University Bookstore Hours
8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. | Cohon University Center
Sidewalk Sale times are 11 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Tepper Quad Building Tours
11:00 - 4:30 p.m. (Last tour departs at 4:00 p.m.)
Meet at the Reunion Registration Desk | Welcome Center - 1st Floor, Tepper Quad
Join our MBA students for guided tours around the new Tepper Quad, departing at the top of the hour.

TWIB Alumna of the Year Award Luncheon
12 - 1 p.m. | TPR 4242 - Kedia-Tayur Seminar Room - Ph.D. Wing, 4th Floor, Tepper Quad
The Tepper Women in Business club invites alumni in the Pittsburgh area to join us for the 2019 Tepper Women in Business Alumna of the Year Award ceremony and luncheon. The Alumna of the Year Award was founded in 2013 to recognize alumna who excel in their industry or company and demonstrate ongoing involvement and contribution to the Tepper community. The 2019 recipient of this award is alumna Kia Gaines (MBA '09), Fuse Executive Fellow, City of Long Beach.

Kia is currently completing an innovation fellowship with the City of Long Beach in Los Angeles, California, where she is creating an Integrated Delivery Model to Improve Public Health by Implementing a Common Intake Database System. She has 15 years of experience with a focus in health care consulting. While at Tepper, Kia was a VP for the Black Business Association and she was involved in Net Impact, TCC, TWIB and Wine Club. She is also very active in the West Coast Tepper Alumni community.

Tepper School Reunion Registration & Welcome Center
12 - 6:30 p.m. | Welcome Center Reception Space - 1st Floor, Tepper Quad

CMU Campus Tour for Families
2:45 - 3:30 p.m. | Meet at the CMU Welcome Center - 1st Floor, Tepper Quad
Have a teen that's interested in learning more about CMU? Join a CMU staff member for an informative tour around campus.
Tour is limited to 15 people, first-come, first-serve.
Back@Tepper: Networking for MBA Students & Recent Graduates
3:30 - 4:30 p.m. | PNC Foundation Event Room & Rohr Commons - 2nd Floor, Tepper Quad

Robert Kelley, Distinguished Service Professor of Management, will be hosting a lively and energetic networking session designed to bring together students and alumni from the MBA classes of 2018, 2014, and 2009 (and their guests). Food and beverage will be provided. Back@Tepper is sponsored by the MBA Class of 2013.

Lessons from Andrew Carnegie’s Legacy of Philanthropy
3:30 - 4:30 p.m. | TPR 2120 - Aylesworth Classroom - MBA Wing, 2nd Floor, Tepper Quad

Nearly 100 years later, Andrew Carnegie continues to impact the world not only because of his great wealth, but also because of the strategies that distributed his wealth during his lifetime and through his estate plans. Indeed, Carnegie’s personal strategies can be a powerful lesson on how we might design our own estate plans and create our own philanthropic legacy.

Alumni B**rs
5 - 6:30 p.m. | Simmons Auditorium - 1st Floor, Tepper Quad

Join our current master’s students for this unique business school tradition. Faculty will be invited to join us as well. Appetizers and beverages will be provided.

MBA/MSIA Class Parties
7:30 - 9:30 p.m. unless otherwise noted | Various locations around Pittsburgh

After B**rs, join your classmates for an exciting evening in Pittsburgh. Your class committee have chosen a designated spot in the city for you and your classmates to meet and catch up on life events.

- 2018: Social (Bakery Square)
- 2014: Mario's (Shadyside)
- 2009: Steel Cactus (Shadyside)
- 2004: Urban Tap (Shadyside)
- 1999: Hard Rock Cafe (Station Square)
- 1994: The Yard Gastropub (Shadyside)
- 1989: The Pennsylvania Market (Strip District)
- 1984: Home of Kate White, MSIA '84 (Squirrel Hill)
- 1979: Casbah (Shadyside)
- 1974: Lucca Ristorante (Oakland)
- 1969: Casbah (Shadyside) **7:00pm Start for Dinner
University Bookstore Hours
10 a.m. - 5 p.m. | Cohon University Center
Sidewalk Sale times are 11 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Tepper School Reunion Registration & Welcome Center
9 a.m. - 3 p.m. | TPR 2202 - Olsavsky Classroom - MBA Wing, 2nd Floor, Tepper Quad

Tepper Quad Building Tours
9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. (Last tour departs at 3:00 p.m.)
Meet at the base of the Class of 2014 staircase in the MBA Wing, 2nd Floor, Tepper Quad
Join our MBA students for guided tours around the Tepper Quad, departing at the top of every hour.

