourth year. I just finished a semester abroad in Florence, Italy and I would be more than happy to talk about my experience with anyone who's interested. Within the School of Architecture, in addition to Peer Advising, I am also an Ambassador for prospective students and recently joined FDS, Future Designers for Syracuse. Outside of architecture, I love to write, spend time with my friends, and explore new parts of Syracuse. Even though I've been attending the school for three years, I still feel like there's so much I haven't seen or done, which is one of the amazing aspects of Syracuse. I could talk about how much I love my school for days, but I'll save that for when I meet you all! I know starting a new chapter in your life is extremely overwhelming, especially starting school as an architecture major and I know the stereotypes surrounding architecture school doesn't help. I'm here as a support system in every and any way I can be, I hope you're all as excited as I am. Can't wait to see everyone!!



*Chris  
Stoumpas*

Hello and congrats!!! My name is Chris Stoumpas, and I am a rising third-year student from Darien, Connecticut. I have been an Architecture Ambassador and Peer Advisor since my first year at SOA, and I'm excited to be a part of this journey with you this year. I'm involved in a few organizations on campus including Architecture Ambassadors, Outing Club, Formula 44, and Alpha Rho Chi. You can usually find me either in the studio or in the Barnes Center having fun with friends. I recently picked up mountain biking and absolutely love it! If you ever want to talk about biking or soccer, I'm the person to talk to. In addition to the extracurriculars, I have committed to taking a minor in Environment & Society. This is a great option if you are interested in the environment and want to be conscious of making a more sustainable/healthy future. I really can't wait to hear from you all, and I look forward to being a part of this journey with you.





*Safi  
Subhan-Khan*

Hi! My name is Safiyyah Subhan-Khan (Safi) and I am a rising third-year student from Union, New Jersey. First, I would like to say congratulations on being accepted into Syracuse University's School of Architecture. This would be my second year Peer Advising and I am very excited to be continuing it this year! I love to keep myself active so you'll find me at the Barnes Center either working out or playing volleyball with my friends. I also love to play the guitar, so let me know if you would be interested in a jam session with me! I can't wait to hear from you all and meet you in person this coming semester!



*Lucy  
Ziesing*

Hi everyone and congratulations!! My name is Lucy, I'm entering my 4th year and I'm from New Jersey. I have been part of the Peer Advisors since my 1st year, as a Peer Advisor, a part-time member and chair of the social media committee. I am excited to return again to help out in any way I can. Unfortunately I will not be there in person because I am spending all of the 2023 academic year abroad, spring in Florence and fall in London, so I will not be there to meet all of you :( However, when on campus, I am involved in many things within, and outside, of the SOA. I am an Architecture Ambassador, a member of Alpha Rho Chi, part of the Architecture Student Organization, a member of Danceworks, a tour guide for University 100, I work at the Barnes Center, and I'm pursuing a minor in Project Management through SU's College of Professional Studies. I also enjoy listening to music, crocheting, solving puzzles, and baking. Upon returning to SU in the spring, I look forward to continuing my engagement with these organizations and meeting you all! Good luck with your first semester and I can't wait to meet you all!





Ana  
Ahumada

Hello, Class of 2028! Congratulations on joining the Orange family! My names is Ana Karen Ahumada, and I'm a rising second-year student. I was born and raised in Mexico City but I currently live in the beautiful city of Victoria, Canada. When I am on campus, you can find me participating in a few organizations like AIAS, NOMAS, and the Raices Dance Troupe. I also work as a Peer Advisor and Ambassador for Architecture; it's the best team ever. I am planning on getting a minor in Construction Management and Sustainable Construction Management.

In my free time, I love playing sports, especially soccer, dancing, exploring new restaurants, visiting museums, and having spontaneous adventures with friends. I'm so excited to meet all of you and show you why Syracuse is such an amazing place to be! Please don't hesitate to reach out on Instagram @anak.av or via email @aahumada@syr.edu. I can't wait to get to know you all better!



