Congratulations on your acceptance to a Regis College graduate program! My name is Evan Maloney, and I am the Assistant Director for Student Services and Engagement in the Office of Graduate Affairs at Regis. I am excited to be one of the first of many people to congratulate you on your accomplishments and welcome you to Regis College!

In my role, I will be a first point of contact for you as a newly accepted student and throughout your time enrolled in a program. In addition to helping to answer any questions you might have, I will provide social and career-oriented experiences on campus that will help you form strong connections with Regis College, its expansive alumni network, and your fellow students. I will also keep you apprised of important campus events and upcoming deadlines through the monthly Gradwire e-newsletter. Past issues of Gradwire may be found on the Graduate Affairs webpage.

As you prepare for your first classes, I also have a few important reminders for you:

- **iPads for Grads:** All full-time and part-time matriculated graduate students will receive an iPad. Pick-up instructions for students starting in Fall 2015 will be released over the Summer.
- **Health Insurance:** Massachusetts law requires all graduate students who are enrolled in 6.75 credits or more to show proof of insurance, either on their own plan or through their institution. If you would like more information on the insurance plan or if you would like to waive the Regis insurance plan, you can visit [http://www.regiscollege.edu/campus_community/insurance.cfm](http://www.regiscollege.edu/campus_community/insurance.cfm).
- **Financial Aid:** To be considered for financial aid, you must complete your FAFSA form online ([www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)). Regis’s school code is 002206. You may then make an appointment to speak with one of our Financial Aid professionals.
- **Regis Access:** You will be receiving network log-in information from Regis’s ITS department. Once you receive this information, we encourage you to familiarize yourself with Regis Access ([http://regisaccess.regiscollege.edu](http://regisaccess.regiscollege.edu)), which will allow you to register for courses, view your grades, pay your bill and access other important account information online. If you need help registering for classes before you have access to Regis Access, you may contact your Regis College admissions counselor for assistance.
- **Regis Email:** Once you receive a Regis email address, it will be the primary way in which the College communicates with you. Please check it regularly so you do not miss any important information.
- **Campus Construction:** As part of the first phase of Regis’s new master plan, construction will be taking place across campus. Please be aware that all contractors will be easily identifiable by ID on their person and helmet. For your safety, please follow all signage and instructions from Campus Police and approved contractors.

The Office of Graduate Affairs has a new Graduate Student Orientation scheduled for **August 27, 2015**. This orientation is specifically designed for students who are beginning their programs in the Fall ’15 semester, but is open to any students who are interested. More information on orientation is available online at: [http://www.regiscollege.edu/graduate_programs/Graduate_Orientation.cfm](http://www.regiscollege.edu/graduate_programs/Graduate_Orientation.cfm)

Again, congratulations on your acceptance to Regis College. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at 781-768-7289 or via email at [evan.maloney@regiscollege.edu](mailto:evan.maloney@regiscollege.edu). Otherwise, we look forward to seeing you on campus!