Welcome New Graduate Students

Fall 2019

ImportanT Orientation Events and Activities

Graduate School
414 Administration Building
www.mtu.edu/gradschool
Welcome to Michigan Tech!

Your time in graduate school will be filled with achievements and challenges. Orientation week is designed to introduce you to the programs and people that will support you during your graduate career. This document outlines many activities that will help you settle in and achieve your goals. The activities are listed chronologically so you can decide what activities you want to attend each day. The activities marked are required and are carefully chosen so please make sure to attend these activities.

Michigan Tech is dedicated to providing you with an outstanding education and preparing you for success in your careers. The staff of the Graduate School looks forward to working with you as you complete your degree. Please visit us in on the fourth floor of the Administration building. We are always happy to answer questions and provide assistance to ensure that you have a successful graduate education.

You will find important information you need for your first few weeks before you arrive and after. Look inside for helpful tips, dates, and contact information.
### Fall Semester 2019
- **September 3**, Tuesday: Instruction begins
- **September 6**, Friday Noon: K-Day recess, one day only
- **September 9**, Monday: Classes resume
- **November 22**, Friday 10 pm: Thanksgiving recess begins
- **December 2**, Monday: Classes resume
- **December 13**, Friday: Last day of regular classes
- **December 14**, Saturday: Commencement
- **December 16**, Monday: Final exam period
- **December 20**, Friday: Fall Semester ends

### Spring Semester 2020
- **January 13**, Monday: Instruction begins
- **January 20**, Monday: Martin Luther King Jr. Day recess, one day only
- **February 5**, Wednesday 10 pm: Winter Carnival recess begins
- **February 10**, Monday: Classes resume
- **March 6**, Friday 10 pm: Spring Break begins
- **March 16**, Monday: Classes resume
- **April 24**, Friday: Last day of regular classes
- **April 27**, Monday: Final exam period
- **May 2**, Saturday: Commencement

### Summer Semester 2020
- **May 11**, Monday: Full Session begins
- **May 25**, Monday: Session A begins
- **June 25**, Thursday: Memorial Day recess
- **June 26**, Friday: Classes resume
- **July 3**, Friday: Independence Day recess
- **July 6**, Monday: Classes resume
- **August 13**, Thursday: Session B ends
- **August 14**, Friday: Full Session ends

### Fall Semester 2020 (Provisional)
- **August 31**, Monday: Instruction begins
- **September 7**, Monday: Labor Day recess
- **September 11**, Friday Noon: K-Day recess
- **September 14**, Monday: Classes resume
- **November 20**, Friday 10 pm: Thanksgiving recess begins
- **December 11**, Friday: Last day of regular classes
- **December 14**, Monday: Final exam period
- **December 19**, Saturday: Commencement

### Spring Semester 2021 (Provisional)
- **January 11**, Monday: Instruction begins
- **January 18**, Monday: Martin Luther King Jr. Day recess, one day only
- **February 3**, Wednesday 10 pm: Winter Carnival recess begins
- **February 8**, Monday: Classes resume
- **March 5**, Friday 10 pm: Spring Break begins
- **March 15**, Monday: Classes resume
- **April 23**, Friday: Last day of regular classes
- **April 26**, Monday: Final exam period
- **May 1**, Saturday: Commencement
Register for classes

If you know the classes you want to add you can register at www.banweb.mtu.edu.

1. Login to Banweb using your ISO password
   (This is the same username and password you used for your HuskyMail and MyMichiganTech)

2. Once you are logged in, click the ‘Students’ tab, click ‘Registration’
3. Click ‘Look-up Classes to Add’

3. Select ‘Fall 2019’ from the dropdown list and click ‘Submit’.
4. You can now look up the classes you would like to take by Subject, or using an Advanced Search.
5. Once you find the class you are searching for, click ‘View Sections’, select the section you would like to enroll in and then click ‘Register’ at the bottom of the page.