CMU Campus Tour for Families
9 - 10 a.m. | Meet in the Tepper Quad Atrium, 2nd floor, near Tazza D'Oro Cafe
Have a teen that's interested in learning more about CMU? Join one of CMU's Highland Ambassador Student Volunteers for an informative tour around campus.
Tour is limited to 15 people, first-come, first-served

Breakfast with the MSIA Class of 1969
9 - 9:45 a.m. | Dean's Conference Room - 4th Floor, Tepper Quad
Class of 1969: Reunite with your classmates over breakfast before Saturday's sessions begin.

Coffee & Conversation with Classmates
9 - 9:45 a.m. | MBA Commons - MBA Wing, 2nd Floor, Tepper Quad
Reunite with classmates over coffee and morning refreshments before Saturday's sessions begin.

Coffee & Conversation with MBA Student Groups
9 - 9:45 a.m. | Various MBA classrooms - MBA Wing, 2nd Floor, Tepper Quad
Join our students for a casual morning meetup! They are looking forward to welcoming you back to campus, and if you're planning on joining them, we encourage you to drop them a line to let them know.
- Asian Business Association | TPR 2111 - Hotsuki Classroom | Find out more [pdf] about the event and RSVP today. For questions, email Yue Zhong at yuezhong@tepper.cmu.edu
- Black Business Association | TPR 2119 - Aylesworth Classroom | RSVP today, or for more information, email Asha Banks at avbanks@tepper.cmu.edu
Tepper Talks with Faculty

10 - 10:45 a.m. | Simmons Auditorium A - 1st Floor, Tepper Quad
Join esteemed Tepper School faculty as they present brief, but impactful 15-minute talks on important aspects of their research as it relates to business and society.

Sridhar Tayur, Ford Distinguished Research Chair; Professor of Operations Management, recipient of Tepper School of Business George Leland Bach Teaching Award in 1999
How Analytics and Technology are Transforming Healthcare
How are analytics helping allocate livers in a fair and efficient manner? How is machine learning assisting in providing a personalized cancer treatment? Can wearables reduce the chances of relapse due to opioid use? Are people nudge-able to increase organ and tissue supply? Can gene therapy via RNA interference actually help? When is splitting a liver ethical? What is the healthcare ecosystem in the U.S. that one has to navigate to bring innovations to the market?

Robert Monroe, Teaching Professor of Business Technologies
The Future of Autonomous Vehicles is Running Through Pittsburgh
This talk will provide a brief survey of where we are, technology-wise, on the road to fully autonomous vehicles, identify some of the hard technical problems that nobody has yet figured out how to solve, and raise some interesting questions about the social and economic implications and opportunities of widespread adoption of fully autonomous vehicles.

Bryan Routledge, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Finance, recipient of Tepper School of Business George Leland Bach Teaching Award in 1998 and 2004
Blockchain for Business – The Hope and the Hype
Blockchain has been hyped as a game-changing technology with the potential to rapidly impact financial and industrial markets and lead to decentralizing interactions between consumers, corporations, and policymakers. Will we see immense value being created by blockchain technologies in the near future or are we entering a “blockchain winter” much like AI experienced in the 1970s?
Morning Break
10:45 - 11:15 a.m. | Outside of Simmons Auditorium A - 1st Floor, Tepper Quad
Refill your coffee and continue to catch up with classmates.

School Updates with Dean Dammon
11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. | Simmons Auditorium A - 1st Floor, Tepper Quad
Dean Robert M. Dammon, Professor of Financial Economics; Recipient of Tepper School of Business - George Leland Bach Teaching Award in 1989, 1997, and 2007. The Dean will discuss the future of the Tepper School and share other relevant updates. Time will be reserved for Q&A.

Buffet Lunch
12:30 - 1:30 p.m. | MBA Commons - MBA Wing, 2nd Floor, Tepper Quad

MSIA Class of 1969: Lunch with Dean Dammon
12:30 - 1:30 p.m. | Dean’s Conference Room - 4th Floor, Tepper Quad

MSIA Class of 1984: Recognition Ceremony for the establishment of the Class of 1984 Ilker Baybars Fellowship
1-1:20 p.m. | Tepper 2120 - MBA Wing, 2nd Floor, Tepper Quad
Class of 1984 and all interested alumni and guests are invited to attend this ceremony recognizing the establishment of the Class of 1984 Ilker Baybars Endowed Fellowship.

MBA Class of 2014: Special Dedication for the Class of 2014 Stairs
1:10 - 1:25 p.m. | Tepper MBA Commons - MBA Wing, 2nd Floor, Tepper Quad
2014 MBA Alumni, join us at the end of lunch for a special photo opportunity!

