Welcome
A special note to those of you who aren't familiar with Cornell's campus:
The beautiful Cornell campus is large and hilly. CAU's residence halls, parking, and dining facility are one-third of a mile or slightly more from most classroom buildings over hilly terrain. Since you'll walk back and forth from class a few times each day, please bring comfortable shoes! If your mobility is good, we're confident you'll enjoy these strolls. However, if you are uncertain or if you anticipate problems walking, you can order an AP $50 special parking permit for Central Campus. Please make this request on the Supplemental Registration Information form or by calling the CAU office. Requests for special parking permits must be made well in advance of arrival. You may also consider our shuttle, new in 2019, for students whose mobility issues are significant enough to require a ride to or from class. This shuttle is ideal for some of our classes a bit further away on campus including Stocking Hall and Comstock Hall. Shuttle service to Lincoln Hall is available for those who also need a ride to class.

Arrival
North Campus is under construction and has put a few wrinkles in our CAU parking and drop off procedure. There are many changes to our protocol from years past and CAU participants may no longer use the circle drive in front of Court-Kay Hall. The CC parking lot no longer exists. Parking Lot A is now designated CAU parking. It is located off Pleasant Grove Road, its entrance across from the Robert Trent Jones golf course. Turn right into Lot A and look for the area designated for CAU cars. Upon arrival, you will also see a large Welcome to CAU Adult Program and Luggage Drop sign. Make your way to the Welcome area where our friendly staff will greet you and help with your luggage.

Arrival from the South
Look for CAU Adult Program signs that will direct you north through campus via East Avenue, over the bridge on Thurston Avenue. Take a right on to Cradit Farm Road and drive past Appel Commons to Pleasant Grove Rd. Turn left onto Pleasant Grove Road, pass Jessup Road on your left, then turn left into Lot A, across from the Robert Trent Jones Golf Course and look for the area designated for CAU cars.

Arrival from the North
If you are arriving from the airport on Route 13 from the north, turn left at the CAU Adult Program sign onto Triphammer Road. Follow Triphammer Road to Community Corners, where five streets come together. Turn left from Triphammer onto Hanshaw Road. Follow it a short distance and turn right onto Pleasant Grove Road. Follow Pleasant Grove until you’ve passed the private homes and turn right at the entrance to parking Lot A, across the street from the Robert Trent Jones Golf Course. Look for the area designated for CAU cars.

Parking Permits for Lot A
Each car on campus must have a parking permit. Some of you, who have mobility issues, have already ordered your AP passes, which you will receive on Sunday. Most CAU cars are parked in Lot A across from Robert Purcell Community Center and behind the townhouses.
This is the protocol for securing the A permit for your car:
Go to: https://cornell.clickandpark.com/event.
This link will take you to a page which shows all the conferences on campus. You will look for your
conference name:
CAU Adult Summer Program Week 1
CAU Adult Summer Program Week 2
CAU Adult Summer Program Week 3
CAU Adult Summer Program Week 4

Click on the link for the week you plan for attend CAU. Although the page shows you a “0” balance due,
you will need to register your name and vehicle information and then click purchase. CAU will be billed,
and you will be able to print off your parking pass. If you are coming for multiple weeks, you'll need to
apply for a pass for each week you plan to attend CAU. If you have questions or concerns, contact us at
cauinfo@cornell.edu. Since the permit you download will not have a hook to hang it from, be sure to
secure it to your dashboard so it is visible.

Signing In
After parking at their residence starting at 3:00 p.m., campers should proceed to program check-in.
Everyone, including those families who are staying in the townhouses, will sign in at the Court/Kay lobby.
Be sure to visit both sign-in tables, picking up your course folder, lanyard, and name tag at one and your
room key, swipe key, and meal card at the other. Commuters should come to the program check-in at
Court-Kay from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. to pick up their program folders and parking permits. Families with
youth or teen campers should check their program information for orientation and activity times on
Sunday afternoon/evening.

