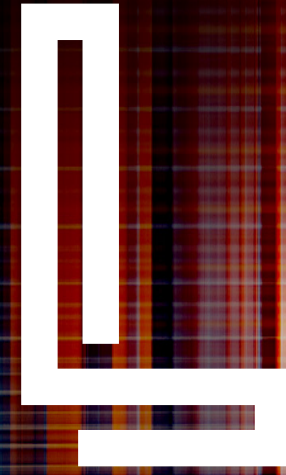


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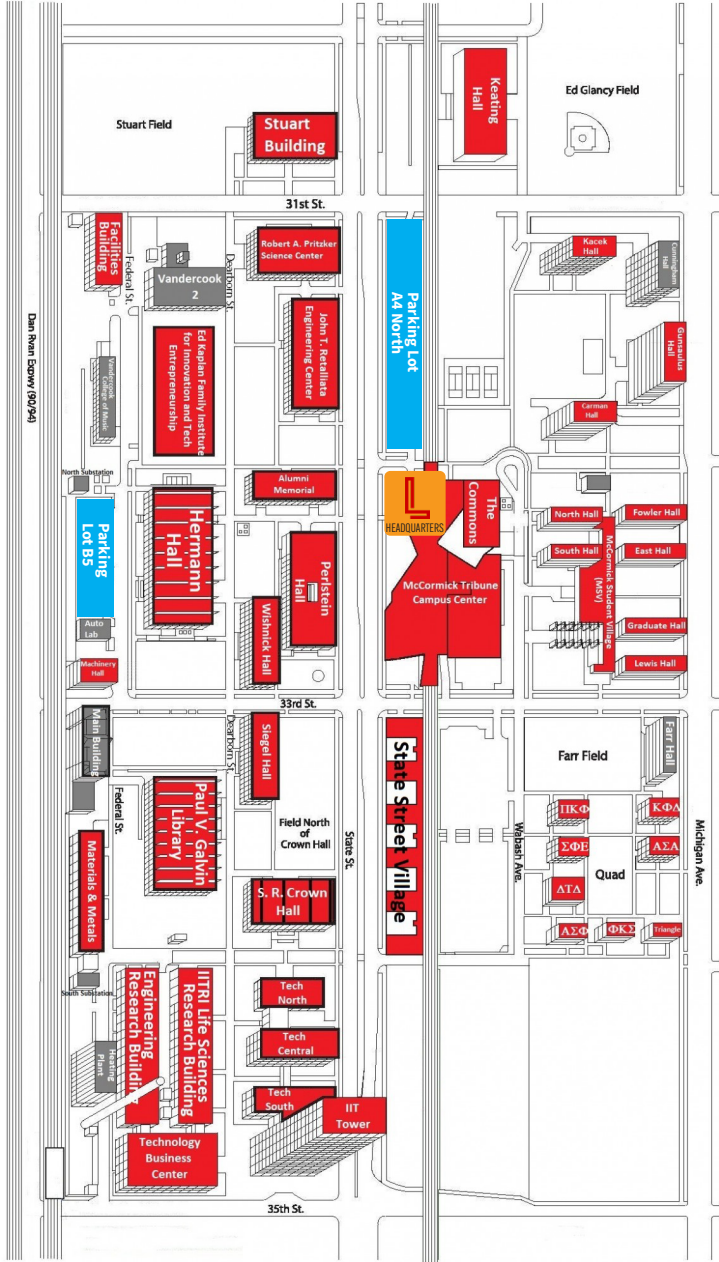
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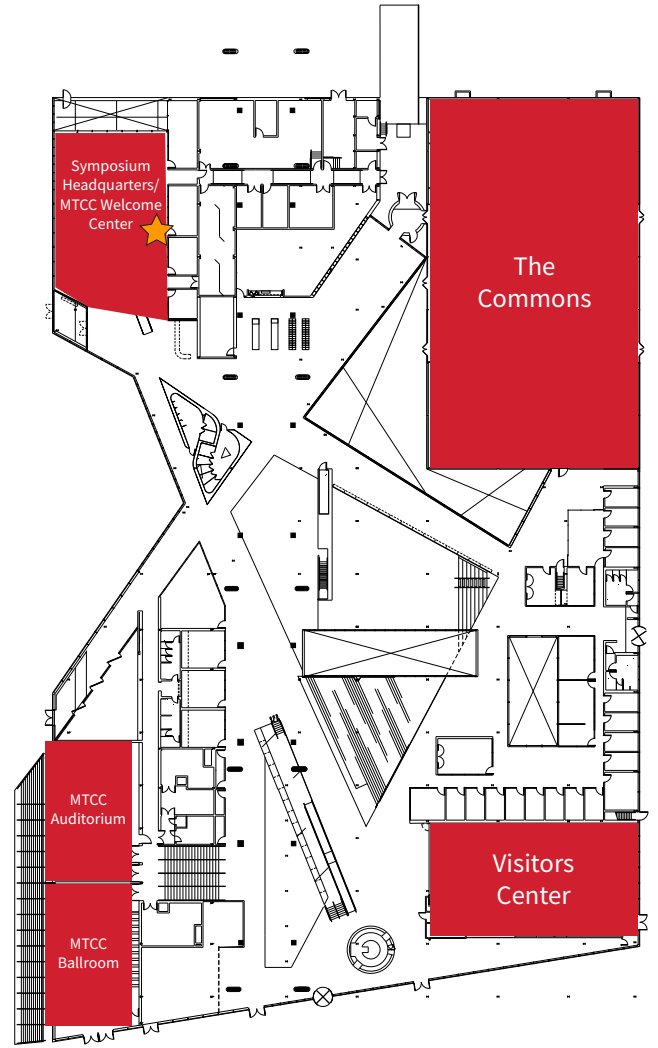
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THE McCORMICK TRIBUNE  
CAMPUS CENTER (MTCC)