Sia  
Bagga

Hey!! I am Sia a rising third-year student from Delhi, India. A little bit about me is that I love to dance, listen to music and paint. I'm involved with many organizations such as the Architecture Ambassador and Peer Advisor programs in the School of Architecture. Apart from this, I also teach dance as a part of the Orange Pulse Dance Troupe (a student run organization on campus). I like to spend my free time hanging out with friends. Can't wait to meet everyone, feel free to reach out with any questions!(insta: siaaa.\_.04). Have a great summer and Welcome to the Orange Family :))







*Jenny  
Colbert*

Hi Class of 2028! My name is Jenny Colbert and I am so excited to get to know you all and welcome you to Syracuse this year! I am a rising second-year student from just outside Boston, Massachusetts. I love basketball (Go Celtics!), cooking/baking, photography, and I am a huge dog person. One of my favorite things to do on and around campus is go on super random adventures, especially when it is nice out. I am in the first-year Architecture LLC, which has been an amazing part of my experience at Syracuse so far - I also play intramural soccer and volleyball with some friends from in and out of the LLC. If you have any questions please feel free to reach out (ig: j\_colbert\_ or my email: jlcolber@syr.edu). Congrats!!!



*Dannia  
Fano*

Hi! Congrats on your acceptance to the School of Architecture! My name is Dannia Fano and I'm a rising second-year student. I was born in the U.S. but I was raised in Lima, Peru. Aside from architecture, I also enjoy fashion (a lot!) hence I want to pursue a Fashion minor. On campus I am an Architecture Ambassador and Peer Advisor, part of FADS set design and modeling team, ZEAL magazine graphic designer and in the Architecture LLC. In my free time I enjoy watching movies (specifically Barbie and princess movies), going to the gym and going out with my friends. I can't wait to meet you all :) Feel free to reach out to me on insta with any questions @dfpicasso or over email dafa@syr.edu!!







*Juhi  
Idnani*

Hii congratulations and welcome to the next chapter of your lives! I'm Juhi, a rising second-year student from Mumbai, India. Coming to such a big university was very overwhelming (especially as an international student) but being in the School of Architecture definitely helps you find a smaller but wonderful community. I'm involved in South Asian Student Association, Architecture Ambassadors, Alpha Rho Chi and the SU Run Club. I love to run, play basketball, draw, listen to Taylor Swift, binge sitcoms/romcoms and roam aimlessly around our beautiful campus. When I'm not stuck in studio, you can find me working at the Barnes Center or sitting outside on the quad when the weather is good. I encourage everyone to take advantage of the vast range of opportunities Syracuse has to offer and get involved in everything that interests you (beyond architecture too!). Feel free to email me at [jvidnani@syr.edu](mailto:jvidnani@syr.edu) with any questions, concerns or comments (or Instagram [@juhi\\_idnani](https://www.instagram.com/juhi_idnani)) I can't wait to welcome the class of 2028!



*Ain  
Jun*

Yo yo :) Congrats and welcome to the Class of 2028! My name is Ain Jun and I'm currently a rising 2nd-year student. I was born in Seoul, South Korea, but I came to the U.S. when I was a year old and have lived in Naperville, IL (Chicago Suburbs) ever since. I chose architecture fairly impulsively because I felt as though nothing else would give me the satisfaction I wanted from a college experience/degree. I am so excited to say that I have never once regretted such a decision, and I've found it actually ties into way more areas of interest in my life than I would have ever thought. In school, I am a part of the Design+Architecture Professional Fraternity APX. Outside of school I pursue a music career and currently release music with a partner as part of an independent label "Bellyfish". Additionally, I love to sing, dance, and work out whenever I can. Also, I love meeting new people and I cannot wait to welcome y'all to the School in the Fall. If y'all have any questions or just want to reach out, my email is [ajun01@syr.edu](mailto:ajun01@syr.edu), and my Instagram is [@ainj0722](https://www.instagram.com/ainj0722).





*Reva  
Murkar*

Hi! Welcome to the School of Architecture! I am Reva Murkar, a secondyear student from Mumbai, India. At Syracuse University, School of Architecture I am an Architecture Ambassador, a member of the AIAS group, the International Mentor Squad, and the MORE in Architecture LLC. Outside of architecture, I am very passionate about traveling, art, and culture. Do not hesitate to reach out! (Instagram: reva.murkar)