Saturday Afternoon Faculty-led Alumni Panels:

Alumni Panel 1: Technology and Innovation
1:30 - 2:30 p.m. | TPR 2111 - Hotsuki Classroom - MBA Wing, 2nd Floor, Tepper Quad
Faculty Host: Param Vir Singh, Ph.D., Carnegie Bosch Associate Professor of Business Technologies
Alumni Panelists:
Christine DeFilippo, MSIA 1994 - Director, AI at Apple
John Markevitch, MSIA 1989 - Head of Core Passenger Data Science at Lyft
Brian Olsavsky, MSIA 1989 - CFO at Amazon
Ann Marie Petach, MSIA 1984 - Advisor at Google
Alumni Panel 2: Finance
1:30 - 2:30 p.m. | TPR 2110 - Gailliot Classroom - MBA Wing, 2nd Floor, Tepper Quad
Faculty Host: Bryan Routledge, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Finance, recipient of Tepper School of Business George Leland Bach Teaching Award in 1998 and 2004
Alumni Panelists:
Angela Blanton, MSIA 1999 - Vice President and CFO at Carnegie Mellon University
Keishi Hotsuki, MSIA 1989 - Chief Risk Officer at Morgan Stanley
Patricia Little, MSIA 1984 - CFO at The Hershey Company
Kevin Willsey, MSIA 1989 - Chairman, Global Capital Markets at JP Morgan & Co

Tepper Tea Break
2:30 - 3 p.m. | MBA Commons - 2nd Floor, Tepper Quad
Enjoy tea, coffee, and sweet and savory hometown-favorite treats between afternoon sessions.

Alumni Panel 3: Entrepreneurship
3 - 4 p.m. | Swartz Center for Entrepreneurship - 3rd Floor, Tepper Quad
Faculty Host: David Mawhinney (MSIA 1990), Associate Teaching Professor of Entrepreneurship, Executive Director of the Swartz Center for Entrepreneurship; Executive Director, Donald H. Jones Center for Entrepreneurship
Alumni Panelists:
Didem Altop, MSIA 1994 - Co-Founder and Managing Partner at 2C Consulting & Project House
Gene Banman, MSIA 1979 - CEO at DriveScale, Inc.
Bruce Gebhardt, MSIA 1984 - Partner at Pathfinder Capital Advisors, LLC
Kalpesh Kapadia, MSIA 1999 - Co-Founder & CEO at Deserve
JJ Xu, MBA 2018 - Founder & CEO at TalkMeUp

Alumni Panel 4: Leadership
3 - 4 p.m. | TPR 2111 - Hotsuki Classroom - MBA Wing, 2nd Floor, Tepper Quad
Faculty Host: Laurie Weingart, Ph.D., Richard M. and Margaret S. Cyert Professor of Organizational Behavior and Theory
Alumni Panelists:
Stephen Gold, MSIA 1984 - Chief Commercial Officer at HZO
Gunjan Kedia, MSIA 1994 - Vice Chairman, Wealth Management & Investment Services at U.S. Bank
Tom Cuccuza, MSIA 1989 – Partner at Ernst & Young
Saturday Evening All-Class Celebration:

Invitation Only: Tepper School 2019 Alumni Awards Ceremony
5:30 - 6:30 p.m. | Heinz Field, North Club Lounge, Pittsburgh’s North Shore
Tepper School Alumni Awards 2019 honorees and their special guests are invited to join the Dean for an intimate reception and awards presentation prior to the All-Class Reunion Celebration at Heinz Field in the UPMC Club lounge.

Tepper School All-Class Reunion Celebration at Heinz Field
6:30 - 10:30 p.m. | Heinz Field, UPMC Club, Pittsburgh’s North Shore
This is the highlight of the weekend! You don't want to miss this opportunity to celebrate your reunion with MBA/MSIA classmates and faculty one more time before going home. Join us for the closing event of Reunion Weekend 2019.
- Passed hors-d'oeuvres, food stations, and hosted bar
- Class photos
- Photo booth
- Music and dancing
- Childcare (Must pre-register child(ren) with the childcare provider directly by April 5. There is no additional cost for this service.)

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Reunion classes are encouraged to organize additional class-specific events outside of the general reunion schedule to create more opportunities to reconnect with one another during Reunion Weekend. Examples of some of these committee-orchestrated events have included farewell brunches and visits to Pittsburgh cultural attractions. Check back here for additional class-specific activities.

MSIA Class of 1994 Breakfast Meetup
8 - 9:30 a.m. | Spirits & Tales in the Oaklander Hotel, 5130 Bigelow Blvd., Pittsburgh, PA 15213
A casual breakfast meetup between 8 - 9:30 a.m. Advance reservations are suggested; reserve a table and add "Please seat near other Class of 1994 reservations" to the "Add a special request" field.

MSIA Class of 1989 Brunch Meetup
10:30 a.m. | Station, 4744 Liberty Ave, Pittsburgh, PA 15224
A casual brunch meetup; please RSVP to help the class committee ensure there are enough seats for everyone who is interested.