Dear SPS Community,

I hope you have all been taking good care of yourselves and each other during these challenging times. Just when we thought we were starting to get comfortable with the new normal, the new Omicron variant is here. At this time of the year, we are all feeling the strain and pressure of the holiday season. It is vital to take time to recharge and take care of our mental and physical health. While you are recharging, I hope you will take the opportunity to engage with others and gather in community. The holiday season is a time of giving and there are so many opportunities to give back to our community.

I am also excited to announce that the Spring semester will offer numerous opportunities to engage through in-person and remote events. I encourage you to take advantage of these opportunities to stay connected and contribute to the SPS community.

Regarding our Fall initiatives, we have made significant progress and I am proud to share that the NYU MLK Week Planning Committee, in collaboration with the Office of Global Affairs, hosted a series of events that focused on social justice and equity. The committee furthered its mission by including virtual options for attendees to participate from anywhere in the world.

Additionally, I would like to congratulate the New Initiatives grant recipients, who are embarking on exciting projects that aim to improve the lives of individuals and communities. These grants are made possible thanks to the generous support of the SPS Community.

Lastly, I want to reiterate my openness to feedback from our community. If you have any thoughts or suggestions, I encourage you to reach out to me directly at sps.dean.office@nyu.edu.

Warmly,

Angie Kamath
Dean of the School of Professional Studies

NYU SPS Office of the Dean

In Case You Missed it...

NYU SPS HIGHLIGHTS

- The Spring semester will offer numerous opportunities to engage through in-person and remote events.
- NYU SPS received the ULI Curtis Bulldogs Entrepreneurship Grant to help create resilient infrastructure in the face of climate change.
- Congratulations to the NYU SPS Schack Institute for Real Estate Student Entrepreneurship Competition winners, who are driving innovation and sustainability in the real estate industry.
- The SPS Innovation Incubator recently announced the winners of its "Pitch Your Passion & Seal the Deal" competition.
- This past December, 511 NYU SPS students graduated. We express our heartfelt congratulations to them all, and encourage them to stay connected to the SPS community!

EVENTS

- NYU SPS 2023 Undergraduate Spring Orientations
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NYU NEWS

- NYU MLK Week 2023

OPPORTUNITIES TO ENGAGE

- Enroll in the "Dean's Remarks" to stay informed about all that is occurring across the School.
- Sign up for the SPS Community Newsletter to receive important news, highlights, and achievements, while remaining mindful of email fatigue.

The vision of Vision 2025 is our roadmap for how we will educate the workforce of today and prepare them for the workforce of tomorrow. Undergirded by a commitment to innovation, inclusion, diversity, belonging, equity, and access, Vision 2025 is the guiding force for the SPS's mission to shaping the future of applied professional education and lifelong learning.

Sincerely,

Dean Angie Kamath

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