ORIENTATION FOR RETURNING STUDENTS FROM SAIS EUROPE

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29, 2013

Today’s sessions are optional, but we encourage you to join incoming students to take advantage of these specific activities.

11:00 AM, 2:00 PM, 3:00 PM or 4:00 PM **Library Tours** (Nitze Building, 1740 Massachusetts Avenue NW, 6th Floor) – Attend a 45-minute introduction to the Library, with an emphasis on course reserves and online resources. Sign up in advance at the Circulation Desk in the Library or email saislibrary@jhu.edu with your preferred date and time. Limit of 10 people per tour. Additional sessions are offered next week.

12:00 – 12:45 PM **Lunch** (Nitze Building) – Pick up a boxed lunch from the Nitze Lobby. Ask current students any questions you may have about life in DC during an informal session in Kenney Auditorium. Or eat informally outside, in the basement or in the classrooms on the 4th and 5th floors.

1:00 – 5:00 PM These services are available on an individual basis; stop by anytime.

- Configure your laptop and Smartphone for the Hopkins wireless network with IT staff (Nitze Café, 1st Floor).
- Pick up your J-Card ID and setup JHU Emergency Alerts (Location TBD).
- Speak with a representative from the SAIS Off-Campus Housing service (Nitze Café).

12:45 – 1:00 PM and 2:00 – 5:00 PM **Academic Program Meetings** (Kenney Auditorium and various rooms in the Rome Building, 1619 Mass. Ave. NW) – Information on SAIS concentrations, programs and specializations. Students should attend the meeting(s) for their area(s) of interest.

- 1:45 – 2:00 PM: **Emerging Markets** specialization, Kenney Auditorium (Nitze 1st Floor)
- 2:00 – 2:30 PM: **International Relations General**, Rome 200
- 2:00 – 2:30 PM: **International Development**, Rome 203
- 2:30 – 3:00 PM: **IR/Global Theory and History**, Rome 200
- 2:30 – 3:00 PM: **American Foreign Policy**, Rome 533
- 2:30 – 3:00 PM: **European and Eurasian Studies** (*European Studies* and *Russian and Eurasian Studies*), Rome 205
- 3:00 – 3:30 PM: **Western Hemisphere/Latin American** and **Canadian Studies**, Rome 200
- 3:00 – 3:30 PM: **IR/International Law and Organizations**, Rome 533
- 3:00 – 3:30 PM: **Middle East Studies**, Rome 535
- 3:30 – 4:00 PM: **IR/Energy, Resources and Environment**, Rome 203
- 3:30 – 4:00 PM: **Asia/Korea Studies**, Rome 535
- 3:30 – 4:00 PM: **Hopkins-Nanjing Center Programs**, Rome 534
- 4:00 – 4:30 PM: **African Studies**, Rome 205
- 4:00 – 4:30 PM: **IR/Conflict Management**, Rome 200
- 4:00 – 4:30 PM: **Asian Studies General**, Rome 203
- 4:30 – 5:00 PM: **Asia/China Studies**, Rome 200
- 4:30 – 5:00 PM: **Asia/Japan Studies**, Rome 206
- 4:30 – 5:00 PM: **Asia/South Asia Studies**, Rome 204
- 4:30 – 5:00 PM: **Asia/Southeast Asia Studies**, Rome 205
- 4:30 – 5:00 PM: **IR/Strategic Studies**, Rome 203
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FRIDAY, AUGUST 30, 2013

Today’s sessions are required as they are tailored to you and the questions you may have about SAIS DC. The presenters will provide information about the areas indicated below and answer your questions. Sessions in Kenney Auditorium and Rome Auditorium will be recorded.

8:30 – 9:00 AM  Check-In (Nitze Lobby, 1740 Massachusetts Avenue NW) – Pick up a schedule, nametag, SAIS gift and light breakfast.

9:00 – 9:30 AM  Welcome (Kenney Auditorium, Nitze 1st Floor)
  • Dean Vali Nasr
  • Dean Myron Kunka
  • Dean Bonnie Wilson
  • Dean John Harrington

9:30 – 9:50 AM  Discussion of Red Book, Bidding, Capstones and Orals (Kenney Auditorium) – Dean John Harrington, Dean Bonnie Wilson and Dan Crowe, Registrar.