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**



## MCCORMICK TRIBUNE CAMPUS CENTER (MTCC)



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# EVENT NOTES

## SYMPOSIUM HEADQUARTERS/MTCC WELCOME CENTER

Located in the **McCormick Tribune Campus Center (MTCC)**, open from 8:30 a.m - 5 p.m. Thursday and Friday. Visit Leadership Symposium Headquarters to check-in on Thursday, February 6th, 8:30 - 10 a.m. and check any luggage.

## VISITORS CENTER

Located in the McCormick Tribune Campus Center (MTCC) next to Global Grounds Coffee at the 33rd Street entrance. Arrive at the Visitors Center to **check-in for your interview 20 minutes prior to your scheduled time.**

## NAME TAGS

Please wear/carry your name tag at all times as you navigate Symposium. Your name tag will have important information, so be sure not to misplace it!

## PARKING

We recommend public transportation or using rideshare service whenever possible; however, complimentary parking is provided in lot A4 North (north of MTCC) and lot B5 (west of Hermann Hall) on a first-come-first-serve basis.

## WIFI

For free wifi access select "IIT-Connect" from your available wireless network list on your device. You must add your country code (+1 for U.S. residents) to your phone number.

## PARENT & GUEST LOUNGES

Parents and guests in need of a workspace throughout the day may access the seating areas near Global Grounds Coffee and the upper level of the Welcome Center.

## CHECK OUT

Please be advised that check-out will take place at 5 p.m. on Friday at both the MTCC Welcome Desk and Hermann Hall Lobby. Kindly ensure that you collect any luggage stored at luggage check by 5:30 p.m.

## THANK YOU!

Big thanks to all of our campus partners — Illinois Tech faculty, staff, alumni and Mies departments; our Hotel Partner — Hilton at McCormick Place; and restaurant partner — Connie's Pizza who helped make this event possible!

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# THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2025

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## 9 A.M.

