INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ORIENTATION
FALL 2016

NAME: ___________________________
K-State’s international community is vibrant and growing. You are joining around 2,000 students and nearly 400 scholars from more than 100 countries. Our office is a key point of contact for the international community. Feel free to approach a staff member with any concerns you might have during your stay in Manhattan. If we cannot help you, we will connect you with the appropriate people to assist you. Please let us know what you need to make your stay here the best it can be.

We are excited to thank our many orientation sponsors who have helped make this week possible. They include: AT&T, Bank of America, CampusSIMs, City of Manhattan, Commerce Bank, Flywire, Hy-Vee, Jimmy John’s, K-State Federal Credit Union, KSU Foundation, T-Mobile and U.S. Cellular.

Thank you for being a part of the K-State community. I look forward to getting to know you and helping you while you are here!

Kind regards,

Sara Thurston, Ph.D.
Director, International Student and Scholar Services

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SCHEDULE
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*If you are an exchange student and your school is on the list on the next page, you are NOT required to do the ELP testing.*
8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.   
**Tuberculosis (TB) Testing**  
Students will be assigned a specific testing time during orientation registration on August 15th. You will be responsible for making sure you have your TB test completed during your specified time. Students must bring 500 for the test. For more information, please see the following link: http://www.k-state.edu/lafene/tb.html.

Lafene Health Center

8:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.   
**Check-in with International Student and Scholar Services (ONLY if you have not previously checked in.)**  
Students are required to check-in upon arrival at KSU. Please be sure to bring your passport, I-20 or DS-2019 and your I-94 card or electronic copy with you when you check-in. You only need to do this one time.

International Student Center

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.   
**Exchange Student session**  
All exchange students are required to attend this session.  

**ONLY ATTEND THIS SESSION IF YOU ARE ON EXCHANGE FROM ONE OF THE FOLLOWING SCHOOLS:**  
- Blaise Pascal  
- Canterbury Christ Church University  
- Cheikh Anta Diop University  
- Czech University of Life Sciences  
- École d’Ingénieurs de Purpan  
- Hong Kong Polytechnic  
- Justus Liebig Universität Gießen  
- Nagoya University  
- The University of Applied Sciences Worms  
- Universidad Complutense de Madrid  
- University College Dublin  
- University of Canberra  
- University of Mendoza  
- University of New South Wales  
- University of Queensland  
- University of Sydney  
- Zeppelin University

International Student Center

12:30 – 1:30 p.m.   
**Free Lunch in Fiedler Atrium**  
Come enjoy a free lunch before the afternoon workshops and resource fair. Only enough food for the first 150 NEW international students! Sponsored by Hy-Vee, Insomnia Cookies, and Jimmy John’s.

Fiedler Atrium, Rathbone Hall

1:30 – 2:30 p.m.   
**Workshop: “Adjusting to U.S. Culture”**  
Welcome to the United States! There will be many things that may be different here than in your home country: the food, the weather, the customs and the academic environment. As you adjust to these differences, you may experience the different stages of culture shock. In this workshop, we will learn about culture shock, and the FREE resources available to help you overcome it. Also hear the experiences of some of your K-State peers about what they did to make a smooth adjustment to campus and Manhattan.

Fiedler Auditorium, Jardine’s Frith Building

2:30 – 3:30 p.m.   
**International Student Resource Fair**  
This is a perfect opportunity to learn about different resources found at K-State and the community of Manhattan. If you need to open a bank account or buy a cell phone, these businesses and organizations will be on campus to help you.

- Office of Student Activities and Services  
- K-State Housing and Dining/Jardine Apartment  
- Office of Student Life  
- Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender (LGBT) Resource Center  
- Center for Advocacy, Response and Education  
- Career Center  
- ATA Bus (Flint Hills Area Transportation)  
- K-State Recreational Services  
- Non-Traditional & Veteran Student Services  
- K-State Athletics

Fiedler Atrium, Rathbone Hall

3:30 – 4:30 p.m.   
**Workshop: “Making the Most of Your K-State Academic Experience”**  
What are the expectations of the U.S. academic environment? Are they different from what you are used to in your home country? This workshop is designed for undergraduate and graduate students in their first year in the U.S. who would like to better understand the U.S. classroom and academic expectations. Perspectives and resources will be shared.

Presented by Lindsey Cordill, Academic Advisor in the College of Business Administration, Andy Fund, Assistant Dean for Student Services, Engineering, and Dr. Carol Shanklin, Professor and Dean, Graduate School.

Fiedler Auditorium, Jardine Frith Community Center

6:00 – 10:00 p.m.   
**Helping International Students (HIS) International Student Welcome Dinner**  
Enjoy a free, home-cooked dinner served from 6:00–8:00 p.m., with a prize drawing at 8 p.m. Feel free to stay afterward for party games from 8:15–10:00 p.m.