If you need more help with how to register go to www.mtu.edu/registrar/students/registration/ or ask your advisor.
Purchase health insurance

All enrolled graduate students, with the exception of off campus students, must have health insurance. Before students may pay their tuition bill and/or confirm enrollment, they must meet the insurance requirement. A hold will be placed on a student's account if the requirement has not been met.

- Unsupported students must have the unsupported graduate plan or comparable coverage during any terms in which they are enrolled. They may opt to purchase a 12-month plan.

- Supported students must have the supported graduate plan or comparable coverage through the end of the policy year (generally mid-August). Supported students may not opt to purchase a partial year of insurance.

Make insurance payment through MyMichiganTech.

If your plan is a comprehensive health plan that meets coverage requirements of the university and is accepted in the U.S., you do not need to purchase the policy through the University.

You must waive your coverage online through the Consolidated Health Plans (CHP) website at studentinsurance.com/Schools/?Id=1062

Questions?—Contact the Student Insurance office: studentinsurance@mtu.edu

For additional information: Michigan Tech Student Insurance Office mtu.edu/hr/students/insurance/
Pay your bill and confirm enrollment

You can check your Michigan Tech Student Bill on MyMichiganTech.

1. Login to MyMichiganTech using your ISO password.
   (This is the same username and password you use for your HuskyMail)

2. Once you are logged in, click the ‘Payments’ tab, click ‘View/Pay Student Bill’

3. You can either pay your bill online or you can visit the Student Service Center on the First Floor of the Administration Building.

4. Even if you have complete funding you must log into your MyMichiganTech page and go to your student bill as described above. At the bottom of your bill it will say ‘Confirm Enrollment’ once your bill has been paid. Click that button to make sure your classes are not dropped. You can register for additional classes or change your schedule after your enrollment has been confirmed.
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Your first year checklist

☐ Complete Basic Responsible Conduct and Research Training. Check MyMichiganTech for more information.

☐ Submit your final official proof of previous degree(s) to the Graduate School.

☐ Upload your photo for your HuskyCard online through MyMichiganTech. Once on campus, keep your card with you at all times—there is a fee to replace lost or damaged cards. Visit it.mtu.edu/huskycard for complete information.

Your Michigan Tech HuskyCard is your official Michigan Tech ID; room and building access (residence halls, dining, labs, and academic buildings) and parking lots, if applicable. You can also use your card like a debit card to purchase items at campus retailers that accept Michigan Tech Express Cash, including the Campus Bookstore, University Images, Rozsa Box Office, SDC Central Ticket Office, the MUB Food Court, cafés, and vending machines.

☐ Complete online EverFi’s Sexual Assault Prevention course in support of a safe campus environment for all students—details on MyMichiganTech.

☐ Check MyMichiganTech regularly for additional checklist items, links to forms, your personalized Degree Completion Timeline, and to confirm receipt of items.

☐ Select an advisor and submit the “Advisor and Committee Recommendation form” no later than spring 2020 to avoid a registration hold. Visit http://www.mtu.edu/gradschool/policies-procedures/forms-deadlines/.

☐ Complete GTA training if you are a GTA—contact your program for specific requirements.

☐ Complete Advanced RCR training in spring 2020 or fall 2020.

☐ Review your Graduate Student Handbook. Your program provides a graduate student handbook outlining rules and procedures. The purpose of this handbook is to provide students pursuing the MS or PhD with an overview of the rules governing those programs. Contact your Graduate Director in your department for more information.
Graduate School
International student checklist

☐ Complete all items on “Your first year checklist” in this book

☐ Check in with International Programs and Services (before classes start)

☐ Complete Life@Michigan Tech workshop (fall semester)
  - 7 one-hour required workshops designed to help new international undergraduate, transfer, exchange, and graduate students adjust to Michigan Tech’s academic and social community.
  - You will receive more information about registration by email prior to the start of classes.
  - Questions? Contact life@mtu.edu.

