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# Welcome

The University of Oregon (UO) is delighted to welcome international students and scholars from all over the world to study, research and become a part of our university community.

This year the University expects to host over 3,000 international students from more than 90 countries.

The staff of the Office of International Affairs is dedicated to supporting and advising all international students and scholars at the UO. We hope you take advantage of the International Student Orientation (ISO) which has been developed specifically to address the needs of UO international students. Please let us know if you have any questions about the planned activities. Visit our office on the third floor of Oregon Hall if there is ever anything we can do to assist you.

It is our sincere hope that during your time here you will come to see the University of Oregon as your “home away from home.” Again, welcome to Eugene and the University of Oregon!

Your presence here enriches the campus environment and adds to the diversity of this institution.

With warmest regards,



Abe Schafermeyer  
Director, International Student and Scholar Services



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# Orientation Overview

## What is ISO?

The International Student Orientation (ISO) is designed to prepare you for life as a University of Oregon student.

At the beginning of orientation you will have the opportunity to meet with group leaders and other students. They will help you find workshops and events during orientation and make your transition into the University of Oregon as smooth as possible.

Feel free to ask them questions if you are lost, or use it as an opportunity to build new friendships on campus. Please remember that ISO is a required event and you should plan to attend every session scheduled for you.

## Look for the Welcome Table

The Welcome Table is the first place to check-in as a new student and get information and answers. If you ever feel lost or confused, need help finding an event, or need more information about anything, we can help.

The Welcome Table opens on **September 6th** in front of UO Health Center and remains open through September 12th. Stop by anytime.



**International Ducks never fly alone. ISO is not just a time to learn rules and responsibilities while at the UO, it is also time to connect with others. Go Ducks!**

# Important Information to Know

- Stop by the Welcome Table when you arrive to campus.
- Remember all sessions are required and important for you to attend.
- Avoid lines at the Required Immunization Verification by turning in your immunization documents at the Welcome Table between 9/6 and 9/12.
- Do you need to print something? Visit the Office of International Affairs for free printing.
- **Follow us on Facebook at [facebook.com/uoiss](https://www.facebook.com/uoiss) and Twitter @UOISS.**

## QUESTIONS? ASK AN ISO LEADER.

 For a healthier community and cleaner environment, the University of Oregon is Smoke- and Tobacco-Free, including e-cigarettes.



**TO REGISTER FOR CLASSES, you must complete** both the immunization requirement and health insurance requirement.

**Immunization requirement: You must submit evidence of mandatory immunizations (vaccines) and a Tuberculosis (TB) Screening Questionnaire.**

1. If you haven't already, Claim your Duck ID (UO email address).
2. Using your Duck ID, log in to the myUOHealth Student Portal and enter the dates of your completed vaccines. Then upload a copy of either your vaccine record or the Certificate of Immunization Status form provided by the UO. Mandatory immunizations include:
  - Measles, Mumps and Rubella (MMR)
  - Varicella (chickenpox)
  - Tetanus, Diphtheria and Pertussis (Tdap)
  - Meningococcal Quadrivalent (Serogroups A, C, Y, & W-135) (MCV4, MPSV4)
3. Complete the "Tuberculosis (TB) Screening Questionnaire" in the myUOHealth Student Portal. If you are at a higher risk of TB, you will be notified of further instructions.

Health insurance requirement: All international students and their dependents are required to have health insurance. Complete the "Insurance Compliance Form" through myUOHealth Student Portal.

If you have questions about enrollment requirements, please visit the Health Center website.

**Move-In and Check-In Your Dorm***Residence Hall***8:30 - 11:30 AM**

Check-in on the service desk for your hall, get your keys and put down your luggage. Meeting the people living with you and the housing staff.

**Opening Ceremony***Straub 156***1:00 PM**

Welcome to the University of Oregon! This is your first opportunity to meet International Affairs staff members, International Student Orientation leaders and other new students. It will include an overview of the orientation program. *Presented by Abe Schafermeyer, Director, International Student and Scholar Services.*

**Small Group Activities***Locations all around campus***2:30 PM**

Following the opening ceremony, each student is assigned to a small group led by an ISO Leader. Groups will have a chance to meet each other through short game activities and then receive a campus tour. *Presented by ISO Leaders.*

