

March 4, 2024

Dear Admitted Students,

Congratulations on your acceptance to the La Follette School of Public Affairs (LFS) and welcome to UW-Madison!

The [La Follette School Student Association \(LSSA\)](#) is the student government at La Follette and all students are encouraged to be involved with the association. LSSA board members work to foster community among students through social events and community service, plan and fundraise for our graduation reception, and represent the student voice in conversations with the La Follette School administration. There are some great opportunities for first-year students to get involved with LSSA, as there are board positions reserved for first-year students who will be elected in the fall.

This academic year, LSSA, has focused on implementing various student recommendations rooted in diversity, equity, and inclusion. Our student leaders have led community involvement opportunities like meeting influential policymakers, attending a Forward Madison game, organizing a LFS Faculty vs. Student basketball game, hosting bi-weekly LFS community luncheons, and much more. LSSA's goals are rooted in student advocacy, wellness, and success in order to provide support to students throughout their time at the La Follette School. As a student at La Follette, there will be many opportunities for you to get involved with LSSA, the La Follette School community, and across our UW-Madison campus.

La Follette will be assisting with the in-person Admitted Student Visit Day on Monday, March 18, 2024. During that Visit Day you will meet your fellow incoming classmates, other admitted applicants, and current students, learn more about the La Follette School, and explore the UW Madison campus. International students who are not able to attend should plan to attend our Virtual International Student Visit Day on Monday, March 1, 2024 over Zoom.

We look forward to meeting you soon.

On, Wisconsin!

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