☐ Complete English Language Assessment at the Center for Teaching and Learning (fall semester)
  - Required for students whose first language is not English and who intend to be graduate teaching assistants.
  - The Center for Teaching and Learning offers free workshops through IGSC3 for all international graduate students interested in improving their language skills.
Campus Activities & Orientation

Wednesday-Friday, August 21-23

Community Expo
12:00 - 3:00pm | Wadsworth Hall Cafe (basement).
Come anytime during these hours to learn more about the community and meet with representatives from local phone companies and banks.

Hosted by International Programs & Services

Saturday, August 24

HuskyCard Distribution
9:00 – 3:00pm | Memorial Union Building (MUB) Ballroom (2nd floor)
New students can pick up their HuskyCard (Michigan Tech ID) if they submitted a picture through MyMichiganTech prior to August 22nd. Please bring a valid government-issued photo ID with you. After August 25th, visit the IT Service Center in the Van Pelt and Opie Library to pick up your ID.

Hosted by Information Technology

Sunday, August 25

A Taste of Tech Traditions
6:00 - 8:00pm | Walker Lawn
Learn about some Tech traditions and all the experiences to check off before you graduate while enjoying some treats.

Hosted by Student Leadership & Involvement

Comedian “Mandal”
9:00 - 10:30pm | Rozsa Center for the Performing Arts
Comedian - “Mandal”
Mandal is an Atlanta-based stand-up comedian, writer, and actor. He is known for his energetic performances and absurd sense of humor. He has performed at the Orlando Indie Comedy Festival, Memphis Comedy Festival, and the Laughing Skull Comedy Festival.

Hosted by Student Leadership & Involvement

Open House
9:30 - 11:30am | SDC
All students are welcome to learn more about available services, register as a new patient, schedule an appointment, tour the health center and drop off allergy serum(s).

Hosted by Upper Great Lakes Family Center & UP Health System - Portage and Apothecary

Monday, August 26

Welcome to Graduate School
3:30 – 5:00pm | Memorial Union Building (MUB) Ballroom
Meet the Graduate School staff, Graduate Student Government (GSG), Career Services, Public Safety, and more. Also receive your Husky T-shirt!

Hosted by the Graduate School

Graduate Student Government Picnic
Immediately following the Welcome to Graduate School session | Hancock Beach
Open to all graduate students and their families. Transportation provided from outside the Memorial Union Building (MUB). Event includes picnic food and games on the beach!

Hosted by the Graduate Student Government

Tuesday, August 27

Transcript Acceptance
1:00 – 4:00pm | Graduate School, 4th floor Administration Building
Provide your official proof of degree(s) and/or transcript(s). Students are required to provide originals to the Graduate School in their first semester, or a registration hold will be placed on your account.

Hosted by the Graduate School

MEEM Orientation to Graduate Studies and Research and Safety Training (for Mechanical Engineering graduate students)
1:00pm – 5:00pm | Memorial Union Building (MUB) Ballroom (2nd floor)
Learn about campus policies and essential elements of responsible conduct of research that are critical for your success in graduate school.*see next page.

Hosted by the Graduate School
Campus Activities & Orientation

Wednesday, August 28

Transcript Acceptance
1:00 – 4:00pm | Graduate School, 4th floor Administration Building
Provide your official proof of degree(s) and/or transcript(s). Students are required to provide originals to the Graduate School in their first semester, or a registration hold will be placed on your account.
Hosted by the Graduate School

Orientation to Graduate Studies and Research (for all other graduate students)
1:00pm – 4:30pm | Memorial Union Building (MUB) Ballroom (2nd floor)
Learn about campus policies and essential elements of responsible conduct of research that are critical for your success in graduate school.*
Hosted by the Graduate School

Sex Signals
3:00 - 4:30pm OR 6:00 - 7:30pm | Fisher, Room 135
Sex Signals is a real life sort-of-improv show about dating, sex and other stuff you need to know.
Hosted by Student Leadership & Involvement

