Dear Incoming Software Engineering Student:

Congratulations on your admission to Arizona State University! We are pleased that your application has been approved and we are looking forward to meeting you in Fall of 2022. We want to relay important information to you before your arrival.

1. **Clear all HOLDs and Priority Tasks in your MYASU.** Click on the priority tasks on MyASU portal and you will find the details of pending items that requires action from your end.

   **Who to contact**
   - Financial Guarantee / I-20 / Visa: gograd@asu.edu
   - MMR: immunizations@asu.edu / website
   - Insurance: insurance@asu.edu / website
   - Registration and other academic-related queries: Assigned SCAI Advisor (advisor matrix)

   You can find all events, relevant information, and frequently asked questions at: https://scai.engineering.asu.edu/newly-admitted-student-information/

2. **Deficiency course options**: Refer to the admission letter to verify if deficiency course(s) have been assigned and click on this link for details

3. **Orientation (mandatory)**: The purpose of the orientation is to cover degree requirements and expectations. Click here to self-enroll for orientation.

4. **Class Registration**: Registration begins on March 3rd, 2022 (Class schedule will be available from February 21st, 2022).

5. **Deferring Admission to Spring 2023**: Students may defer their admission to the next semester through their MyASU page by using the Request a Change link under their Program. If you have registered for a class after being admitted to the Program, you must first drop all classes and then request the deferral.

   **Important: New deadline for deferral request**
   - Deadline to request deferral is 11:59 pm Session ‘C’ ‘add/drop deadline. Beyond this deadline a new application should be submitted. Refer academic calendar for exact dates.
6. **Fall 2022 Course Recommendations:** There are two types of enrollment:

   a) full-time (9 or more credit hours)
   b) part-time (less than 9 credit hours)

   Additionally, students are allowed to register for a maximum of 11 credit hours. **International students are required to enroll in 9 credit hours to maintain F1 visa status.** The first priority is to complete deficiency courses. Hence, you must be enrolled in your deficiency courses and at least 1 graduate-level course each semester (Spring and Fall) or you will be discontinued from the Program.

   - **Master's Student First Semester Courses:** Priority is deficiency courses. If you have no deficiencies, then enroll in SER 502, SER 515, and a required elective. You are required to complete your core classes during your first year unless deficiencies prevent it, and SER 501 and 515 are only offered in fall. If you have room for another course, enroll in one of the required software engineering electives.
     - If you were assigned SER 222 as a deficiency, you cannot take SER 501. SER 222 must be completed prior to taking SER 501.
     - If you were assigned CSE 360 as a deficiency, you must take it before or concurrently with SER 515 or SER 516. CSE 360 must be completed prior to taking CSE 563, CSE 564, CSE 565, CSE 566.
     - If you were assigned CSE 240 as a deficiency, you cannot take SER 502. CSE 240 must be completed prior to taking SER 502.

   Please remember that not all courses are offered every semester. Refer to the [handbook](#) for specific degree requirements.

We look forward to seeing you this coming semester!

Sincerely,
SCAI Advising Team