### 8:30–10 a.m. CHECK-IN

**Symposium Headquarters/MTCC Welcome Center**

At check in, you'll be provided with comprehensive details about Leadership Symposium. This includes your interview appointment time(s), agenda, and any important updates.

### 8:30–10 a.m. BEVERAGES AND INNOVATION STATIONS

**Hermann Hall Gallery Lounge**

Start your day by diving into hands-on exhibits showcasing the wonders of science, engineering, and beyond. Then, grab a delicious beverage in Hermann Hall to energize yourself for the rest of the day!

### 8:30–10 a.m. TICKET EXCHANGE

**Hermann Hall Expo**

Exchange your two specialty ticket vouchers (found in your padfolio) for access to a specialty tour or session.

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## 10 A.M.

### 10–11:15 a.m. LEADERSHIP SYMPOSIUM WELCOME

**Hermann Hall Auditorium**

Join Assistant Vice President of Undergraduate Admission Fareine Suarez, current Illinois Tech scholars, and university leadership for an overview of this year's Leadership Symposium.

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## 11 A.M.

### 11 a.m.–2 p.m. LUNCH

**MTCC, The Commons**

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## 12 NOON

### 12–1 p.m. SCARLET HAWK SHOWCASE

**MTCC Bridge**

Discover a wide range of clubs and organizations that Scarlet Hawks are passionate about, and learn how you can get involved in the Illinois Tech student community. You'll also have the chance to connect with representatives from various campus offices.

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## **1 P.M.**

### **1–1:45 p.m. BRIDGING BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY AT STUART**

**MTCC Ballroom**

Gain valuable insights from our esteemed faculty and current students as they share their firsthand experiences within the dynamic academic environment of the Stuart School of Business.

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**MTCC Auditorium**

Join us for an informal Q&A session with your pre-health advisor, Dr. Kathryn Spink. This is your opportunity to get acquainted with the pre-health program at Illinois Tech.

### **1–1:45 p.m. RADIOACTIVE DECAY PHYSICS**

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**



During this interactive session, Illinois Tech Physics will conduct hands-on radioactive decay experiments within our state-of-the-art Modern Physics laboratory. Students will collaborate in small teams to gather data, which will subsequently be juxtaposed with theoretical models. A comprehensive exploration of various processes and the alignment between theoretical concepts and experimental outcomes will ensue.

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### **2–2:45 p.m. EXPLORE ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING**

**MTCC Auditorium**

Embark on an exploration of the extensive and multifaceted field of Electrical and Computer Engineering (ECE) alongside Dr. Erdal Oruklu, a distinguished professor. Gain insights into the academic highlights of this major and discover the myriad of opportunities and benefits that ECE presents to Illinois Tech students.

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## **3 P.M.**

### **3–3:45 p.m. CANCER CELL DEMO**

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**

In the Cancer Cell Demo session, students will visit our cell culture facility, observe cancer cell culture process, and examine live cancer cells under a microscope. Students will also observe the process of “killing” cancer cells in action. Through this process, students will learn the nature of cancer cells and the challenge of traditional cancer therapy.

### **3–3:45 p.m. CIVIL AND ARCHITECTURAL ENGINEERING INDOOR ENVIRONMENTAL CHAMBER TOUR**

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**



Discover the forefront of indoor air quality research at Illinois Tech and gain firsthand experience by visiting our indoor environmental chamber test facility.

\*Limited to students only, with a 25-person capacity.

### **3–3:45 p.m. FRATERNITY AND SORORITY LIFE AT ILLINOIS TECH**

**MTCC Auditorium**

Join us to explore Greek life at Illinois Tech! Learn about our diverse organizations, the real experiences that define this community, and how it fosters lifelong friendships.

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### 3–3:45 p.m. UNDERSTANDING THE COLLEGE OF COMPUTING

**MTCC Ballroom**

Engage with our computing faculty as they provide a comprehensive overview of the diverse career pathways available within the College of Computing.

