

VINSE REU Summer 2025 Calendar

May & June 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
25 Move In DEADLINE	26 Memorial Day Luncheon	27 Orientation	28 Cleanroom Training *Lunch Meeting	29 Analytical Training NanoExchange	30	31 Ross & Lees The Escape Game
1	2	3	4 Picture Day *Lunch Meeting Ice Cream Social	5 NanoExchange	6	7 Caldwell Kickball & BBQ
8	9	10	11 *Lunch Meeting	12 NanoExchange	13	14 Macdonald Canoepalooza!
15	16	17 Lippmann Lunch	18 *Lunch Meeting	19 Juneteenth HOLIDAY	20	21
22	23	24	25 Oak Ridge National Lab	26 NanoExchange	27 Weiss Fido Breakfast	28

COLOR CODES

Black: Mandatory Participation
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Blue: Optional Participation
***lunch provided**

BUILDING CODES

SC Stevenson Center
FGH Featheringill Hall
ESB Engineering & Science Building

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS⁴

before **May 24**—**DEADLINE** submit all certificates for online safety training

May 25—Move in: 8:00AM-8:00PM

May 26—Memorial Day Luncheon, 1:00PM, Martin's BBQ, 2400 Elliston Place

May 27—Orientation, 9:00AM, 349A FGH

May 28—VINSE Cleanroom Orientation 9:00AM-10:00AM, 226 ESB
 Required for: Dodson, LaVopa, Martinez, Paul

May 28—Lunch Meeting, 12:00PM-1:00PM
 Return summer research agreements, meet in the FGH Lobby and will walk to SATCO

May 29—The NanoExchange, 10:00AM-11:30AM, 044/048 ESB

May 29—VINSE Analytical Orientation 1:30PM-3:00PM, 226 ESB

Required for: Dodson, Gonzalez, Lipari, Ozar, Patterson, and Poliak

May 31—The Escape Game, hosted by Sarah Ross and Janell Lees, meet at Vanderbilt bookstore 9:15AM

June 4—Picture Day, 10:00AM-12:00PM

June 4—Lunch Meeting 12:00PM-1:00PM, 434 ESB

Enrichment Session: "How to Give a Presentation" by Matthew Vasuta

June 4—Ice Cream Social with ChemBio REU program, 4:00PM, FGH Patio

June 5—The NanoExchange, 10:00AM-11:30AM, 044/048 ESB

June 7—Faculty Social, Kickball and BBQ, hosted by Professor Josh Caldwell, Centennial Park

June 11—VINSE Lunch Meeting 12:00PM-1:00PM, 434 ESB

Enrichment Session: 5 minute project presentations Dodson, Ferguson, LaVopa, Madera, Patterson, and Ozer

June 12—The NanoExchange, 10:00AM-11:30AM, 044/048 ESB

June 14—Canoepalooza, 9:30AM-2:30PM, hosted by Professor Janet Macdonald

June 17—Faculty Social Lunch, 12:00PM-1:00PM, 434 ESB
 hosted by Professor Ethan Lippmann

June 18—VINSE Lunch Meeting 12:00PM-1:00PM, 434 ESB

Enrichment Session: 5 minute project presentations Gonzalez, Lipari, Martinez, Mbarki, Paul, and Poliak

June 19—Juneteenth-Holiday

June 25—Enrichment Session: Oak Ridge National Laboratory

June 26—The NanoExchange, 10:00AM-11:30AM, 044/048 ESB

June 27—Faculty Social at Fido, hosted by Professor Sharon Weiss, meet in FGH lobby at 8:45AM

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July & August 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
29	30	1 Bellan Coffee break	2 *Lunch Meeting DEADLINE	3	4 July 4th HOLIDAY	5
6	7	8	9 *Lunch Meeting	10 NanoExchange	11 Judge VSA Presentations	12 Jennings Radner Lake Hike
13	14 Rafat Coffee break	15	16 *Lunch Meeting	17 NanoExchange	18	19
20	21	22 Duvall Coffee break	23 *Lunch Meeting DEADLINE	24	25	26
27	28 —— Poster Printing —— DEADLINE	29	30 *Lunch Meeting Evaluation DEADLINE	31 Poster session Awards Dinner	1 Move out	2

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July 1—Faculty Social Coffee & Pastries 10:00AM-11:00AM, 360 ESB
hosted by Professor Leon Bellan

July 2—Lunch Meeting, 12:00PM-1:00PM, 434 ESB

Enrichment Session: "How to Make a Research Poster" by Jeb Buchner

July 2—**DEADLINE**— to submit working poster title

July 4—Independence Day—Holiday

July 9—Lunch Meeting, 12:00PM-1:00PM, 434 ESB

Enrichment Session: "Imposter Syndrome" by Professor Kane Jennings

July 10—The NanoExchange, 10:00AM-11:30AM, 044/048 ESB

July 11—Judge VSA Presentations, 12:00PM-1:00PM, 434 ESB

July 12—Faculty Social at Radner Lake

hosted by Professor Kane Jennings

July 14—Faculty Social Coffee & Pastries 10:00AM-11:00AM, 360 ESB

hosted by Professor Marjan Rafat

July 16—Lunch Meeting, 12:00PM-1:00PM, 434 ESB

Enrichment Session: "Scientific Creativity and Ethics: How to Make it a Career" by Professor Josh Caldwell

July 17—The NanoExchange, 10:00AM-11:30AM, 044/048 ESB

July 22—Faculty Social Coffee & Cookies, 3:00PM-4:00PM, 434 ESB

hosted by Professor Craig Duvall

July 23—Lunch Meeting, 12:00PM-1:00PM, 434 ESB

Enrichment Session: Q&A Session with panel of graduate students

July 23—**DEADLINE**— to submit abstract

July 28—**DEADLINE** - submit poster to campus copy for printing & submit abstracts

July 29—Final **DEADLINE** - confirm final posters at campus copy by noon for printing

July 30—Lunch Meeting, 12:00PM-1:30PM, 434 ESB

Practice poster session, 1:30PM-3:00PM, 434 ESB

July 30—**DEADLINE** to submit post-program evaluation

July 31—Poster Session 1:30PM-3:30PM, ESB lobby

July 31—Awards Dinner, 6:00PM-8:00PM, Board of Trust Room

August 1—Check-out dorms 8:00AM-11:00AM