MUB Board Programming
9:00pm - 12:00am | Walker Lawn
Join MUB Board as we host the "Light It Up" Dance Party! Light It Up is an interactive dance experience which blends sound, light, and our resident DJ's skills to create an event like no other! We will have a bunch of free glow supplies to help turn you, as the audience, into a live light show that you won't want to miss!
Hosted by Student Leadership & Involvement

Thursday or Friday, August 29 or 30

Graduate Teaching Assistants (GTA) Orientation
8:30 – noon | Rekhi G05 (if you attended Michigan Tech as undergraduates may plan to arrive at their scheduled session at 9 a.m.)
New GTA’s must attend orientation on EITHER Thursday, August 29 2019 OR Friday August 30 2019. Each session will be limited to a total of 60 participants. To reserve your seat, please register through one of the links below:
Thursday GTA Orientation (8:30-Noon, August 29, Rekhi G05)
Friday GTA Orientation (8:30-Noon, August 30, Rekhi G05)
All international students, whose first language is not English, must take an English Language Assessment. This assessment should take about 15 minutes. See the Michigan Tech Testing Center's Language Assessment page for more information and to schedule an appointment.
Hosted by the Center for Teaching & Learning

Various Times

Graduate Department Program Orientation and Safety Training
Each graduate program will have a program designed to welcome you to campus. Please contact your graduate program director to determine the day(s) and time(s) of your graduate program orientation and safety training.

* Attending this session satisfies the Basic RCR training requirements. This program will start promptly at 1:00 pm. Please arrive beginning at 12:30 pm.
Campus Activities & Orientation

Friday, August 30

**Library Tour**
1:00pm or 2:30pm | J. Robert Van Pelt and John and Ruanne Opie Library
An information session and on-campus tour of the J. Robert Van Pelt and John and Ruanne Opie Library. Meet in the library’s East Reading Room for the info session which will be followed by a librarian-led 45 minute tour. Explore the numerous library resources available to you and how to access them. Space is limited; please register online to attend at 1:00pm or 2:30pm.
Hosted by J. Robert Van Pelt & John & Ruanne Opie Library

**Craig Karges**
8:00 - 9:30pm | Rozsa Center (10), Theatre
Be amazed by illusionist Craig Karges and the audience participation he uses to create extraordinary phenomena! Karges has been featured on The Tonight Show, Larry King Live, and more!
Hosted by Student Leadership & Involvements

**Movie on the Lawn**
10:00pm - 12:00am | Walker Lawn
Head down to Walker Lawn for an outdoor showing of “Back to the Future”
Hosted by Student Leadership & Involvements

Saturday, August 31

**Afternoon on the Town**
11:00 – 3:00pm | Downtown Houghton
Join other students in a fun-filled day discovering the city of Houghton. Meet Graduate Student Government members at the Administration Building’s north side front entrance (faces the parking lot) to walk downtown along College Avenue. Businesses from around the city and in the area will be offering specials for Michigan Tech students. Visit participating businesses to be entered in a prize drawing!
Hosted by Student Leadership & Involvement

**Comedian - “Myq Kaplan”**
10:00 - 11:00pm | Rozsa Center for the Performing Arts
Come to the Rozsa for a night of laughs and fun as we welcome Myq Kaplan
Hosted by Student Leadership & Involvement

Monday, September 2

**Labor Day Holiday**
Labor Day is held on the first Monday in September. It became a federal holiday in 1894.

MTU and all government offices, organizations, and many businesses are closed. Some public celebrations, such as fireworks displays, picnics, and barbecues, are organized.
Campus Activities & Orientation

Monday, September 4

**Smart Start**
4:05-4:55pm | MUB, Ballroom A

New graduate students to Michigan Tech are invited to Smart Start. In Smart Start, we’ll introduce students to resources and policies to assist them to have a successful start to their graduate career. It will be especially useful for students in their first year, but all students are welcome to attend. The seminar will be streamed for off campus students and recorded. Please register online to receive streaming information and reminders to attend. It will be taped and available online for those unable to attend in person.