### 3–3:45 p.m. QUEER JEOPARDY

**MTCC Visitors Center**

Participate in an engaging game of Jeopardy hosted by Prism, the LGBTQIA+ student organization on campus. Teams will go head-to-head in a friendly competition to test their knowledge of queer history and culture.

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## 4 P.M.

### 4–4:45 p.m. PRE-PIZZA TAILGATE

**Hermann Hall Ballroom**

Get ready to participate in a fun recap of the day before heading out for a delicious pizza gathering with Illinois Tech! **Limited to students.**

### 4–4:45 p.m. PARENTS ONLY: IPRO AT ILLINOIS TECH

**Kaplan Institute**

Explore Illinois Tech's IPRO program and experiential learning initiatives, and gain insight into how the Ed Kaplan Family Institute for Innovation and Technology plays a distinct role in this educational journey. **Limited to parents and guests.**

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## 5 P.M.

### 5–7:30 p.m. CHICAGO PIZZA DINNER

Depart from **Hermann Hall Auditorium**

Join us at Connie's Pizza in Bridgeport, a Chicago favorite for over 50 years! Enjoy their famous Original Pan Pizza while connecting with Illinois Tech staff, current Camras scholars, and alumni. Don't miss this chance to experience a true Chicago classic and engage with our community! **Limited to students.**

### 5–6:30 p.m. PARENTS OF SYMPOSIUM RECEPTION

**S.R. Crown Hall**

Parents and guests of Scholarship Symposium finalists, you are invited to unwind and enjoy a glass of wine or beer, along with hors d'oeuvres. This is an excellent opportunity to meet other parents, Illinois Tech staff, and faculty, all within the beautiful Crown Hall. **Limited to parents and guests.**

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## 7 P.M.

### 7:30–9 p.m. CAMRAS BOG BASH

**The BOG, Hermann Hall**

Get ready to have a blast as you hang out with the fantastic Illinois Tech Camras scholars and your fellow students. It's all about high-energy arcade games, heated bowling competitions, and indulging in delicious snacks—pure fun awaits! **Limited to students.**

## FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2025

### 7 A.M.

#### 7:30–9 a.m. STUDENT BREAKFAST

**The Commons, MTCC**

Symposium finalists, visit the MTCC Commons for breakfast for your first meal of the day.

\*Parents, please join us at the Parent Breakfast and Staff Chat in Hermann Hall Expo.

### 9 A.M.

#### 9–10:45 a.m. PARENT BREAKFAST AND STAFF CHAT

**Hermann Hall Expo**

Parents, come join an informal conversation with staff from Undergraduate Admission, Campus Safety, Financial Aid, Student Affairs, and Campus Life, who will help answer your questions about supporting your student throughout their transition to college.

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**MTCC Ballroom**

Discover first hand what it's like to be a scholar at Illinois Tech. Bring all your burning questions for current Illinois Tech students who are in the programs you are interviewing for!

\*Limited to students only.

### 10 A.M.

#### 10–10:45 a.m. ADVANCED ENGINE CONTROL LABORATORY TOUR

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**



Explore our cutting-edge engine laboratory, where Illinois Tech's esteemed faculty and students are dedicated to advancing the quest for cleaner and more efficient modern engines.

\*Exclusive to students with an interest in mechanical, aerospace, chemical, electrical, and computer engineering, with a 12-person capacity.

#### 10–10:45 a.m. BECOME A DIGITAL LEADER WITH COMPUTER SCIENCE

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**



Join us for an open discussion about artificial intelligence and how it is completely changing the way we think about computing and programming. We will talk about the incredible value and risks of AI, and how students can use AI to enhance their abilities rather than replace them.

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#### 10–10:45 a.m. EXPLORING CHEMISTRY PROPERTIES

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**



Discover how Illinois Tech's chemistry programs prepare students for careers in research, industry, and beyond. Learn about our hands-on labs, innovative coursework, and opportunities for real-world experience.

\*Limited to students with an interest in biology or chemistry, with a 15-person capacity.

