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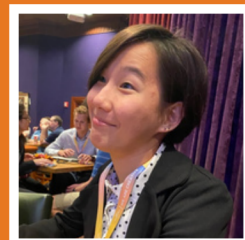
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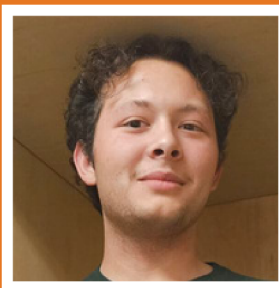


## Welcome to Galipatia!

*By Mia Yost Kelly*

Welcome, Freshmen, to Galipatia! We understand that this change might be difficult and at times can be hectic and overwhelming; all of us have been there. Nonetheless, we continue to move forward and explore the opportunities around us. Being part of a living-learning community (LLC) does help ease through the transition from grade school to college, and it will hopefully aid you in a smooth shift from college to career. LLCs are meant to make this large university feel not so intimidating. Galipatia fosters a community of engineers and is always excited to embrace new members! In other dorms, you might not be able to ask your neighbors or roommate about a course, but living with other engineering students provides a built-in network of peers. This network is great because you might end up in the same class as someone you know, and these larger lecture courses will be less discouraging when you feel less alone navigating them. Unlike engineering students outside of this LLC, you will be given many opportunities to explore and improve your professional development as an engineer, which will help set you up for success. The goal of Galipatia is to create a community of engineers that becomes a space of companionship and familiarity as well as a place of engaging challenges and growth. In this community, we are interconnected through friendships and mentorships and simply living in the same dorm. The mentors, upper-class leaders, committees, and staff are here to support each other and help one another thrive. You are now part of this community! We look forward to seeing what this coming year holds with you!

Jasmine Pegues,  
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## Top Ten Tips

*By Jasmine Pegues*

1. ACTUALLY GO TO CLASS!
2. Drink water - No really... Do it now.
3. Shower regularly, PLEASE!
4. Walk around outside - not only when trekking to classes.
5. Push yourself out of your comfort zone socially. It can be really draining at first but try to meet as many new people as possible. Hanging out in the second-floor lounge is a great option!
6. Go to office hours and talk to your professors.
7. Introduce yourself and get the phone number of at least one person in each of your classes; this will come in handy when working on challenging assignments or studying for tests!
8. Make sure to clean the lint tray before/after using one of the dryers to prevent the countless fire alarms we had last year.
9. Follow-up: Don't just pull the fire alarm for S's and G's. (It is literally a felony.)
10. Keep track of your HokieP - you need it for a lot of your daily functions.

## Communications Committee Music Recommendations

*By Gabe Rosado*

Jasmine (Writer)

- "True Blue" by boygenius
- "Anything" by Adrienne Lenker

Elijah (Social Media Team)

- "Beleza Pula" by Masayoshi Takanaka
- "The Dripping Tap" by King Gizzard & the Lizard Wizard

Gabe (Writer)

- "One" by Metallica
- "Burnin' For You" by Blue Öyster Cult

Mia (Writer)

- "Dance The Night" by Dua Lipa
- "Sunroof" by Nicky Youre & dazy

Morgan (Social Media Team)

- "I Wanna Be Yours" by the Arctic Monkeys
- "Seventeen" by MARINA

David (Social Media Team)

- "Into Your Arms" by Witt Lowry
- "Feeling" by Juice WRLD

Kaitlyn (Editor)

- "Aura" by Lady Gaga
- "Dancing Queen" by ABBA

Aaiswarya (Committee Leader)

- "Sunny" by Boney M.
- "Super Massive Blackhole" by Muse

Julian (Social Media Team)

- "Say It" by Tory Lanez
- "In For It" by Tory Lanez