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<td>7:30 a.m. – 8:50 a.m.</td>
<td><strong>Breakfast and Student Registration</strong>&lt;br&gt;Pick up your name tag and officially register for #SophConn2018</td>
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<td>9:00 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.</td>
<td><strong>Opening Remarks</strong>&lt;br&gt;How do I choose which panels to attend? What is the value of my liberal arts degree? Why is it such a big deal that I’m here? Find out when we kick off the weekend!</td>
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Colgate and Your Career: *Choose one seminar per time slot.*

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<td><strong>Interviewing Skills</strong>&lt;br&gt;Develop tips for making a great impression.</td>
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<td><strong>Maximizing Your Off-Campus Study Experience</strong>&lt;br&gt;Learn how to make the most of your off-campus study experience to make yourself marketable in the internship search.</td>
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<td><strong>Networking 101</strong>&lt;br&gt;What is ‘networking’ and how do I do it? Find out here.</td>
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<td><strong>Targeting Résumés</strong>&lt;br&gt;Increase your résumé’s competitiveness by customizing your document for different internships.</td>
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<td><strong>Networking 201</strong>&lt;br&gt;The next step: connecting face-to-face. Get some practice here to prepare you for the rest of the program!</td>
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<td><strong>Funding Your Summer Experience Through Colgate-Sponsored Programs</strong>&lt;br&gt;Learn about Colgate’s multiple opportunities to tap into great resources.</td>
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<td><strong>Explore the World with a National Fellowship</strong>&lt;br&gt;Learn about the numerous awards available to undergraduate students to pursue post-graduate opportunities.</td>
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Friday, January 19  *Continued from previous page*

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<td>LinkedIn™ Photo Booth&lt;br&gt;Get your photo taken for your profile.</td>
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<td>12:55 p.m. – 1:40 p.m.</td>
<td>Interviewing Skills&lt;br&gt;Develop tips for making a great impression.</td>
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<td>1:50 p.m. – 2:40 p.m.</td>
<td>Summer Expo &amp; LinkedIn™ Photo Booth&lt;br&gt;View posters and talk with upperclass students about their summer experiences. Whether it was research, internship, or service, your peers are a great resource to get you started.</td>
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<td>2:45 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.</td>
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<td>3:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.</td>
<td>Career Clusters&lt;br&gt;Led by alumni, these sessions will overview featured industries and what it takes to thrive in each. Featured industries are listed in the program app.</td>
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<td>Dinner</td>
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### Saturday, January 20

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Available with a meal plan.                                                                                                               |
| 10:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. | **Career Clusters**  
Led by alumni, these sessions will overview featured industries and what it takes to thrive in each. Featured industries are listed in the program app. |
| 12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. | **Food for Thought**  
Grab lunch and head to a conversation with alumni. *(Pick one that pertains to you.)*  
- Student-Athletes: Identity in the Workplace  
- Capitalizing on Your International Identity  
- Thriving in Industries Where Women Are Underrepresented  
- Supporting People of Color in the Workplace  
- Exploring What It Means to Identify as LGBTQ in the Professional World  
- Communicating and Connecting in A Global World |
|                    | **LinkedIn™ Photo Booth**  
Get your photo taken for your LinkedIn™ profile.                                                                                             |
| 1:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. | **Career Clusters**  
Led by alumni, these sessions will overview featured industries and what it takes to thrive in each. Featured industries are listed in the program app. |
| 3:15 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. | **Creating Connections**  
Put your networking skills to the test. The Hall of Presidents and the Clark Room will be segmented into career cluster groups for your convenience. Alumni, staff, and student presenters will be present. |
| 4:30 p.m.           | **SophoMORE Connections Keynote Dinner and Closing Remarks**  
Featuring Amy Dudley ’06, Chief Spokesperson for the Chan Zuckerberg Initiative |
AMY DUDLEY ’06 is the Chief Spokesperson for the Chan Zuckerberg Initiative, the philanthropic organization founded by Priscilla Chan and Mark Zuckerberg. She previously served as Communications Director to U.S. Senator Tim Kaine and on the 2016 presidential campaign as his spokesperson and senior advisor. Prior to that, Amy served as Press Secretary to Vice President Joe Biden during the 2012 re-election campaign and as his Deputy Press Secretary in the White House. She has also worked for U.S. Senator Ted Kaufman, in the public affairs office of the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs, and as a staff writer for National Journal’s The Hotline. Amy is also a member of the Truman National Security Project, a non-profit organization committed to advocating for smart, progressive national security solutions.

