



THE UNIVERSITY OF
MELBOURNE

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SERVICES

ENROLMENT AND ORIENTATION

SEMESTER 1 AND 2 2009

ENROLMENT: ACADEMIC ADVICE DAYS

Semester 1: Thursday 19 February

Semester 2: Monday 20 July

The first compulsory Academic Advice Day session for all international students is the International Student Briefing on Thursday 19 February (if you are starting in Semester 1)¹ or Monday 20 July (Semester 2)¹. Here you will be welcomed and receive essential information about Australian culture, visas, safety and support services. Venues and times will be provided in January (Semester 1) or June (Semester 2) on:

www.services.unimelb.edu.au/international/orientation

Your next Academic Advice Day session will be your undergraduate course information or graduate school enrolment session. You will receive academic advice and an enrolment pack to complete your enrolment online. Details will be provided at your International Student Briefing.

ORIENTATION

Semester 1: Tuesday 24 - Friday 27 February

Semester 2: Wednesday 22 - Friday 24 July

Orientation will introduce you to campus life, people, new ways of teaching and learning and the multitude of resources and support available at the University. Further details will be provided online approximately a month before Orientation begins, please bookmark:

www.services.unimelb.edu.au/transition

www.services.unimelb.edu.au/international/orientation

Research students

Research students are encouraged to arrive in time for Orientation in February and July to make the most of academic induction and support on offer. If you are arriving outside these times, refer to:

www.services.unimelb.edu.au/international/orientation/research.html

PLANNING YOUR ARRIVAL

Due to the current low vacancy rate in Melbourne's rental market, you are encouraged to start researching housing as early as possible and arrive at least four weeks before Academic Advice Day to arrange housing after you arrive.

www.services.unimelb.edu.au/housing

Arrival services

If you require airport reception and temporary accommodation, you must book at least 72 hours in advance of your arrival:

www.services.unimelb.edu.au/international/planning/arrival.html

Assistance after you arrive

ISS staff at the International Centre can provide advice on getting started in Melbourne and at the University. Your home Student Centre is also a key place to visit for advice on your enrolment and student services across campus.

www.services.unimelb.edu.au/studentcentre

Late arrival

If you are unable to arrive before Academic Advice Day due to visa or flight difficulties, you must seek prior approval from your Student Centre:

www.services.unimelb.edu.au/international/orientation/arrival.html

CONTACT

International Student Services

International Centre (refer to campus map in *Information Guide*)

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¹ Some courses may have different commencement dates. Students enrolling in these courses will be notified directly of the appropriate dates of arrival in Melbourne. Study Abroad or Exchange students participating in Melbourne Welcome will need to ensure they arrive by the start of the programme: www.services.unimelb.edu.au/international/saex