**Meeting for Parents and Welcome Reception***Knight Library Browsing Room***3:00 PM**

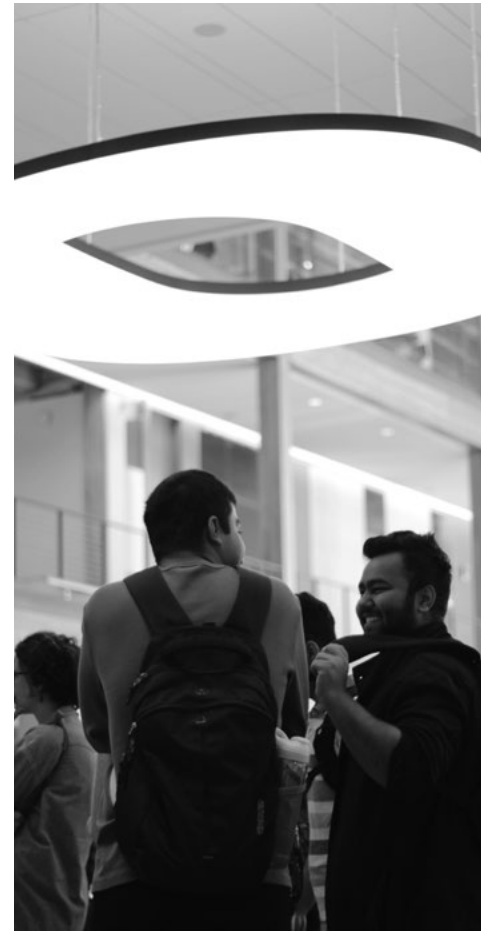
Following the opening ceremony, families and parents of new students are invited to meet with Dennis Galvan, Vice Provost for International Affairs, and Abe Schafermeyer, Director of International Student and Scholar Services, to discuss how leaving home to attend the University of Oregon affects students and parents. Refreshments will be served.

**Group Photo***13th Street Welcome Banner***5:00 PM**

Join all of the new international students for a group photo opportunity under the Welcome Banner on 13th Street. Photos will be available on the ISSS Website.

**Welcome Reception***EMU 145 Crater Lake Room***5:15 PM**

Come celebrate your arrival at the University of Oregon with other international students. Learn about resources, meet student groups and enjoy a meal. *Presented by the Office of International Affairs and ExplOregon.*



**UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC SUCCESS***Straub 156***8:00 AM**

Presenter will discuss key aspects of a UO education such as UO's requirements as part of a liberal arts education and academic integrity; he will give advice about how to study, talk with professors, participate in class discussion, and read course syllabus.

*Presented by the Teaching and Learning Center (TLC).*

**Student Conduct: Knowing the Rules about Academic Integrity***Straub 156***9:00 AM**

This session will focus on the UO Student Conduct Code. Students are responsible for being aware of and following the code, which is the set of rules about what is appropriate or inappropriate behavior while you are at the UO. *Presented by the Dean of Students Office.*

**On Campus Jobs and Internships***Straub 156***10:00 AM**

Would you like to get some work experience and earn a little extra money? Do you plan to find an internship in your field of study? Would you like to learn how to prepare for your career early on in your academic program? Come and learn how to find on-campus jobs and internships, and begin your career development. *Presented by the UO Career Center.*

**International Peer Mentor Program  
Session mandatory for freshmen***Straub 156***1:00 PM**

Current international and American students from different majors will be ready to answer all your questions about classes, registration, UO resources, clubs, how to make friends, and much more! Come hang out with your peer advisors and get all the tips on how to be a successful Duck! There will be games, information sessions, and you'll meet your own peer mentor from "International Peer Mentor Program" for fall term! Don't miss the fun!

**University Health Center, Counseling Center and Health Insurance***Straub 156***3:00 PM**

The University of Oregon is committed to your well-being and success as a student. As part of this commitment, there is a health center located in the center of campus that is designed specifically to address your health needs while you are a student here. As an international student, you are automatically billed for and enrolled in the UO Health Insurance Plan. This session is to provide you with information about the University's insurance compliance process and immunization and TB screening processes that all must be completed prior to your course registration. In addition to reviewing these important compliance processes, you will learn about how to access the health center services and how to get the best value out of your health insurance plan.

**RHA Mingle Night***LLC Performance Hall***7:00 PM**

Do you want to make new friends, win cool prizes and most importantly have fun? Then come join us for a night of games, pizza and ice cream! Also learn more about your RHA (Residence Hall Association) and how you can get involved too!

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Friday, September 15

# REQUIRED IMMUNIZATIONS VERIFICATION

UO Health Center

SEE APPOINTMENT TIMES.

All students are required to attend this session. Please refer to the number on your schedule and come to the Health Center based on your specific appointment time.

