

Dalhousie University Senate Orientation
Monday September 14, 2026
3:00pm-4:30pm
Kenneth C. Rowe Management Building (Room 1020)

AGENDA

The Dalhousie University Senate acknowledges that we are in Mi'kma'ki, the ancestral and unceded territory of the Mi'kmaq People and pays respect to the Indigenous knowledges held by the Mi'kmaq People, and to the wisdom of their Elders past and present. The Mi'kmaq People signed Peace and Friendship Treaties with the Crown, and section 35 of the Constitution Act, 1982 recognizes and affirms Aboriginal and Treaty rights. We are all Treaty people.

We recognize that African Nova Scotians are a distinct people whose histories, legacies and contributions have enriched that part of Mi'kma'ki known as Nova Scotia for over 400 years.

3:00	1.	Welcome and Opening Remarks Sachin Seth, Chair of Senate
3:05	2.	Senate Orientation and Rules of Procedure* Presenters: Sachin Seth, Chair of Senate and John Hope, General Counsel and University Secretary
3:30	3.	Overview of the Office of the Vice-President, Research and Innovation Presenter: Dr. Graham Gagnon, Vice-President Research and Innovation
3:45	4.	Overview of Dalhousie's Academic Quality Assurance Activities Presenters: Dr. Leslie Phillmore, Associate Vice-President Academic and Nakita Strowbridge, Academic Quality Assurance Manager
4:00	5.	Overview of Student Affairs Presenter: Dr. Rick Ezekiel, Vice-Provost, Student Affairs
4:15	6.	Closing Remarks Sachin Seth, Chair of Senate

Enclosures:

2. a) Senate Orientation
- b) Rules of Procedure
- c) Navigation to Senate Brightspace section