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**MTCC Auditorium**

Explore the world of Chemical and Biological Engineering with our expert professors. Uncover the exciting opportunities and innovative pathways this major can offer as you dive into the possibilities of a ChBE degree!

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Join the leaders of Illinois Tech's prestigious honors organizations, including Camras, Duchossois, and Leadership Academy, to explore transformative opportunities that elevate your experience as a Scarlet Hawk. This session offers valuable insights for students and their families on how these programs foster academic excellence, leadership, and a thriving community at Illinois Tech.

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**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**

Join faculty from Armour College of Engineering for a tour of Illinois Tech's WiSER Research Institute. Learn how the institute is tackling global challenges like climate change and water shortages by focusing on energy efficiency and the shift toward clean, sustainable energy.

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### **12–12:45 p.m. OCIENT COMPUTATIONAL CENTER TOUR**

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**



Data centers are crucial to the business operations of tech companies like Google and Amazon. Discover what a data center looks like by visiting the Ocient Computational Center located on Illinois Tech's Mies Campus. The Ocient Computational Center houses hundreds of high-end servers and storage systems, which support computer science research and education across the university.

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### **12–12:45 p.m. WIIT RADIO STATION TOUR**

**RADIO STATION, MTCC**



Open to students of all majors, WIIT—Illinois Tech's own radio station—invites you to step behind the mic! Explore our professional-grade equipment up close and discover how you can become a part of the vibrant WIIT community as a student at Illinois Tech.

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# 1 P.M.

### **1–1:45 p.m. ALL THINGS BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING**

**MTCC Auditorium**

Join us in an exciting review of the BME major and a brief excursion into the multidisciplinary field of Biomedical Engineering, where engineering, science and medicine overlap.

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Join The Cozy Corners Tour, led by Illinois Tech's Resident Advisors (RAs), as they share their favorite hidden nooks on campus—perfect for studying, relaxing, or unwinding. From quiet retreats to comfy lounges, discover the best spots to feel at home at Illinois Tech!

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### **1–1:45 p.m. FROM BLUEPRINT TO BEAUTY: THE ARCHITECTURAL LEGACY OF ILLINOIS TECH TOUR**

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**

Explore Illinois Tech's architectural legacy on a captivating tour, unraveling the stories behind each structure that showcase the fusion of vision and craftsmanship. Join us for a campus journey celebrating the design innovations that shape Illinois Tech into an inspiring showcase of architectural excellence.

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### **2-2:45 p.m. THE ANDREW J. FEJER WIND TUNNEL TOUR**

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**



The Andrew Fejer Unsteady Flow Wind Tunnel is utilized for cutting-edge research in unsteady aerodynamics and innovative flight control methods for aircraft.

\*Limited to students, with a 12-person capacity.

### **2-3 p.m. CRAFTING WITH CAMRAS**

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**

Meet the Camras Scholars and Exec Board while enjoying a fun, hands-on crafting activity! Connect with current students and learn more about the Camras community.

### **2–2:45 p.m. DESIGN REIMAGINED: IDEA SHOP TOUR**

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**



Explore our innovation space, where Illinois Tech students engage with cutting-edge technology, including laser cutters, 3D printers, 3D scanners, and an array of tools as part of the IPRO Program and their independent projects.

\*Exclusive to students, with a 15-person capacity.

### **2–3 p.m. FROM BLUEPRINT TO BEAUTY: THE ARCHITECTURAL LEGACY OF ILLINOIS TECH TOUR**

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**

Explore Illinois Tech's architectural legacy on a captivating tour, unraveling the stories behind each structure that showcase the fusion of vision and craftsmanship. Join us for a campus journey celebrating the design innovations that shape Illinois Tech into an inspiring showcase of architectural excellence.

### **2–2:45 p.m. INTRODUCTION TO MECHANICAL & AEROSPACE ENGINEERING MTCC Ballroom**

Learn about Illinois Tech's Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering programs, as well as the co-curricular and extracurricular opportunities available to students.