Group Number	Arrival Time
1	8:30 AM
2	9:00 AM
3	9:20 AM
4	9:40 AM
5	10:00 AM
6	10:20 AM
7	10:40 AM
8	11:00 AM
9	11:20 AM
10	11:40 AM
11	1:00 PM
12	1:20 PM
13	1:40 PM
14	2:00 PM
15	2:20 PM
16	2:40 PM
17	3:00 PM
18	3:20 PM

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Saturday, September 16

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19	8:30 AM
20	9:00 AM
21	9:20 AM
22	9:40 AM
23	10:00 AM



04 | Saturday, September 16

## WELCOME PICNIC

*Alton Baker Park*

**12:00 PM**

New international students are invited to a Welcome Picnic. There will be plenty of food, fun, games, sunshine....and The Duck might even make an appearance! The event is sponsored by the Friendship Foundation for International Students (FFIS).

Students placed with host families should get a ride with their FFIS host family, if possible. Parking is free.

All other students please meet outside Oregon Hall at 11:00 am, and ISO leaders will walk you to the picnic. Students will start walking over to the picnic at 11:30. Don't be late!

### **Social Butterfly: Meet the World!**

*GSH Room 123 Great Room*

**6:00 PM**

Don't miss one of the biggest international social events of the year! Come dance, mingle, take photos at the Photo Booth, and have fun with your new friends. Food and beverage will be provided. *Sponsored by the International Student Association.*

05 | Sunday, September 17

Feel free to explore around Eugene and ask your ISO group leader for group activities.

06 | Monday, September 18

Feel free to explore around Eugene, stop by Mills International Center to know the staff and people all around the world.

07 | Tuesday, September 19

### **Adjusting to Life/Staying Safe in Eugene**

*Willamette 100*

**8:00 AM**

Want to make new friendships with people in the US? Want to get connected? Come and learn about healthy and easy ways to adjust to your new life in the US. Also, learn tips on staying safe in Eugene and on campus. *Presented by Office of International Affairs and Dean of Students Office.*

### **REQUIRED: Exchange Student Meeting**

*Lawrence 115*

**10:00 AM**

This is mandatory instructional meeting that requires all exchange students to attend. Students will know the special information that design for exchange students.

### **Library Reception and Library Tour**

*Knight Library 106/Browsing Room*

**2:00 PM**

The UO Libraries staff welcomes all international students to attend a special reception. Enjoy a sweet treat during a short orientation on how the library and librarians can help you be successful with your academics. You will meet some of the expert librarians and go on a tour of the main library (Knight Library). Be there on time for a special surprise! *Presented by UO Libraries staff.*



Week of Welcome is the orientation for all students on campus. Now that you have been through the ISO be sure to check out some of the fun WOW activities that will give you the opportunity to interact with new students from the US. Check out the WOW website to get details on events. Some of the most popular events are International Student Coffee Hour, Outdoor Trips and Intermingle. For more information go to, [orientation.uoregon.edu/week-of-welcome](http://orientation.uoregon.edu/week-of-welcome). You can also pick up a printed WOW schedule at the Welcome Table.



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THANK YOU TO ALL OF OUR CAMPUS PARTNERS FOR YOUR HELP WITH ISO.

Name	Phone Number	Email	Internet Address
Safe Ride	541-346-7433 ext. 2	saferide@uoregon.edu	pages.uoregon.edu/saferide
Computer Help Center	541-346-4357	techdesk@uoregon.edu	it.uoregon.edu
Counseling Center	541-346-3227		counseling.uoregon.edu
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Teaching Learning Center	541-346-3226		tlc.uoregon.edu
Graduate School	541-346-5129		gradschool.uoregon.edu
Health Center	541-346-2770		health.uoregon.edu
Housing Office	541-346-4277	housing@uoregon.edu	housing.uoregon.edu
International Student and Scholar Services	541-346-3206	intl@uoregon.edu	international.uoregon.edu/iss
Mills International Center	541-346-0887	mills@uoregon.edu	mills.uoregon.edu
UO Libraries	541-346-3053		library.uoregon.edu
Outdoor Program	541-346-4365		outdoorprogram.uoregon.edu
Student Recreation Center (SRC)	541-346-4183		uorec.uoregon.edu
UO Police Department	541-346-2919	police@uoregon.edu	safetyweb.uoregon.edu
Career Center	541-346-3235	career@uoregon.edu	career.uoregon.edu
Dept of Parking and Transportation	541-346-5444	parking@uoregon.edu	parking.uoregon.edu
Holden Leadership Center	541-346-1146	holdencenter@uoregon.edu	leadership.uoregon.edu

# International Student Groups

To learn more about International Student Groups on campus, or if you are interested in creating a new group, please visit: [uoregon.orgsync.com](http://uoregon.orgsync.com).