On Campus Registration: mtu.libcal.com/event/5580725  Online Registration: mtu.libcal.com/event/5580747

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Friday, September 6

**K-Day (Keweenaw Day)**
Noon – 4:00pm | Centennial Park, Chassell

K-Day is an annual tradition at Michigan Tech held on the Friday of the week of Labor Day. On K-Day, classes release at noon so our students can celebrate their beautiful surroundings in the Keweenaw Peninsula and learn about ways to get involved and connected at Tech. You’ll find lots of food and snacks, music, inflatable games, and more. Best of all, more than 200 of Michigan Tech’s Registered Student Organizations will have booths set up so you can learn more about them and learn how you can get involved.

Need a ride to Centennial Park?
Student Activities offers large buses that will be shuttling students back and forth. The buses are air conditioned and pick up from the Memorial Union Building (MUB) on-campus. They will drop you off inside the park so you can get right to the action. Buses depart about every 30 minutes and will return to the park until all students have been picked up.

Hosted by Student Leadership & Involvements

**First Friday Social**
4:00 – 6:00pm | Academic Office & ROTC Lawn

First Friday Socials throughout the year provide Michigan Tech faculty, staff, graduate students, and retirees with a casual setting for informal discussion and socializing. They’re an excellent opportunity to meet new people, learn about other departments, share your own work and interests with colleagues, and enjoy complimentary beverages and snacks.

Hosted by the Graduate School & the Graduate School Government
Graduate Student Government

Congratulations & Welcome to Michigan Tech!

The Graduate Student Government (GSG) serves as a liaison between the University administration and Graduate students, advocating on students' behalf for their intellectual, social and professional well-being and growth.

We are comprised of graduate students (both MS & PhD) representatives from all departments. Throughout the year, we organize several professional development workshops, seminars, research presentation and fun, social events for your personal and professional growth and to enrich your experience here at Tech!

We are located in Admin 405. Please feel free to reach out to us or any of your departmental representatives for anything that you'd like to know more about.

Follow us on:  

Facebook  Instagram  YouTube
Language and Culture Support

**English Language Institute**
English Language Institute (ELI) will help you sharpen your writing and speaking skills with one on one mentoring. Successfully completing the program means you will be proficient in speaking, writing, reading, and reporting on research. The program focuses on academic English, but also assists with communication in everyday life.

ELI serves international students, faculty, and their families by supporting their language needs and connecting them to the broader community.

Admission to the English as a Second Language program is granted through **International Programs and Services**.

**Canterbury House**
The **Canterbury House** is a place for students, faculty, and staff and their families to gather for conversation, food, and fellowship. Canterbury House staff and volunteers host several activities and language coaching during the academic year.

The Canterbury House is the yellow house across from the Administration Building. Stop by and hang out or relax.
Michigan Tech Apartments
- Hillside Place offers a hybrid residential experience to upper division and graduate students. Each furnished apartment contains four bedrooms, two bathrooms, and a living space with panoramic views. All utilities are included (with the exception of phone service), and you’ll enjoy a fully equipped kitchen, with electric range, microwave, and full-size refrigerator, as well as laundry facilities, study lounges, a fitness center, and more.

- Daniell Heights Apartments offer fully furnished one- and two-bedroom units for students with families, graduate students, and undergraduates who are 21 and older. Utilities are included. (with the exception of phone service). Apartments are furnished, including stove and refrigerator, and each building features laundry facilities.

Visit mtu.edu/housing for more information or to apply for an apartment. You can also contact the Housing Office at 906-487-2682 or housing@mtu.edu.

Off-campus Housing
- For information about off-campus housing, including a list of available properties, check out the off-campus housing list at usg.mtu.edu/usg/housing, or contact the Undergraduate Student Government at 906-487-2406 or usg@mtu.edu.
Healthy Living
You need to be healthy and happy to get the most out of your college experience. If you find yourself under the weather or in need of help, there are resources available to you.

Wellness, Relationships, and Responsible Behavior
All new students are required to complete an online educational program around responsible behavior with regard to substance use and relationships. The course promotes a healthier and safer campus environment for everyone. Watch your Michigan Tech email account in September for the information you'll need to start the course.