Dinner is at the RPCC Dining Hall between 5:00 and 7:00 p.m. Adult orientation will begin at 7:30 p.m. in
Klarman-Goldwin-Smith Hall and will be followed by a brief get-acquainted meeting of faculty with their
students. Afterward, everyone is invited to gather for a welcome reception back at Court-Kay Hall.

Late arrivals
If you arrive after 6:00 p.m. on Sunday evening, please pick up your folder, name badge, meal card, and
room key at the service desk on the first floor of Robert Purcell Community Center. The service desk’s
phone number is 607.255.6214.

Meal Cards and Lunches
The meal cards are changed in one important way this year. Those of you on the meal plan will have your
contracted breakfasts and dinners at Robert Purcell Dining Hall, just as you have in years past. But your
card allows you these choices in where you have lunch:
    Robert Purcell Community Center dining room
    Goldie’s Café in the Physical Sciences Building on East Avenue
    Trillium at Kennedy Hall on Tower Road
    Jenny’s at the Cornell Store
    The Atrium Café in Sage Hall,
    Mattin’s Café in Duffield Hall
As was true in previous years, you can only swipe your card once per meal.

Bag Lunches: If you are on the meal plan and wish to get a bag lunch at breakfast so that you can eat
anywhere you choose to on campus, you will find the bag lunch protocol in your red folder when you
arrive. For those of you not on the meal plan, whose classes are taking field trips over the lunch period,
please bring your own lunch to be added to the class cooler.
Special Meals
Your meal card is valid only at the designated CAU dining facilities, which has an array of offerings for vegetarians and vegans. Limited kosher meals are available, but you must request them well in advance of arrival. Please note serious medical dietary restrictions on your medical information form, and Cornell Dining will make every effort to accommodate your needs.

Course information
Your instructor has provided a letter of welcome, along with any preparation instructions, prior to your course. You will receive a block schedule, with detailed times, building location and room numbers for your class in your course folder.

Evening Activities
Optional cultural and entertainment events will be available in the evening. These include CAU evening lectures, walks, and talks; Summer Session lectures and concerts; and other campus events. You can purchase tickets online for plays at the excellent Hangar Theatre by the lake. All CAU adult students and faculty are invited to gather for Friday's reception and banquet dinner at Trillium at Kennedy Hall. Evening activities and supervision are included for families-in-residence with youth campers.

Course transfers
Sunday or Monday transfers from one course to another will be accommodated IF space is available and logistics allow. Please consult the CAU director or associate director if you wish to transfer.

Balance of program charge
Your invoice will be sent to the e-mail address you used to register. Your balance was due May 1, 2019. If you have not paid your balance, please pay now. If you would like to pay your balance by check, please make your check out to Cornell University, and mail it to CAU at Cornell University, B20 Day Hall, Ithaca, NY 14853. If you would like to pay your balance by credit card via our secure online system, please go to https://www.sce.cornell.edu/cau/pay.php and enter your personal account number, which is printed on your invoice.

Your non-refundable deposit of $50.00 per person is applied to your total balance. Should your plans change such that you are unable to attend, please notify the CAU office at 607.255.6260.

Cancellations and refunds
Only the deposit(s) will be retained for cancellations received thirty days or more before the program start date. Any non-recoverable fees, as well as your deposit(s), will be retained for cancellations received within 30 days of the program start date.

TCAT buses
The bus is also a wonderful way to make your way around campus and to sites around town. TCAT bus fares are $1.50 a ride within city limits ($0.75 for people 60 or older). Bus drivers are unable to make change, so plan to have the exact fare (dollar bills and coins, no pennies). Multiple-use passes may be purchased at the Cornell Store.

Climate
Summer temperatures in Ithaca are generally comfortable and pleasant. Bring a light jacket or sweater for air-conditioned spaces. Rain is always possible.
Clothing
For this on-campus vacation, informal, casual clothes and comfortable shoes are desirable. However, most people prefer to dress up a bit for the Friday night festivities. Don’t forget some sort of rain protection, and be prepared for the occasional cool morning. Bring swimwear if you plan to swim at Helen Newman Hall. (The Hilton Homewood Suites has a swimming pool for those staying there).