**International Student Association**

**Korean Students Association**

**African Student Association**

**Kultura Pilipinas**

**Ahiru Daiko**

**Muslim Student Association**

**Arab Student Union**

**PERMIAS (Indonesian Student Association)**

**Asian Culture Communication Association**

**Saudi Student Association**

**Chinese Philanthropic Leadership Association**

**Students of the Indian Subcontinent**

**Chinese Students and Scholars Association**

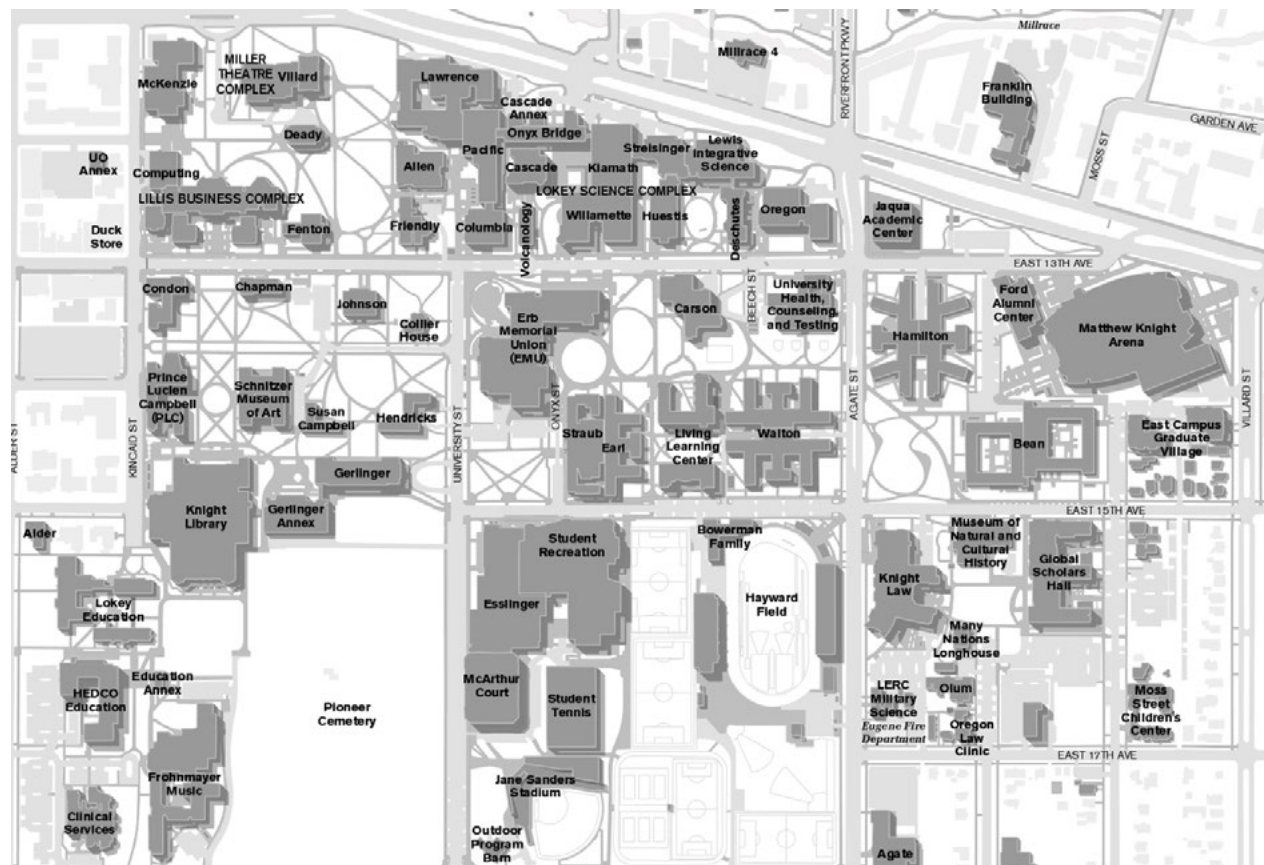
**Taiwanese Student Association**

**Hong Kong Student Association**

**Vietnamese Student Association**

**International Business and Economic Club**

**Japanese Student Organization**





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