*Eli  
Ramos*

Hey everybody! I'm Eli from Albany, New York. I'm a rising second-year architecture student and I plan on minoring in landscape architecture at ESF. Currently, I am a part of the Architecture LLC, an Architecture Ambassador, and Peer Advisors. Outside of architecture, I am also a part of the Filipino Student Association, where I get to connect with my culture and spread its warmth to the rest of Syracuse University. I love to explore cities and roam around until I find something interesting, whether that's food, a store, or a museum. I also love to go to the gym, bike, and binge watch shows on Netflix. The School of Architecture has been nothing less than amazing, everything from the people I've met to the projects I've gotten to do. I'm so excited to get to meet everybody in the fall! If you have any questions, feel free to reach out! (Insta: the.elijah.ramos)





Meg  
Ryan

Hi!! I'm Megan Ryan but feel free to call me Meg. I am a rising second-year student and I am from Lynbrook, New York which is on Long Island. This is my first year being a Peer Advisor and I am super excited to be one and meet all of you in August! While I am majoring in Architecture I plan to minor in Medieval and Renaissance Studies and some sort of Environmental Science. Some clubs I am involved in are the Architecture Ambassadors where I give tours and help with events, the Ballet Club which holds various dance classes 2-3 times a week, and Orange Pulse a charity-based dance group, and OttoTHON which is part of Dance Marathon hosting a 12-hour dance marathon every year to raise money for Upstate Golisano Children's Hospital. I am also part of the Renee Crown Honors Program and am currently living in the Honors LLC. Outside of schoolwork and extra curriculars I volunteer, am trying to learn to play the piano and I love watching movies and going to NYC to see shows. I can't wait to see all of you in August!!



Sam  
Willson

Welcome Class of 2028! My name is Sam and I am an incoming second-year student. I am also minoring in Political Science through the Maxwell School of Citizenship. Outside of being a Peer Advisor, I'm a U100 Ambassador for the Office of Admissions (you may have seen me if you had a campus tour), I'm on the board for AIAS, and I also participate in intramural sports. I love to read and draw, and I also picked up curling this year, so if you're interested in trying out curling dm me on instagram! I've also been playing basketball my whole life and love to play at the Barnes Center with my friends. Feel free to follow me @sam.willson23 and send me a message saying hi!



# CREATIVE TEAM



*Fiona  
Cao*

*Coordinator*

A select group of upperclassmen who are responsible for creating all program materials including this welcome packet, promotional items, activities/games, etc. They will photograph opening weekend activities, design the awesome Peer Advisors t-shirt that you will see during orientation, and so much more. This group is mainly behind the scenes but you are welcome to reach out to any of these members who you may feel a connection with. In addition, they have some part-time members who are also Traditional Advisors.

Congratulations on joining our School of Architecture in Syracuse University! This is an excellent program with professional faculties and talented students. My name is Fiona Cao. I am a rising 5th-year student from Xian, Shaanxi, China. I speak English, Mandarin, and learned a little bit of Italian in my study abroad semester. I minored in Psychology, and got the QPR Suicide Prevention Certificate, so feel free to let me know if there is anything I could help with. I am the coordinator of the creative team, and interested in motion graphics, ceramics, painting, documentary, movies, and traveling. I am happy to chat architecture, and all these things with you. Hope you have fun and explore whatever you want at Syracuse University. Feel free to email me at [jcao19@syr.edu](mailto:jcao19@syr.edu).





*James  
Barbier*

Hey everybody! Congrats on making it into Syracuse University School of Architecture!! My name is James Barbier and I am a rising 4th-year student from Fort Collins, Colorado. Here at Syracuse University I enjoy a variety of activities from playing tennis and golf to going to the gyms to hanging out with fellow architecture students on weekends and evenings. The vibrant architecture community was one of the few reasons why I chose Syracuse University's Architecture program over other schools, as it is a fantastic college of inclusive and creatively engaging people to be around, and I cannot wait for you all to have the wonderful opportunity to experience it! I am also an honors student and would be honored (hehehe) to share with you my own experience with how the honors program is going, the benefits you get from being in honors, and what to make of the whole shebang. At home I spend my days playing golf, tennis and basketball when I can, while enjoying my time in Wyoming hiking, biking, and exploring the untouched wilderness. During the winter I am an avid skier, from cross country skiing to downhill to backcountry off-piste skiing. When I am not at home I am often traveling to my favourite home con-, to visit my family in England as well as exploring other countries around the world (sorry almost slipped up there, nothing to look here, totally not an avid British supporter from Wyoming disguised as a Coloradorean, could not happen, Wyoming does not exist am I right? [ha, ha... ha]). I had an absolute blast as a first year student, and I cannot wait to meet you and include you in this wonderful world of Syracuse University School of Architecture. Take care, and congrats once again on making it in!