Health Services
Students have immediate access to healthcare services at Upper Great Lakes Houghton Family Health Center located inside the UP Health System University Center, attached to the Student Development Complex. The clinic has student walk-in hours every weekday morning and afternoon. Immediate care is also available at UP Health System Express Care on Sharon Avenue, less than three miles from campus. Emergency services are available at the UP Health System Emergency Department in Hancock. Visit portagehealth.org/student to learn more.

Counseling Services
The staff at Counseling Services is here to help you gain perspective and be successful, personally and academically. Our professional staff of licensed therapists works closely with all student support services at Michigan Tech and with mental health professionals both locally and in students' home areas. Services are free and confidential. In addition, 24-hour emergency services are available by calling Public Safety and Police Services at 906-487-2216 and asking for the counselor on call. For more information or to schedule an appointment, contact 906-487-2538 or counseling@mtu.edu.

Fitness and Sports
Michigan Tech’s Student Development Complex (SDC) provides four seasons of recreation and fitness activities for students, faculty, staff, and the community. The SDC features a variety of high-quality facilities/amenities, including youth and adult classes, plus regularly scheduled fitness and recreational opportunities. Michigan Tech student spouse/partner and dependents also have access to the facilities at a discounted price. Take the SDC Virtual Tour

Michigan Tech Outdoor Adventure Program (OAP)
The Michigan Tech Outdoor Adventure Program (OAP) rents tents, sleeping bags, bikes, and kayaks and they also offer a wide variety of trips and outdoor experiences for everyone, such as kayaking, canoeing, backpacking, and climbing. The OAP strives to get students, faculty, staff, and community members outside and active!
Health and Safety

**Student Insurance**
All on-campus graduate students are required to have health insurance coverage while attending Michigan Tech.

The Student Insurance Office at Michigan Tech offers health insurance to currently enrolled students covering preventative services, basic medical care, and hospitalization.

For more information, visit mtu.edu/hr/students/insurance or contact us at 906-487-1088 or studentinsurance@mtu.edu.

**Student Disability Services**
Student Disability Services at Michigan Tech is committed to assisting students with documented disabilities by providing accommodations and/or modifications. Information is available at mtu.edu/deanofstudents/students/disability or by calling 906-487-2212.

**Title IX**
Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 is a Federal civil rights law that prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex in educational programs and activities that receive Federal funds.

We are committed to providing a safe campus environment supporting the Title IX federal law that prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex, including:
- gender discrimination
- pregnancy discrimination
- sexual harassment
- sexual exploitation
- stalking
- intimate partner violence
- nonconsensual sexual contact or intercourse

Kirsti Arko, Title IX Coordinator | 306 Administration Building, 906-487-3310
titleix@mtu.edu  mtu.edu/title-ix

**Public Safety and Police Services**
Public Safety at Michigan Technological University is staffed by trained, certified state of Michigan police officers who have full law enforcement authority (including the power of arrest) throughout Houghton County.

Michigan Tech is a small community where people respect others. The Public Safety building is right on campus, and the campus police are always around if you need them. In case of an emergency, there are phones placed all around campus that connect directly to a dispatcher at Public Safety. The department is staffed and operates 24 hours per day, seven days per week.
Transportation

**Michigan Tech Shuttle Services**
During the fall and spring semesters, Michigan Tech's Transportation Services provides free shuttle service around campus and throughout downtown Houghton. More information and routes and schedules: [mtu.edu/transportation/options/shuttle/](http://mtu.edu/transportation/options/shuttle/)

**Houghton Public Transit**
The Houghton Public Transit provides free evening shuttle services to grocery and businesses Monday-Friday during the school year. [cityofhoughton.com/info-transit.php](http://cityofhoughton.com/info-transit.php)

**Hancock Public Transit**
The Hancock Public Transit provides an on-demand bus service to the cities of Hancock and Houghton, 7am - 5pm, Monday-Friday. Student fee is $3. [cityofhancock.com/info-transit.php](http://cityofhancock.com/info-transit.php)

