Introduction programme

Autumn semester 2017

August 28 - September 2

ÖREBRO UNIVERSITY
International Office welcomes you

Congratulations on your admission to a Master’s program at Örebro University! Anyone accepted to one of the University’s international Master’s programs is offered an Introduction programme organized by the International Office. The aim of the Introduction programme is to facilitate you into the Swedish academic system and to help you with necessary information regarding practical matters connected to your arrival here.

*We strongly recommend everyone to participate in the activities and information sessions in this programme!*

**Important information**
The Introduction programme is put together by the International Office in collaboration with Program coordinators from each Master program. Therefore you do not have to worry about any lectures or classes clashing with the activities in this programme. However, since this programme goes out to all master students, you will not find dates or times for lectures or classes connected to your program. This information you will receive from your Program coordinator.

**Obligatory registration**
The registration is done by the School that hosts your Master program. Program coordinators will give you information on when and where you register.

Welcome to Örebro University!
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Monday August 28th

Welcome Ceremony

Time: 13:15-14:00
Location: HSM in Musikhögskolan
- Welcome to Örebro University
- Introduction of the staff of the International Office
- Presentation of the Introduction programme

Obligatory Practical and Study Information

Time: 14:00-14:45
Location: HSM in Musikhögskolan
Representatives from the International Office will give you crucial information connected to your studies, how to activate your student card and use your computer login and so forth. The Student Assistant will also be present to give you practical information about different campus organizations, life in Sweden and so forth.

Campus Tour

Time: 14:45-15:45
Meeting Point: outside HSM
In order for you to get an overview of Campus and its buildings and functions you will get a guided tour in smaller groups. Don’t hesitate to ask questions to your guides!

Gift Bag!
At the information session you will also receive a mobile phone sim-card free of charge, which you can use with any mobile phone that is not carrier locked.
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Tuesday August 29th

Obligatory information from Swedish authorities & campus services

**Time:** 10:15-12:00  
**Location:** T219

A representative from the Migration Agency, the Police force and other organizations are invited to this information session. They will give you important information that concerns your stay here in Sweden and Örebro.

Meet your fellow program students

**Time:** 17:00  
**Location:** Grass field behind running tracks on Campus

Let’s have a picnic together! This will be a great opportunity for you to meet the other students on your program, and also students from other international Master’s programs. Bring something to eat, a blanket and let’s hang out.

Wednesday August 30th

Information about exams and take home exams

**Time:** 12:15-13:00  
**Meeting point:** Studentcentrum

Thursday August 31st

Lecture with the university legal officers

**Time:** 12:15-13:00  
**Location:** HSL1

The university legal officers will hold a lecture for all international students at Örebro University.

Visit to City Hall

**Time:** 14:00  
**Address:** Drottninggatan 9

The city of Örebro welcomes you to a visit to City Hall. You will get a welcome presentation from municipality officials, and afterwards there will be a mixer with some light snacks.
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City tour
Time: 15:00
Meeting point: Outside City Hall
Your buddies will show you around the city centre.

Friday September 1st
Beach Volleyball Tournament

Time: 16:00-19:00
Place: Volleyball fields next to the running tracks on Campus.
The annual beach volleyball tournament. The student sections will compete against each other. If you want to start or be part of a Master’s team, please contact the International student assistant at studentassistant@oru.se.

Sunday September 3rd
Movie night on Campus

Time: 19:00
Place: HSL1
The introduction organizes a movie night on a big screen. Put on something cozy, bring a snack and end the week in a fun way.

Wednesday September 6th
Guided tour of Örebro Castle

Time: 17:00
Place: Örebro Castle
There will be a guided tour of Örebro Castle. The tour will be held in English. To join the tour you need to sign up in advance, no later than August 31st. You sign up by sending an email to the International student assistant at studentassistant@oru.se with your name and contact information. (limited spots available).
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Friday September 8th

Örebro Day

Time: 11:45-17:00
Place: Slottsparken (the park in front of the entry of the castle)

Every autumn semester the University students invade the streets of Örebro. The whole thing starts off with a parade with all the student sections represented. The sections will compete against each other and there will be a lot of happenings for students on this day. If you want to be part of a team you can sign up a team of 8 people (four women & four men), to be in the team lottery. The teams that get to play will be chosen at random in a lottery. To sign up a team, please contact the International student assistant.

Sunday September 10th

Movie night on Campus

Time: 19:00
Place: HSL1

The introduction organizes a movie night on a big screen. Put on something cozy, bring a snack and end the week in a fun way.

Tuesday September 12th

Lunch for studying parents

Time: 12:15-13:00
Place: Kraka restaurant

This lunch is mainly for students who are also parents. It is a great opportunity to meet other students in the same situation. The lunch is on us, and you need to sign up in advance by contacting the International Student Assistant, Sandra Eriksson. Email: Studentassistant@oru.se (limited spots available)
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Try out week on the university gym — Campusgymmet

Dates: 2015-08-31 – 2015-09-06

Place: Campusgymmet

The University has its own gym and sport association called Campusgymmet.

In the beginning of the semester everyone can try out all the activities (gym, group training, football, badminton and more) for free.

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Questions?

If you have any questions regarding the program, contact the International student assistant, Sandra Eriksson.

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