Jardine Frith Community Center

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**Wednesday, August 17, 2016**

8:30 a.m.   
**English Language Program (ELP) English Proficiency Test**  
*Pre-registration with English Language Program required*

205 Fairchild Hall

9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.   
**Check-in with International Student and Scholar Services (ONLY if you have not previously checked in)**  
Students are required to check in upon arrival at KSU. Please be sure to bring your passport, I-20 or DS-2019 and your I-94 card or electronic copy with you when you check in. You only need to do this once.

International Student Center

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.   
**Mandatory Sponsored Student sessions**  
- 10am - Saudi Arabian Cultural Mission SACM  
- 11am – Cultural Office, Embassy of the State of Kuwait

You should attend even if your sponsorship is not yet approved!

International Student Center

9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.   
**Graduate Student Orientation for ALL NEW GTAs, GRAs, and GAs**  
Who should attend? New and returning graduate students who will be employed as a Graduate Teaching Assistant (GTA), Graduate Research Assistant (GRA), or Graduate Assistant (GA) for the first time in Summer or Fall 2016.

Forum Hall, Union

1:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.   
**Graduate Student Orientation for ALL NEW Graduate Students**  
Who should attend? All new graduate students, including those who previously earned an undergraduate degree at K-State. Please arrive between 12:45 and 1:30 p.m. to receive your orientation materials.

Forum Hall, Union

3:30 – 4:30 p.m.   
**Meet and Greet with the College of Business Administration**  
Preview the undergraduate program and activities in an informal setting and network with current students and staff. Only for new undergraduate students.

The Business Building

6:00 p.m.   
**Apartment Living in the U.S.**  
Join Jardine and ISSS staff for an informative and entertaining discussion about the dos and don’ts of living in a U.S. apartment. Free pizza will be provided! This is open to ALL students living in apartments, either on campus or off campus!

Jardine’s Frith Community Center

7:30 p.m.   
**Day in the Life of the Residence Halls**  
This session will help undergraduate students living in the residence halls understand what living and eating at K-State will be like. This session is for all students living in the residence halls. Please attend the session at the residence hall where you live. Meet in the main lobby of your building.

Haymacher Hall, Marlatt Hall, Moore Hall, Wefald Hall
Various Times

Shopping Shuttle
Need anything from Wal-Mart? Take a K-State sponsored shuttle to pick up supplies for the start of the semester. For a complete schedule, including times and locations, please visit our website: http://www.k-state.edu/isss/services/shuttleservices.html.

8:00 a.m.  Transfer Student Orientation and Enrollment
K-State Student Union
*All transfer students must attend this event even if you have pre-enrolled.

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
English Language Program (ELP) Enrollment
2nd Floor of Fairchild Hall

3:30 p.m.
How do I get an On-Campus job at KSU?
Come and learn all about the on-campus job process starting from the search to the offer letter. Career Center and ISSS team up to clarify any questions you may have.
International Student Center

6:00 – 7:30 p.m.
International Coordinating Council (ICC) Ice Cream Social
Come enjoy FREE ice cream! Sponsored by ICC, learn who we are and what we do, including International Week!
International Student Center

Thursday, August 18, 2016

Friday, August 19, 2016

8:00 a.m.
Undergraduate Student Orientation and Enrollment
K-State Student Union

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
English Language Program (ELP) Enrollment
2nd Floor of Fairchild Hall

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Acclimating to American Graduate Level Writing Workshop
This workshop is designed for international and English Language Learner (ELL) graduate students who want a greater understanding of the cultural expectations of their writing. It will focus on transitioning to U.S. graduate-level writing and frustrations frequently encountered by ELL and international students. We will discuss the impact culture has on writing norms, faculty writing expectations, and much more.
International Student Center

6:00 – 8:00 p.m.
International Buddies Welcome Party
Do you want to meet other international students and U.S. students? Come learn about International Buddies, a student group that pairs U.S. and international students together for a semester of fun!
International Student Center

Saturday, August 20, 2016

Various Locations

Sunday, August 21, 2016

12:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Walk Your Class Schedule*
Want to be sure where all your classes are? Student volunteers from throughout campus will take students around to where you need to go to be prepared for your first day of classes. Please bring a printed copy of your class schedule. *Sponsored by New Student Services
K-State Student Union, Courtyard

4:00 – 5:45 p.m.
Residence Hall and Living Community at Jardine Community Meetings
(only required for students living on campus)
For more information please contact your Resident Assistant (RA.)
Various Locations

5:45 – 6:45 p.m.
2016 New Student Convocation*
Start the academic year with special presentations to commemorate the start of the school year.
Bramlage Coliseum

7:00 – 8:30 p.m.
Kick-Off Pep Rally*
Immediately following the convocation, join us for dinner and learn about K-State traditions!
Bill Snyder Family Stadium

8:30 – 9:30 p.m.
K-State Proud Social*
Come join K-State Proud in kicking off the school year with music, entertainment, and food.
East Parking Lot, Bill Snyder Family Stadium

K-State Week of Welcome

*Denote K-State Week of Welcome event. As a new student at K-State, this week is designed to provide you with opportunities, resources, and events to ensure your success at K-State. We hope you will take the time to participate in the wide array of events and activities taking place all week long. For more information and a schedule of WOW events, please visit http://wow.k-state.edu.

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