**Zipcar**
Zipcar is car-sharing, an alternative to bringing a car to school, that gives members 24/7 access to vehicles parked right on campus. Low hourly and daily rates include gas, insurance, and 180 miles per day to go wherever you want to go. Zipcar is for all Michigan Tech students, faculty, and staff who are at least 18 years old. Members can reserve cars online or with a smart phone for as little as an hour or up to four days. This year, enjoy all the freedom of owning a car without any of the hassle. To find out more about how it works, or register for a membership, visit [zipcar.com/mtu](http://zipcar.com/mtu).

**Taxi Service**
A2B Cab (906) 369-3285  
Copper Country Limo (906) 370-4761

Parking

All vehicles parked on campus must be registered with Transportation Services. Parking permits are required to park in any Campus Lots and can be purchased at the Transportation Services Office or online. Permits are only valid for the vehicles registered to the permit. [mtu.edu/transportation/registration/](http://mtu.edu/transportation/registration/)

Vehicles may be registered on the Michigan Tech Parking Portal or by bringing your vehicle registration to our office in the Administration Building, Room 100.

Required vehicle registration information:
- License Plate Number/State
- Vehicle Make/Model/Style
- Year
- Color
Restaurants and Stores

**Restaurants within walking distance:**
- Ambassador Restaurant
- Armando’s Restaurant
- Biggby Coffee
- Bonfire Bar and Grill
- Continental Fire Company (CFC) (American), CFC once was MTU’s campus, read more on page 20
- Cyberia Cafe
- Domino’s Pizza
- Downtowner Lounge
- Four Season Tea Room
- Hunan Garden
- Jimmy John’s
- JJ’s Wok N Grill
- Joey’s Seafood & Grill
- Library Restaurant
- Rodeo Mexican Kitchen
- Sky Sushi
- Subway
- Suomi (authentic Finnish dishes)
- The Den
- Victoria’s Kitchen
- 5th and Elm Coffee House

**Restaurants that deliver:**
- Domino’s Pizza 482-6060 dominos.com
- Jimmy John's (sandwiches) call or order online 483-0768
- Pizza Hut 482-0978 pizzahut.com
- Studio Pizza 482-5100 TheStudioPizza.com

**Grocery stores within walking distance:**
- Jim’s Foodmart 482-4080

**Menu Guide**
https://www.houghtonmenus.com/
Houghton and Hancock Communities

You will find your new home to be very safe with a friendly and welcoming community.

The Keweenaw Peninsula (KEE-win-naw) is the most northern part of Michigan's Upper Peninsula and was the most important location in the world for pure native copper. Michigan Tech began as Michigan Mining school in 1885 with four faculty members and 23 students. Back then, the school was on the second floor of a building a few blocks from the current campus, what is now the Continental Fire Company, a nightclub and restaurant. Copper mining ended in 1968 but many small towns and ancient relics still exist today.

Embrace your new community, state, country, and/or environment and soon you will know why Houghton is one of the best 100 places to live, according to "The 100 Best Small Towns In America," by Norman Crampton.

Take advantage of learning the culture that surrounds MTU. Tech will feel like home.
Prepare for Winter

Houghton winters are very snowy and can be very cold. Make sure you are prepared! It is not unusual to get 12 inches of snow in a day, so warm walking boots are important, as is a heavier coat, fleece-lined gloves, thick scarf, and a hat. Layering clothes will keep you comfortable outside, then take some clothes off to avoid getting overheated once inside.

MTU is a winter wonderland! If you are willing to embrace the winters, recreational opportunities are plentiful, both indoors and outdoors. Every winter outdoor activity is at your finger tips from sledding, hockey, broomball, skating, down hill skiing, cross country skiing, snowshoeing, snowmobiling, snowboarding, snow tubing, to ice fishing. In addition, the annual Winter Carnival, held in February, is the biggest annual winter celebration in the nation. Winter Carnival is known for large artistic snow statues that require scaffolding to build!