*TJ  
Wickersham*

Hi! I'm TJ Wickersham, and I'm a rising Fourth-year student at Syracuse University's School of Architecture. I'm from West Chester, Pennsylvania, which is about a 50-minute drive from Philadelphia. I chose Syracuse Architecture because it was the program that made me feel the most at home by far, thanks to the school's outreach, and particularly to the Peer Advising group. This is truly a one-of-a-kind community, and I'm very glad to be a part of it all. When I'm not architecture-ing on campus, I'm a member of the Jewelry and Metalsmithing Club and a fairly regular fan of Barnes Center hiking trips. In addition to those activities, I also like to participate in events through the LGBTQ Resource Center and the Center on Disability and Inclusion. At home, I mostly partake in some blacksmithing and woodworking for fun, with a good amount of my time playing video games, reading, or driving, all while listening to music of some variety. The first year experience is an amazing one, and I could never regret the time I've had here so far. While you're here, make sure to put your best effort into your work, but don't forget to be as well-rounded as possible! Explore your interests in other areas and try to take some time to enjoy yourself, because balance is just as important here as in any situation in life. Congratulations on your acceptance to the program, and Go Orange!





*Isaac  
Chin*

Hey and congrats on making it through high school! I'm Isaac and I'm a rising second-year student from Long Island, New York. I used to be from the city but the truth is, if you hear anyone say they're proud to be a New Yorker, they're probably lying to you and themselves, hence why I wanted to get out of there as fast as possible. The upside is that I don't have to worry about the manhole in front of my house exploding anymore (yes, that actually happened). The downside is that now every time I say I'm from New York, I get asked "Oh, like the city?", then I awkwardly reply "No, Long Island," all because they had to name the city after the state. And then there's the whole upstate part of New York no one cares about, like the Staten Island of New York City (you would understand what that means if you're from NYC). Anyways, I plan to take a minor in Sustainable Construction Management from SUNY ESF. Outside of architecture, I enjoy reading, photography, playing (and being bad at) video games, and once in a blue moon I'll maybe work out or pick up a tennis racket or something. I ultimately chose SOA because of all the resources the school provides to its students to let us fully realize our potential and hone our talents. Here's my advice: please use a Windows laptop, Mac just makes everything so backwards. One random fact about me is that I would bake an entire pan of brownies and, for the next couple of days, eat them for breakfast, lunch, and dinner. I wish I was lying.



*Aung Htet  
Khant Paing*

CONGRATULATIONS! Class of 2028! Welcome to Syracuse Architecture! My name is Aung Htet Khant Paing, but you can call me Calvin. I am a rising 2nd-year international student from Yangon, Myanmar. I am more than excited to welcome you all to the School of Architecture!!! I totally understand that some of you may be excited, some nervous, and some totally unhinged that all of you will be transitioning into college in a couple of months, and those are totally valid feelings, as we, the Peer Advisors, are here to help you with easing this transition from high school to college. At the school, I am involved in a wide variety of activities. First of all, I am part of the Architecture Living Learning Community, and I will still be in my 2nd year. I was the Programs Chair for the National Organization of Minority Architecture Students as well as an executive board member for the American Institute of Architecture Students. I will be continuing my positions in these organizations this fall semester, so I encourage all of you to join NOMAS and AIAS!!! Outside of school, I have participated in intramural soccer and Architecture LLC events as well as cultural events hosted by the university and the school. Additionally, I love trying different cultural cuisines and trying new restaurants, and I would consider myself a huge foodie. So don't be scared to reach out if you have any questions regarding places you should try around Syracuse (or New York City as well!), and I will be more than happy to point you all in the right direction ;). If any of you have questions or just wanted to get to know more about the school and life here in general, please feel free to reach out at [akhantpa@syr.edu](mailto:akhantpa@syr.edu), or my instagram [@calvinnnnnn\\_n](https://www.instagram.com/calvinnnnnn_n). SEE YOU SOON!





