

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY
GRADUATE STUDENT ORIENTATION SCHEDULE
FALL, 2009

(This is a preliminary orientation schedule. Dates and times are still being finalized.)

MONDAY, August 17

8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. International Graduate Student University Orientation Eagle Student Services Building, Room 255
REQUIRED of all new international graduate students.

TUESDAY, August 18

1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. International Graduate Student University Orientation Eagle Student Services Building, Room 255
REQUIRED of all new international graduate students.

WEDNESDAY, August 19

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Graduate Student Orientation Meeting for all new students Chemistry Building, Room 109

9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. Turn in Payroll and Insurance Forms Chemistry Building, Room 109
(Students **MUST** bring some form of picture I.D.
(i.e. drivers license, passport, etc.) and a Social Security Card (if obtained).

9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Required TA/TF Compliance Training Chemistry Building, Room 232
REQUIRED of all new T.A.'s (CCIL Lab)

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Pictures of all new graduate students, faculty, staff, and post-docs Chemistry Building, Room 207

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Diagnostic English Language Screening Exam (DELSE) Chemistry Building, Room 109
All new international T.A.'s and R.A.'s are required to take the DELSE exam.
This is a 10 minute spoken exam to test the student's spoken English.
Students should be prepared to give a 10 minute talk on a topic of interest to a general audience.

2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Organic Proficiency Exam Chemistry Building, Room 109

THURSDAY, August 20

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Inorganic Proficiency Exam Chemistry Building, Room 109

2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Analytical Proficiency Exam Chemistry Building, Room 109

FRIDAY, August 21

10:00a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Physical Proficiency Exam Chemistry Building, Room 109

3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. New Student Advising Chemistry Building, Room 207A

6:00 p.m. - ? Departmental mixer for all faculty, staff, students and their families. Place TBD
Map to be distributed later. If you need a ride to the mixer, please let Susan know.

MONDAY, August 24

8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Toulouse School of Graduate Studies Orientation, Part I Lyceum
REQUIRED of all new T.A.'s

TUESDAY, August 25

8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Toulouse School of Graduate Studies Orientation, Part II Lyceum
REQUIRED of all new T.A.'s

4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. New Graduate Student Orientation Silver Eagle Suite, University Union

WEDNESDAY, August 26

3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. T.A. Orientation Chemistry Building, Room 109
REQUIRED of all department T.A.'s

Exact dates and times of the following will be arranged with the students during orientation week:

Pickup enrollment verification letters

Kendall Hall Welcome Center

Trip to Social Security Office

Chemistry Building, Room 207

All T.A.'s and R.A.'s are required to have a Social Security Card in order to be employed. A Department representative will take all of the new international students to the Social Security Office to apply for a Social Security Card. See Susan in CHEM 207 to arrange a date and time to go to the Social Security Office.

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