9:50 – 10:20 AM  Student Health Insurance, Johns Hopkins Student Assistance Program (JHSAP) and Office of Institutional Equity (OIE) (Kenney Auditorium) – Lisa Kahn, Director of Student Life, Debra Brletic, JHSAP, and Allison Boyle, OIE.

10:20 – 10:40 AM  Communications and Library Services (Kenney Auditorium) – Felisa Neuringer Klubes, Director of Communications & Marketing, and Sheila Thalhimer, Director of the Library.

10:40 – 10:55 AM  Break


11:35 – 11:55 AM  Student Government Association (SGA) (Kenney Auditorium) – Led by Ally Carragher, SGA Vice President.

11:55 AM – 12:30 PM  Career Services (Kenney Auditorium) – Meet the DC staff and learn about key programs and services offered on the DC campus. This session will also cover important information about how to make appointments with counselors and give you a chance to ask any questions you may have.

12:30 – 1:30 PM  Lunch (Nitze Building) – Pick up lunch from the Herter Room (adjacent to Kenney Auditorium). Eat informally in Kenney Auditorium, outside, in the basement or in the classrooms on the 4th and 5th floors.
2:00 – 2:30 PM  Website Training (Rome Auditorium) – Optional session with a member of the web team designed to familiarize you with navigating the SAIS website and intranet to find the resources you need.

3:00 – 4:30 PM  International Student Meeting (Kenney Auditorium) – Information session about visas, work permits and social security with Noppadon Moapichai, Director of International Student and Scholar Services; mandatory for all international students.

4:30 – 5:00 PM  Language Studies Program Transition (Rome Auditorium, 1619 Mass. Ave. NW, 1st Floor) – Marco Campos, Director of the Language Studies Program. The faculty coordinators of the languages offered at SAIS will also be on campus today in their offices on the 3rd floor of the Rome Building.

5:00 – 5:30 PM  International Economics Electives and Specializations (Rome Auditorium, 1619 Mass. Ave. NW, 1st Floor) – Cristino Arroyo, Adjunct Associate Professor of International Economics.

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  • Speak with a representative from the Aetna Student Health insurance company (Nitze Café, 1st floor).
  • Learn more about the Johns Hopkins Student Assistance Program (Nitze Café).
  • Configure your laptop and Smartphone for the Hopkins wireless network with IT staff (Nitze Café).
  • Pick up your J-Card ID and setup JHU Emergency Alerts (Location TBD).

5:30 – 8:30 PM  Student Government Association Happy Hour (Nitze Courtyard) – Relax with fellow Bolognese and get to know more new and continuing SAIS students.

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2013 – LABOR DAY (NO CLASSES HELD)**

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3 THROUGH FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2013**

We invite you to attend these Orientation-related activities during this first week of classes.

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3**

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5:00 – 6:30 PM  Welcome Reception with Dean Nasr and President Daniels (Kenney Auditorium) – All students, faculty and staff are invited to celebrate the start of the semester, catch up from the summer and meet new friends.
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4 and THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

11:00 AM  **Library Tours** (Nitze Building, 6th Floor) – Attend a 45-minute introduction to the Library, with an emphasis on course reserves and online resources. Sign up in advance at the Circulation Desk in the Library or email saislibrary@jhu.edu with your preferred date and time. Limit of 10 people per tour. One additional session is offered below.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

11:00 AM or 2:00 PM  **Library Tours** (Nitze Building, 6th Floor) – Attend a 45-minute introduction to the Library, with an emphasis on course reserves and online resources. Sign up in advance at the Circulation Desk in the Library or email saislibrary@jhu.edu with your preferred date and time. Limit of 10 people per tour.

5:30 – 8:30 PM  **Student Government Association Happy Hour and Student Activities Fair** (SAIS Courtyard and Kenney Auditorium) – Sign up to participate in the various student clubs and publications, and meet current student leaders.