*Gavin  
Mackinnon*

Hey everyone, I'm Gavin, a rising second-year student from the Boston area! I love exploring, hiking, and camping, and the tallest mountain I've climbed was Gray's Peak in Colorado at 14,278'. I'm also a huge foodie and love coffee, so I've basically tried every coffee shop in the Syracuse area. I chose Syracuse because of the awesome campus and great balance between work and play. Right now I'm a member of ASO and an Architecture Ambassador. I hope to minor in Real Estate at the Whitman School of Management in the coming years to supplement my architecture degree. My Instagram is @gavin.mackinnon - please don't be shy, ask me anything! Can't wait to meet everyone soon!



*Sweni  
Prajapati*

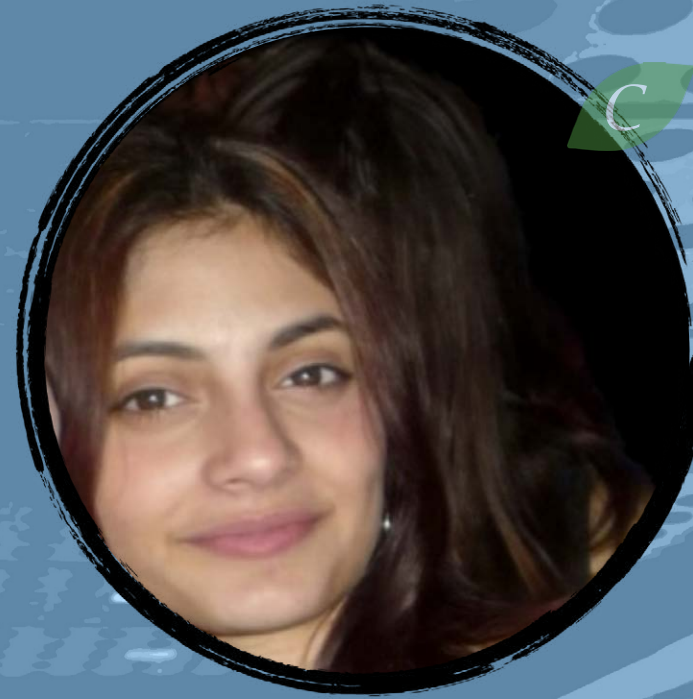
Hi! Congratulations on your acceptance and welcome Class of 2028!! My name is Sweni Prajapati and I am a rising third-year student from India. Being an international student, I didn't get to visit the campus but the moment I stepped here, I knew SOA was what I could call home now. I know transitioning to college in a new country can be scary but everyone here is so welcoming and you have the Peer Advisors to support you in every possible way! So remember, the more you put yourself out there, the easier it's going to get. Syracuse has so much to offer to everyone. The best part about being a part of SU is the crazy game-day cheer that everyone on campus experiences. Besides school, I am into painting, exploring new places (especially for sunsets and sunrises), going camping, trying new foods, and binge watching shows (123 so far!). I can't wait for you all to be a part of the big family that SOA is!!





*Pema  
Sherpa*

Hey, and congrats on your acceptance to SOA! My name is Pema Sherpa (think of it as Emma but with a P) from Boulder, Colorado. I am a rising second-year student. As a fellow Coloradan, I love the mountains, hiking, running, camping, and basically anything outdoors. My hobbies outside of architecture include painting, thrifting, working out, bopping to music, and hanging out with friends. My academic hobbies include being a Peer Advisor and Architecture Ambassador. I am also involved in organizations like ASO (Architecture Student Organization) and NOMAS (National Organization of Minority Architecture Students). With my first year of architecture, I have been introduced to such a supportive community, which you all are yet to meet. Enjoy your summer, and I can't wait to meet you guys. If you want to chat or have any questions, don't hesitate to reach out! (Email: [pdsherpa@syr.edu](mailto:pdsherpa@syr.edu) IG: [\\_pemasherpa](#))



*Mehak  
Srivastava*

Hi :0 guys!! Congratulations on your acceptance to SOA. My name is Mehak, and I'm a rising second-year student from Monroe, New Jersey. I love making films, gardening, and playing music in my free time! I'm a member of the FADS set design team, an Architecture Ambassador, and I run a radio station with my friends through WERW: What Everyone Really Wants. When I'm home, I work at art studios in downtown Princeton and at Grounds for Sculpture. I'm super excited to meet you all in the fall! All socials: [@mehaksriv](#) or email me at [Msrivast@syr.edu](mailto:Msrivast@syr.edu)