### **2–2:45 p.m. KACEK RESIDENCE HALL TOUR**

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**

This guided tour offers a comprehensive exploration of George J. Kacek Hall. Kacek Hall, originally designed by the architect Mies van der Rohe, has been thoughtfully revitalized by the alumnus and College of Architecture professor Dirk Denison.

### **2–2:45 p.m. MINI CATAPULT CHALLENGE**

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**



Join us for a session of engineering excitement where you'll craft mini catapults. Test your creation as you launch pumpkins into the sky, aiming for distance or height. It's a chance to unleash your creativity, enjoy friendly competition, and explore the principles of physics.

\*Exclusive to students, with a 15-person capacity.

### **2–2:45 p.m. STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS AT ILLINOIS TECH**

**MTCC Auditorium**

Join our French Club, Indian Student Association, and Esports team as they share their experiences as student organizations on campus. Engage with their members and discover how you can shape your journey at Illinois Tech through campus clubs!

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## **3 P.M.**

### **3–3:45 p.m. ADVANCED ENGINE CONTROL LABORATORY TOUR**

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**



Explore our cutting-edge engine laboratory, where Illinois Tech's esteemed faculty and students are dedicated to advancing the quest for cleaner and more efficient modern engines.

\*Limited to students only with an interest in mechanical, aerospace, chemical, electrical, and computer engineering, with a 12-person capacity.

### **3–3:45 p.m. COURSE CREDITS IN MOTION: NAVIGATING CREDIT FOR COURSES COMPLETED ELSEWHERE**

**MTCC Auditorium**

Come learn the basics of how to transfer credit into Illinois Tech for courses that are completed at another regionally accredited college or university in the United States. The session will focus around transferring domestic coursework from an external college to Illinois Tech.

### **3-3:45 p.m. DESIGN REIMAGINED: IDEA SHOP TOUR**

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### **3-3:45 p.m. GALVIN LIBRARY TOUR**

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**

Explore the Paul V. Galvin Library and discover the array of vital services and opportunities available to our students.

### **3-3:45 p.m. GET ACTIVE WITH ATHLETICS**

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**

Join staff from our Athletics Department as they explore ways for students to stay active through sports, intramurals, fitness facilities, and more. Learn how you can get involved and make the most of your athletic opportunities at Illinois Tech!

### **3-3:45 p.m. LIFESIZE ORIGAMI**

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**



Join current Leadership Academy scholars in a one-of-a-kind team building exercise putting your team building skills to the test! You will create a lifesize origami with your fellow scholarship nominees.

\*Limited to students only, from any scholarship, with a 12-person capacity.

### **3-3:45 p.m. MIES CAMPUS TOUR**

**Depart from Symposium Headquarters, MTCC**

Embark on a guided walking tour of our Mies Campus, led by our Hawk Ambassadors, who are current Illinois Tech students. Please note that this tour will not include a visit to the residence halls.

### **3-3:45 p.m. PRE-LAW POSSIBILITIES AT ILLINOIS TECH**

**MTCC Auditorium**

Are you considering a career in law but unsure where to begin? This session explores how pairing a pre-law education with majors in business, engineering, or the sciences can open doors to unique career opportunities. Attendees will have the chance to connect with our pre-law faculty, hear insights from current students, and learn actionable steps to embark on a successful legal career.

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## **4 P.M.**

### **4:15-4:45 p.m. LEADERSHIP SYMPOSIUM FAREWELL**

**Hermann Hall Auditorium**

As the event comes to a close, join us for the Farewell Session to reflect, celebrate, and prepare for what's next. We'll share key takeaways, express appreciation, and ensure you leave with clear next steps to continue your journey. Let's wrap up with gratitude and excitement for the future!

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## **5 P.M.**

### **4:45-5:30 p.m. CHECK-OUT**

**Hermann Hall Lobby**

Check-out and submit your evaluation form to receive Illinois Tech swag! Please notify our Symposium team if you are in need of early check-out.