



## Breakout Session Recordings Quick Guide

Below are links to pre-recorded presentations from the November and December 2020 SOS sessions for freshmen and transfer students. More complete descriptions can be found on the next page of this document.

**NOTE:** These recordings may contain dated information, details about deadlines that have passed, or information that has been updated as the university's operations have shifted due to COVID-19. Please contact departments if you have specific questions or need clarification about anything discussed in these recordings.

<b>Student Financial Services – Billing</b>	<a href="https://aub.ie/sosbilling">https://aub.ie/sosbilling</a>
<b>Student Financial Services – Financial Aid</b>	<a href="https://aub.ie/sosfinancialaid">https://aub.ie/sosfinancialaid</a>
<b>Fostering Student Success with Academic Support</b>	<a href="https://aub.ie/sosacademicsupport">https://aub.ie/sosacademicsupport</a>
<b>We Believe in Work. And Want to Help You Prepare.</b>	<a href="https://aub.ie/soscareer">https://aub.ie/soscareer</a>
<b>On and Off Campus Housing</b>	<a href="https://aub.ie/soshousing">https://aub.ie/soshousing</a>
<b>Find Your Fit with Campus Recreation</b>	<a href="https://aub.ie/soscampusrec">https://aub.ie/soscampusrec</a>
<b>Get Involved on Campus with Student Involvement</b>	<a href="https://aub.ie/sosinvolvement">https://aub.ie/sosinvolvement</a>
<b>Safety &amp; Accountability On and Off Campus</b>	<a href="https://aub.ie/sossafety">https://aub.ie/sossafety</a>
<b>Diversity 101</b>	<a href="https://aub.ie/sosdiversity">https://aub.ie/sosdiversity</a>
<b>Office of Accessibility: Information for Students with Disabilities and/or Learning Differences</b>	<a href="https://aub.ie/sosaccessibility">https://aub.ie/sosaccessibility</a>
<b>Navigating Healthcare with the Auburn University Medical Clinic</b>	<a href="https://aub.ie/sosmedicalservices">https://aub.ie/sosmedicalservices</a>
<b>A Sound Mind: Mental Health Resources for Personal, Academic, and Social Success at Auburn</b>	<a href="https://aub.ie/sossoundmind">https://aub.ie/sossoundmind</a>
<b>VA Education Benefits</b>	<a href="https://aub.ie/sosvabenefits">https://aub.ie/sosvabenefits</a>
<b>UNIV 101 for Families: Letting Go While Holding On</b>	<a href="https://aub.ie/fyeuniv101">https://aub.ie/fyeuniv101</a>

Session descriptions can be found on the next page.



## BREAKOUT SESSION DESCRIPTIONS:

### **Student Financial Services – Billing –**

<https://aub.ie/sosbilling>

This session concentrates on the student's eBill. We will go over where to access eBill, important dates, payment plans, financial release of information, how to set up parents as authorized users, making payments, direct deposit information, prepaid tuition notification plans (such as AL PACT, FL Prepaid), along with other miscellaneous billing topics.

### **Student Financial Services – Financial Aid –**

<https://aub.ie/sosfinancialaid>

This session will provide information on the process of applying for and receiving federal financial aid through the filing of the FAFSA. We will discuss types of federal student aid, options for additional financial assistance and cost of attendance.

### **Fostering Student Success with Academic Support –**

<https://aub.ie/sosacademicsupport>

Learn from Academic Support staff about the available resources and how to engage in self-directed learning at Auburn University. Connect with programs such as Academic Coaching, Plainsmen's Prep, Study Partners, and Supplemental Instruction (SI). Come prepared with any questions about study habits or academics in general so we can help ease your transition to Auburn.

### **We Believe in Work. And Want to Help You Prepare. –**

<https://aub.ie/soscareer>

The University Career Center works with students on all aspects of career development including major exploration, gaining needed experiences including part-time work and co-ops, and preparing for the job market. Let us tell you more about how we can help you prepare for your success.

### **On and Off Campus Housing –**

<https://aub.ie/soshousing>

Come hear an Orientation Leader Coordinator's perspective of what to think about when looking for housing in Auburn and the resources available to help you in your search for on or off campus housing. Specific apartment complexes or realty companies will not be discussed.