Departure
CAU concludes after breakfast on Saturday morning. Check-out time for the Court-Kay Hall complex is by 10:00 a.m.
Assistance with luggage will be available to those in need outside of Court-Kay Hall from 8:30am-10:00am.

Health Services
Emergency medical care is available at the Cayuga Medical Center (607.274.4011) on route 96 and at its Convenient Care (607.274.4150) extension at 10 Arrowwood Drive off of Warren Road. Convenient care is open 7:00am-10:00pm daily. Registrants are responsible for their own emergency, surgical, medical, and hospital care fees.

Emergencies
In the case of a business or home emergency, your friends or family can reach you during the day through the CAU office (telephone: 607.255.6260, fax: 607.255.9697). In the evening until 10:00 p.m. during the program, you can usually reach the CAU desk attendant at Court-Kay Hall at 607.255.3465. In the case of a true emergency after office hours, you can always reach the campus police at 607.255.1111 or dial 911. Be sure to tell them where you are staying.

Housing
The housing staff on campus furnishes linens and towels weekly. Exchange linens and towels are available at the CAU front desk at Court-Kay Hall.

Identification
The student identification card you will receive at registration on Sunday provides access to university services such as athletic facilities and more (although additional fees may apply). Some facilities also require a picture ID (such as a Drivers’ License) for safety reasons. A consent form to use the fitness equipment is required.

Internet Access
There is an easy system for you to use to get on the Cornell Visitor network. To register your device to use the Cornell-Visitor Wi-Fi network, select Cornell-Visitor for the list of available networks. Once connected, the browser window should open automatically. You should see a Cornell-Visitor welcome message and registration screen. Enter your name and email, then check the box that you accept the terms of use. You will then see a confirmation screen. Click Log In. Because this is a visitor’s network, you will need to register your device daily.

Laundry
Self-service laundry facilities and ironing boards are available in Court-Kay Hall. An iron, detergent, and fabric softener are available at the CAU front desk.
Lounges

**Adult lounge:** Soft drinks, wine, beer, and light snacks will be available each day after class, starting at 4:00 p.m., and again after dinner in the adult lounge until 10:00 p.m. Adults only in this lounge please.

**Family lounge:** Water, lemonade, dry snacks, puzzles, books and board games are available after class and after dinner in the lounge on the 2nd floor of Court-Kay Hall. All family members welcome.

Mail

DO NOT have mail or packages sent to the Court-Kay residence hall. The individual residence halls do not get direct mail service in the summer. Please have everything sent to you in care of Cornell's Adult University, B20 Day Hall, Ithaca, New York 14853. Please plan to check the Court-Kay Hall CAU desk and message boards daily.

Messages

If you wish to leave phone numbers for those who may want to reach you at CAU, please give them the CAU office phone number, 607.255.6260, for daytime calls, and Court-Kay desk number, 607.255.3465, for evening calls.
Please remember to check the CAU Court-Kay Hall desk and message board. Cell phones are highly recommended.

Pets

Cornell University housing regulations do not allow pets in any residence.

Phones

Landline phones in residence hall rooms have been removed. However, you may make campus and local calls from phones in the lounges on each floor. Bringing your own cell phone is strongly encouraged.

Hilton Homewood Suites

CAUers staying at the Hilton Homewood Suites will make their own housing reservations. You can reach the hotel at 607.266.0000. Please make sure to ask for a room in the CAU block.

Suggested items for your stay with CAU:

- alarm clock
- extra clothes hangers
- rain gear
- light jacket or sweater
- large beach towels for sports activities
- comfortable walking shoes
- a water bottle (for field courses or hot weather)
- a day pack, tote bag, or backpack
- toiletries

If you have questions about these or any other items, please feel free to call the CAU office at 607.255.6260.
We look forward to hosting you this summer.