

CS 6006

*Succeeding in the  
Graduate Environment*

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# you

First-year MS and PhD  
students in Computer Science

59 students in Ithaca  
4 at Cornell Tech via Zoom

me

Third-year PhD student in Computer Science

Programming languages

Architecture, networking, verification

Food, squash, biking

# this course

New onboarding course

Mondays, 12:20-1:10

Collates resources

Gates 310 · Bloomberg 497

Shares best practices

S/U only

Exposes pain points

In-person only

# gates

Slack

Kitchens

Mail room

Conference rooms

<https://wiki.cs.cornell.edu/>

# people

Dean of Bowers CIS: Kavita Bala

Dean of Cornell Tech: Greg Morrisett

Chair of the Department: Evá Tardos

DGS: Robbert van Renesse

Getting stuff done in Ithaca: Becky, Melody, Randy

Getting stuff done in NYC: Jackie, Lauren

Students of import: <https://czars.cs.cornell.edu/>

# food

Ithaca: available 11:45-12:20  
no queues during talk

Tech: pick up beforehand at the café

We are the biggest fully-catered  
weekly event in the department!  
Let's just try to not be a pain...

# this week

See if you want vision or dental insurance

Register for this course, CS colloquium, area lunches

Lease? Bank? Phone?

Call your parents?



# important dates

11:15am on Aug 24: CS Colloquium Reception

Deans Plaza, Gates Hall

4:00-5:00pm on Aug 25: CS Social Hour

Deans Plaza, Gates Hall

4:00-5:30pm on Aug 30: CS Reception

Memorial Room, Willard Straight Hall

Aug 31: Last day to enroll in vision/dental insurance

[studenthealthbenefits.cornell.edu/dental-vision-plans](http://studenthealthbenefits.cornell.edu/dental-vision-plans)