Michigan Tech is the only university in the country that owns its own ski hill. Students can enjoy free downhill skiing at Mount Ripley across from campus in Hancock.

Tech also owns 35 kilometers of trails that are nationally recognized for quality, variety of terrain, and maintenance. With Houghton’s average snowfall approaching 250 inches, the winter season usually opens in early December and continues into April. During the winter, grooming takes place daily and the system includes 7.5 kilometers of lighted trails, making an after-class ski trip convenient for students.
Experience Tech

The Experience Tech program is funded by a student fee that provides you with unlimited access to recreational facilities and performing arts events. The program includes downhill skiing and snowboarding at Mont Ripley, Husky Hockey games; tennis at the Gates Tennis Center, golfing at Portage Lake Golf Course, visual and performing arts events, Tech Trails and Recreational Forest, Rozsa Center events, and intramural sports. See www.experiencetech.mtu.edu for more information.

Student Voted Fees 2019-2020 Academic Year
Student Activity Fee—Fall and Spring $50.00
Student Activity Fee—Summer $10.00
Experience Tech Fee—Fall and Spring $74.00

Career Services

Career services connects students, employers, parents, alumni, faculty, and staff through collaborative programming and individual coaching. They hold many events throughout the academic year, including fall and spring career fairs, resume workshops, mock interviews, and a variety of career workshops.

The Michigan Tech Career Fair is one of the largest in the country, bringing more than 400 companies and 2,000 recruiters to campus each year. Our biannual Career Fair is open to all students of all majors.

- 2019 Fall Career Fair: Wednesday, September 25, 2019
- 2020 Spring Career Fair: Wednesday, February 19, 2020

Center for Diversity and Inclusion

The Center for Diversity and Inclusion, located in the Hamar House, proves engaging programs that create safe spaces for students of multiple social and cultural identities. Through a broad range of services, workshops, and events they foster student success by:

- Providing a welcoming and safe environment for all students
- Encouraging cross-cultural interactions and conversations
- Supporting the exploration of differences as well as similarities
- Recognizing and celebrating the contributions of historically marginalized populations
- Facilitating students’ self-exploration and exploration of others’ identities, and
- Collaborating on campus initiatives that support/foster cultural diversity

We invite the Michigan Tech community to embrace a deeper understanding and appreciation for diversity, inclusion, and social justice.
EXPERIENCE TECH

Students have access to regularly scheduled Rozsa Center "Presenting Series" events; downhill skiing at Mont Ripley; hockey games in the MacInnes Student Ice Arena; concerts and theatre performances; outdoor gear rentals; snowboarding; year-round tennis and trails access; golfing at Portage Lake Golf Course; Intramural sports; and access to resources and workshops provided by Wellness for a more balanced lifestyle.

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MTU.EDU/EXPTECH
## Michigan Tech 2019–20 Home Season Schedule

### Volleyball

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## Top Promotions

**9/24 7PM**

**Volleyball**

VS.> NORTHERN MICHIGAN

Student $25,000 Putt for a Truck

**9/28 1PM**

**Football**

VS.> GRAND VALLEY STATE

T-Shirt & Student TV Giveaway

**10/11 7:07PM**

**Hockey**

VS.> ALASKA FAIRBANKS

ArcelorMittal 7th Man T-Shirt Giveaway

For More Promotions Visit MichiganTechHuskies.com
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Season Pass Totals: $2,991
Single Use Totals: $197.75

Undergrads
EXPERIENCE TECH
for $181.60!

Grad Students
EXPERIENCE TECH
for $147!

Hockey Shuttle
FREE for every home hockey game!

FREE Hockey Shuttle Bus Route
Stop 1: Wadsworth Hall - back entrance
Stop 2: McNair & Hillside - loading dock
Stop 3: Front of SDC - Go Huskies!

Shuttle runs 1-hour prior to game time
1:00, :20, :40
:08, :28, :48
:15, :35, :55

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