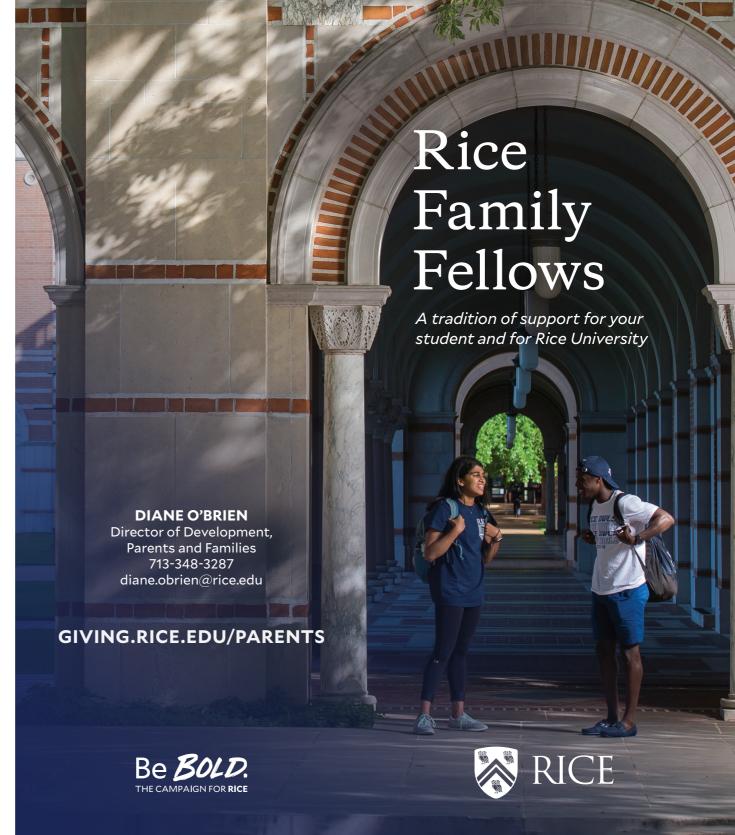
# **RICE PARENTS**

STRENGTHEN THE STUDENT EXPERIENCE



"We give to Rice because we can see our contributions making a difference. We are investing in innovation, in education and in an exceptional community. Rice is building something special, and we want our family to be a part of that."

- SABRINA AND SCOTT ELLIS
RICE FAMILY FELLOWS AND
PARENTS OF VIVIAN '23 (WIESS)



#### A COMMITMENT TO LEADERSHIP: FAMILY FELLOWS BENEFITS







The Rice Family Fellows is a giving society for parents and family members. By generously supporting the programs and initiatives that matter most to your student, Family Fellows are philanthropic leaders in the Rice community. Benefits to being a Family Fellow include:

- Invitations to signature events with a chance to personally interact with the president, distinguished faculty and other Rice leaders.
- Opportunities for personal engagement based on your family's interests.
- A direct connection to Development and Alumni Relations staff to answer your questions about Rice and your philanthropic support of the university.
- Opportunities to make meaningful connections with a network of other Family Fellows and their students.

#### **ARC OF PARENT GIVING**

You can optimize your philanthropy at Rice by structuring the size and complexity of your giving each year in relation to your student's experiences and passion.

This chart outlines a giving strategy popular among Rice parents.



#### **ONGOING**

Continue supporting Rice in areas of interest and passion and include gift planning opportunities.

Make your signature gift to Rice, with a powerful investment in programs and priorities that celebrate your student's Rice education and experience. As appropriate, consider involving your student in the philanthropic process.

Add to your support through giving to programs and priorities according to your student's experiences and interests.

Increase annual gifts in subsequent years.

Make your first gift to the Rice Annual Fund in support of student life and learning.



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## O-Week 2022 (for new students)

RICE UNIVERSITY

2022-2023 CALENDAR

Opportunities abound for Owl parents to participate in university life. All dates are subject to change. Please visit

registrar.rice.edu/calendars to access the most

up-to-date schedule.

**New Families Orientation** 

## Aug. 22 First day of classes

**Aug. 14** 

Aug. 14-20

# Sept. 5 Labor Day (no classes) Oct. 10-11 Midterm Recess (no classes)

#### Oct. 20-22 Presidential Inauguration

#### Oct. 27 Rice Family Fellows Reception

#### Oct. 28-29 Owl Together (Families Weekend)

#### Nov. 23-25 Thanksgiving Recess (no classes)

#### Dec. 2 Last day of classes

#### **Dec. 7-13** Final Exams

#### Jan. 2 - 6 Owl Edge Externships (Winter)

#### Jan. 9 First day of classes

#### Jan. 16 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (no classes)

## **Feb. 9-10** Spring Recess (no classes)

## Mar. 11-19 Spring Break (no classes)

### Mar. 13-17 Owl Edge Externships (Spring)

#### April 21 Last day of classes

# April 26 - Final Exams

#### May 5-6 110th Commencement

WE HOPE TO SEE YOU ON CAMPUS!

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