### **Find Your Fit with Campus Recreation –**

<https://aub.ie/soscampusrec>

Campus Recreation provides fitness, wellness, sports, and recreation opportunities for Auburn University students, faculty, and staff. Programs include Auburn Outdoors, Club Sports, Intramural Sports, Group Fitness, Olympic/Powerlifting, and Personal Training.

### **Get Involved on Campus with Student Involvement –**

<https://aub.ie/sosinvolvement>

Did you know that Auburn has more than 550 student-led organizations on campus that you can join? Whether you are interested in giving back through community service, saving the bees, building robots or growing as a leader, Student Involvement has a community for everyone. Getting involved with a student organization provides students with a social outlet, hands-on learning and resume building. Learn how you can get connected at Auburn as the Student Involvement staff and Involvement Ambassadors lead this session.

### **Safety & Accountability On and Off Campus –**

<https://aub.ie/sossafety>

Join Campus Safety & Security to hear what you can do to prepare for a safe college experience. Learn about safety and security services, emergency preparedness, signing up for AU ALERT, and educational opportunities. Get your safety and security questions answered.

### **Diversity 101 –**

<https://aub.ie/sosdiversity>

Are you looking to build a diverse community during your time at Auburn? Not sure where to start to find those resources? Join the Office of Inclusion and Diversity and learn about the student experiences, resources and initiatives, and opportunities to engage with a diverse community of student leaders during your Auburn journey. You'll hear more about the Tiger Excellence Scholars Program (TESP), the Cross Cultural Center for Excellence, and our student experiences designed specifically for incoming students to thrive at Auburn.

### **Office of Accessibility: Information for Students with Disabilities and/or Learning Differences –**

<https://aub.ie/sosaccessibility>

The Office of Accessibility provides academic and campus accommodations for students with disabilities. In our session, we will discuss basic information for how to register with our office, submit documentation, and discuss specific accommodation needs with our staff.

### **Navigating Healthcare with the Auburn University Medical Clinic –**

<https://aub.ie/sosmedicalservices>

Dr. Kam, the Auburn University Medical Clinic's Medical Director, will discuss COVID-19 and how to keep yourself informed about COVID on Auburn's campus. He will explain the new student's "must-do's" before arriving at Auburn, and how to utilize the services offered by the Medical Clinic while at Auburn.

### **A Sound Mind: Mental Health Resources for Personal, Academic, and Social Success at Auburn –**

<https://aub.ie/sossoundmind>

"I believe in a Sound Mind, sound body, and spirit that is not afraid" is a line from the Auburn Creed. In 2019, Health Promotion and Wellness Services in partnership with Student Counseling and Psychological Services took the "A Sound Mind" piece, gathered an array of campus partners, and made an all-encompassing initiative for mental health and wellness on Auburn's campus. This presentation will walk you through how to use this resource in a variety of ways in order to take care of and/or enhance your mental health while at Auburn.

### **VA Education Benefits –**

<https://aub.ie/sosvabenefits>

Representatives from the Veterans Resource Center will address all students utilizing a VA Education Benefit at AU. We will help to answer questions about Federal and State education benefits, including but not limited to, Chapter 30: Montgomery GI Bill® (MGBI), Chapter 31: Vocational Rehabilitation (VR&E), Chapter 33: Post 9/11 GI Bill®, Chapter 35: Dependents Education Assistance (DEA), Chapter 1606: Montgomery GI Bill®-Select Reserve (MGIB-SR), the Fry Scholarship, the Alabama GI Dependent Scholarship (ALGI) and the Alabama National Guard Education Assistance Program (ANGEAP). Additionally, we will also assist students to determine if they qualify for resident tuition rates under Section 702 of The Choice & Accountability Act (Choice Act), the Alabama House Bill 424 (HB424), and the National Guard Waiver (NG Waiver). Auburn University also participates in the Yellow Ribbon Program (YRP), offering 100 slots a year. For information on how to use VA Education benefits here at Auburn, and for a list of resources for military-affiliated students, please visit our website [veterans.auburn.edu](https://veterans.auburn.edu).

### **UNIV 101 for Families –**

<https://aub.ie/fyeuniv101>

Parent & Family Programs will share information about the transition to Auburn and how families play a key role in students' success.



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