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Career Services’ Summer Internship Grants
The following grants were established by our generous alumni and parents to financially support students pursuing unpaid or underpaid opportunities:

- Career Services’ Internship Fund (any unpaid/underpaid internships or research experiences)
- The Browning Family Endowed Internship Fellowship
- Caroline E. Conroy ’10 Endowed Fellowship (internships relating to psychology)
- Class of 1966 Endowed Internship (any unpaid/underpaid opportunity)
- Class of 2015 Endowed Internship (any unpaid/underpaid opportunity)
- The Galvin Family Endowed Fellowship (need-based financial support)
- Aaron Jacobs ’96 Fund (business or finance)
- David M. Jacobstein ’68 and Cara Jacobstein Zimmerman ’97 Fellowship (public policy/law)
- The Bernt ’82 and Maria Killingstad Endowed Fellowship (need-based financial support)
- Levine-Weinberg Endowed Summer Fellowship (direct service volunteerism)
- Milhomme International Internship Program (international business)
- Dr. Merrill Miller Endowed Fellowship (health sciences)
- Arthur Watson, Jr. ’76 Fund for Career Planning (career exploration)

To apply, you must have your résumé certified by Career Services this year. You do not have to accept an internship prior to applying. Funding is awarded to students who best articulate the potential value of the proposed experience to their career exploration process and/or advancement of career ambitions.

Deadline: February 28, 2018

Summer on the Cuyahoga
Summer on the Cuyahoga is an 8- to 10-week paid internship program in Cleveland, Ohio that is designed around challenging internships, establishing alumni connections, and exploring greater Cleveland. All internships include free housing. Register and apply for internships on summeronthecuyahoga.com. Deadlines are rolling. Please continue to check back as employers add internships throughout the spring. Offers are typically finalized by May 15.

Music & Youth Fellowship
The Music & Youth Fellowship is a paid summer opportunity focused on providing music education to under-served youth in inner-city Boston, MA, Atlanta, GA, and Fort Worth, TX, and surrounding areas. Applicants must demonstrate a basic musical knowledge and a strong commitment to community service, youth development, and education. For more information on all of these programs, visit colgate.edu/musicandyouth.

Deadline: March 1, 2018 (early consideration)

John Golden ’66 Fellowship
The John A. Golden ’66 Fellowship provides advising, programmatic, and financial support for a selected cohort of students who demonstrate academic achievement (3.4 GPA or higher), leadership potential, and a clear interest in attending law or medical school. Students may apply for this fellowship in the spring semester of their sophomore or junior year. Golden Fellowships include un/underpaid internship funding, as well as financial support for admission test prep, and/or required travel related to the graduate admission process. Additionally, Fellows will take advantage of events featuring industry leaders, alumni, and deans of admission.

Deadline: March 2, 2018
Jim P. Manzi ’73 Fellowship
The Manzi Fellowship Program is a paid summer internship program that allows students to work in a non-profit organization in the Boston area. Students are selected on a competitive basis and must demonstrate an interest and commitment to serving urban, impoverished populations.
Deadline: Fall 2018

Summer Undergraduate Research
Colgate awards approximately 150 grants to students to pursue summer research projects (for up to 10 weeks) that are closely mentored by a faculty member. Students and faculty from all academic divisions participate. It is also recommended that applicants consult with the faculty member under whom they wish to work if they have further questions. Information about the submission and application processes may be obtained by contacting Karyn Belanger (kgbelanger@colgate.edu) at the Center for Learning, Teaching, and Research or visit colgate.edu/summer for details and the applications.
Deadlines: February 5, 2018 (faculty-initiated fellowships)
March 6, 2018 (student-initiated fellowships)

Summer Language Scholarships offered by the Lampert Institute
The Lampert Institute provides scholarships for students to support intensive summer language study domestically & abroad. Grants support the cost of the language study and/or travel to the program. Priority is given to students on financial aid. Contact Professor Jason Kawall (jkawall@colgate.edu) for more information or visit colgate.edu/lampert.
Deadline: February 5, 2018

The Lampert Fellowship in Public Affairs
The Lampert Fellowships for Summer Research provide students with a stipend to work under the supervision of a Colgate faculty member on topics aligned with the mission of the Institute (i.e., to connect the liberal arts with civic and global affairs). Projects should have the potential to eventually culminate in a senior honors thesis, a core distinction project, or a publishable article. Students will also have the opportunity to present their research at a major scholarly conference. Contact Professor Jason Kawall (jkawall@colgate.edu) for more information or visit colgate.edu/lampert.
Deadline: February 11, 2018

Upstate Institute
The Upstate Institute Summer Field School matches students with regional community, government, or nonprofit organizations in community-based research projects. Students develop and implement initiatives that bolster organizational capacity and create a positive social, economic, cultural, or environmental impact on the upstate New York region. Field School Fellows work approximately 35 hours a week for 8–10 weeks. After an application, and interview process, fellows are matched with a project. Past fellow projects and their applications are available at upstate.colgate.edu.
Deadline: March 12, 2018