

# *Welcome*

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**To Stony Brook University**

**New International Undergraduate Student Orientation 2007  
Tuesday, August 28 - Friday, August 31**



**New international freshmen and transfer students are  
required to attend all sessions.  
Registration blocks will be applied for failure to attend.**



TUESDAY, AUGUST 28<sup>TH</sup> (STUDENT ACTIVITIES CENTER)

9:30 – 11:00 AM	<b>Breakfast</b>	Student Activities Center (SAC) Auditorium
10:00 – 3:00 PM	<b>International Student Check-In:</b> <i>Since check-in is available from 10–3 p.m., it is not necessary to arrive right at 10 a.m. Give yourself at least two hours for check-in.</i>	SAC Why Lobby and Auditorium
3:30 – 5:00 PM	<b>Welcome, Introduction and Registration Information Workshop.</b>	SAC Auditorium
6:30 – 9:30 PM	<b>New International Student Welcome Dinner:</b> Stony Brook University welcomes all new International Students with a festive dinner. Students who have requested Host Families will meet their assigned families.	Student Activities Center (SAC) Auditorium. Dinner will be served in Ballroom A & B afterwards.

**Tuesday, August 28, 2007 – 6:30 PM**

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29<sup>TH</sup> (STONY BROOK UNION)

8:30 – 3:00 PM	<b>International Student Orientation:</b> <i>All international students are required to attend.</i>	Stony Brook Union Ballroom and Auditorium
8:30 – 10:30 AM	<b>Breakfast</b>	Stony Brook Union Ballroom
9:30 – 10:30 AM	<b>Understanding the U.S. &amp; the System of Education:</b> <i>Dr. Elizabeth Barnum, Assistant Dean and Director of International Services.</i>	Stony Brook Union Auditorium
10:30 – 10:45 AM	<b>Wo/Men’s Center:</b> <i>Dr. Jenny Hwang, Director.</i>	Stony Brook Union Auditorium
10:45 – 11:00 AM	<b>University Counseling Center:</b> <i>Dr. Naitian Wang from the University Counseling Center will speak about counseling services available to students</i>	Stony Brook Union Auditorium

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29<sup>TH</sup>, CONT'D. (STUDENT ACTIVITIES CENTER)**

11:00 – 11:15 PM	<b>Cross-Cultural Activity</b>	Stony Brook Union Auditorium
11:15 – 11:30 PM	<b>Student Health Services:</b> <i>Deborah Freund-Baldwin of the Campus Infirmary will talk about health services available to students.</i>	
11:30 – 12:30 PM	<b>International Health Insurance:</b> <i>Leta Edelson from the Student Insurance Office will discuss International Students Health Insurance.</i>	
12:30 – 1:30 PM	<b>Lunch</b>	
1:30 – 2:00 PM	<b>Safety Issues:</b> <i>Representatives from the University Police will talk about safety and security on campus</i>	
2:00 – 2:15 PM	<b>Library:</b> Victor Santiago	
2:15 – 4:30 PM	<b>International Student Check-In:</b> <i>For students who did not check-in on Tuesday.</i>	International Services, Graduate School, 2401 Computer Science Building (2nd Floor)
3:00 – 5:00 PM	<b>Writing Placement Exam:</b> Academic Advising	TBA
5:30 & 6:30 PM	<b>Math Placement Exam:</b> Academic Advising	TBA
6:15 – 9:30 PM	<b>Trip to Shopping Center:</b> <i>Complimentary shuttle bus will run to nearby shopping center. Last bus will leave the SAC at 8:15 p.m.</i>	Student Activities Center (SAC) Loop

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 30<sup>TH</sup>**

9:00 – 1:00 PM	<b>Freshmen Registration:</b> All International students are required to attend.	Student Activities Center (SAC) Lobby, Ballroom B & 3rd Fl.
1:00 – 5:00 PM	<b>Transfer students Registration:</b> All International students are required to attend.	Student Activities Center (SAC) Lobby- Ballroom B & 3rd Fl.



FRIDAY, AUGUST 31<sup>st</sup> (STUDENT ACTIVITIES CENTER)

9:00 – 10:00 AM	<b>Breakfast</b>	Student Activities Center (SAC) Auditorium (Round Table)
9:30 – 10:30 AM	<b>“What is going on here?”</b> <i>Dr. Elizabeth Barnum provides tips for cross-cultural adjustment.</i>	
10:30 – 12:30 PM	<b>Immigration Workshops:</b> <i>Essential immigration information for F-1 students by the International Service’s Advisers: Christos Kalesis, Antoinette D’Assomption, Gretchen Gosnell, Erin Keffeler and Emily Ntia.</i>	Student Activities Center (SAC) Auditorium
10:30 – 12:30 PM	<b>Immigration Workshops:</b> <i>Essential immigration information for J-1 students by Nancy Lannak and Elsy Arieta-Padro, Adviser to International Faculty and Scholars.</i>	Student Activities Center (SAC) Room 305
12:30 – 12:50 PM	<b>Worldwide Voices</b>	
1:00 – 1:30 PM	<b>International Panel:</b> <i>Current students will answer questions about life at Stony Brook.</i>	Student Activities Center (SAC) Auditorium
2:30 – 4:00 PM	<b>International Student Check-In:</b> <i>For students who did not check-in Wednesday or Thursday.</i>	International Services, Graduate School, 2401 Computer Science Building (2nd Floor)
7:00 PM	<b>Experience Stony Brook:</b> <i>Freshman Welcome Shabbat Dinner</i>	Delancey Street Deli, Stony Brook Union.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

9:00 am to 2:00 pm	<b>New Resident Move-In Day</b>	Various quads
12:30 pm.	<b>Freshmen Welcome Shabbat Lunch</b>	Stony Brook Union
12:00 pm to 4:00 pm.	<b>Off-Campus Vendor Showcase</b>	SAC Plaza,
2:00 pm to 4:00 pm	<b>Catholic Campus Ministry Welcome</b>	Stony Brook Union
12:00 pm to 3:00 pm	<b>Reception for New Student and Parents Family Farewell BBQ</b>	SAC Plaza,
4:00 pm to 5:30 pm	<b>Seawolves Spirit Dinner</b>	Stadium Field Tent
6:00 pm	<b>Football Game</b>	LaValle Stadium

(Experience Stony Brook continues until September 30, 2007. Visit the Stony Brook website for more details).

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