

International Graduate Orientation Schedule

Wednesday, August 14

9:00 am - 8:00 pm	Airport pick-up and arrivals OISS check-in and packet pick-up	Roemmele Global Commons Williams Hall
9:00 am - 4:00 pm	Banking and phone vendor fair <i>Speak with representatives about getting a phone and opening a bank account</i>	Roemmele Global Commons Williams Hall
12:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Tuberculosis testing <i>Refer to your appointment slip and visit the health center for tuberculosis screening</i>	Health and Wellness Center Johnson Hall

Thursday, August 15

8:00 am - 11:00 am	Tuberculosis testing <i>Refer to your appointment slip and visit the health center for tuberculosis screening</i>	Health and Wellness Center Johnson Hall
8:30 am - 11:00 am	Banking and phone vendor fair <i>Speak with representatives about getting a phone and opening a bank account</i>	Roemmele Global Commons Williams Hall
8:30 am - 11:00 am	TOPSS Test <i>This test is required if you are a Teaching Assistant or Research Assistant.</i>	Room 103 Magginn Hall
9:00 am - 11:00 am	Complete I-9 employment forms <i>Join this session if you will be paid at Lehigh as a Teaching or Research Assistant</i>	Room 341 Williams Hall
11:30 am - 1:00 pm	Welcome lunch and meet and greet <i>Hear opening remarks from the university leaders and associate deans of colleges while enjoying lunch</i>	Asa Packer Dining Room University Center

Afternoon Sessions in Neville Hall: Group 1

1:30 pm - 2:00 pm	House hunting and lease agreements <i>What is a lease? What does it mean? Lehigh's real estate office will introduce common lease terms and things to watch out for.</i>	Room 001
2:10 pm - 2:50 pm	Health care and insurance in the U.S. <i>Join us for an overview of how to access health services while at Lehigh and the basics of health insurance coverage.</i>	Room 002

3:00 pm - 3:40 pm	Maintaining your immigration status in the U.S. <i>Attend this session to learn how to maintain your immigration status while studying in the U.S.</i>	Room 001
3:50 pm - 4:30 pm	Lehigh 101 <i>Learn the basics of life at Lehigh from the staff of the Office of International Students and Scholars.</i>	Room 002

Afternoon Sessions in Neville Hall: Group 2

1:30 pm - 2:00 pm	Health care and insurance in the U.S. <i>Join us for an overview of how to access health services while at Lehigh and the basics of health insurance coverage.</i>	Room 002
2:10 pm - 2:50 pm	House hunting and lease agreements <i>What is a lease? What does it mean? Lehigh's real estate office will introduce common lease terms and things to watch out for.</i>	Room 001
3:00 pm - 3:40 pm	Lehigh 101 <i>Learn the basics of life at Lehigh from the staff of the Office of International Students and Scholars.</i>	Room 002
3:50 pm - 4:30 pm	Maintaining your immigration status in the U.S. <i>Attend this session to learn how to maintain your immigration status while studying in the U.S.</i>	Room 001

Groups 1 and 2 combine

4:45 pm - 7:00 pm	Shopping trip to Target	Pick up in front of Neville Hall
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Friday, August 16

8:00 am - 11:00 am	Tuberculosis testing <i>Refer to your appointment slip and visit the health center for tuberculosis screening</i>	Health and Wellness Center Johnson Hall
8:30 am - 11:00 am	TOPSS Test <i>This test is required if you are a Teaching Assistant or Research Assistant.</i>	Room 103 Maginnes Hall
9:00 am - 11:00 am	Complete I-9 employment forms <i>Join this session if you will be paid at Lehigh as a Teaching or Research Assistant</i>	Room 341 Williams Hall
11:30 am - 1:00 pm	Lunch	Asa Packer Dining Room University Center

Afternoon Sessions in Neville Hall: Group 1

1:30 pm - 2:10 pm	Healthy relationships: What is consent? <i>Dating in the U.S. can be complex. Hear from experts about norms and rules regarding relationships.</i>	Room 001
2:20 pm - 3:00 pm	How to deal with culture shock <i>Learn about culture shock, cultural adjustment and how to make sense of your new environment.</i>	Room 002
3:10 pm - 3:40 pm	Peer panel: master's degree students <i>Current international graduate students will offer tips and advice regarding their academic and social experiences at Lehigh.</i>	Room 001
3:50 pm - 4:30 pm	Employment information and work authorization <i>Learn how to apply for on-campus and off-campus employment from immigration advisors at Lehigh.</i>	Room 002

Afternoon Sessions in Neville Hall: Group 2

1:30 pm - 2:10 pm	How to deal with culture shock <i>Learn about culture shock, cultural adjustment and how to make sense of your new environment.</i>	Room 002
2:20 pm - 3:00 pm	Healthy relationships: What is consent? <i>Dating in the U.S. can be complex. Hear from experts about norms and rules regarding relationships.</i>	Room 001
3:10 pm - 3:40 pm	Peer panel: doctoral students <i>Current international graduate students will offer tips and advice regarding their academic and social experiences at Lehigh.</i>	Room 002
3:50 pm - 4:30 pm	Employment information and work authorization <i>Learn how to apply for on-campus and off-campus employment from immigration advisors at Lehigh.</i>	Room 001

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4:40 pm - 5:10 pm	Introduction to the Center for Career and Professional Development <i>Learn how the career center can assist you in your job and internship searches during your time at Lehigh.</i>	Room 001
5:15 pm - 6:00pm	Campus tour (optional)	
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Graduate social <i>Enjoy a relaxed evening of food and networking with Lehigh faculty, staff and international orientation leaders</i>	Asa Packer Dining Room, Room 308 University Center