# International Graduate Orientation Schedule

All international freshmen are required to attend orientation.

**Tuesday, September 08**

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| 08:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. | Welcome Breakfast & Introduction  
Rise to the delicious aroma of your first breakfast at SU and the friendly Chatter of your fellow international students | Campus Cafeteria University Center |
| 11:45 a.m. - 12:05 p.m. | Welcome speech by President & Vice President (Mandatory)  
Sabanci University President, Prof. Dr. A. Nihat Berker and Vice President, Prof. Dr. Sonandan Durukanoglu Feyiz will welcome and meet you | SOM 1099 |
| 12:10 p.m. - 13:10 p.m. | Session: Being a Foreigner in Turkey (Mandatory)  
David Hill, School of Language Instructor will share his feedbacks about Being a Foreigner in Turkey | SOM 1099 |
| 13:10 p.m. - 14:10 p.m. | Campus Tour (Mandatory)  
There will be 4 groups for campus tour. It is a good chance to learn what is where on campus | Departure: SOM 1099 |
| 14:10 p.m. - 15:45 p.m. | Free  
Have a lunch, chat with friends etc. | On campus |
| 15:45 p.m. - 16:00 p.m. | Survival Session (Mandatory)  
Learn about legal processes such as residence permit, tax number, phone registration as an international student in Turkey | UC G030  
(Cinema hall) |
| 16:00 p.m. - 17:00 p.m. | Session: to Live with Differences (Mandatory)  
This session will be held in three different hall with three groups. It is a good chance how you live with the different cultures etc. | UC G030  
(Cinema hall) or SOM L018 or SOM 1099 |
| 17:00 p.m. - 18:00 p.m. | Free | On campus |
| 18:00 p.m. - 21:00 p.m. | Welcome Party  
Grilled meat, music and plenty of time to chat! | President’s Residence |

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| 15:30 p.m. - 16:30 p.m. | Session: Turkish Culture (Mandatory)  
Learn more about Turkish Culture by Arzu Wasti, SOM faculty member | SOM 1099 |
| 16:30 p.m. - 17:30 p.m. | Session: Being an international student (Mandatory)  
Learn more about life at SU, Istanbul and in Turkey by Sabanci University current students | SOM 1099 |
| 17:30 p.m. - 20:00 p.m. | Draw your dream | SUNUM |
| 20:00 p.m. - 22:00 p.m. | Music Performance  
Join us for an evening of music and fun! | Şima Cafe Near the Lake |
Thursday, September 10

09.00 a.m.-10.00 a.m.  Welcome speech by Dean of Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences

10.00 a.m.-12.00 p.m.  Programs Orientation;  FENS G077
- Visual Arts and Visual Communications Design  G 030
- Conflict Analysis and Resolution  G 048
- European Studies  G 049
- Public Policy  G 050
- Political Science  G 056
- Cultural Studies  1101
- History  2031
- Economics  2034

13.00 p.m.-16.30 p.m.  GR501E Course by Kristin Şendur (Mandatory)
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18.00 p.m.-19.00 p.m.  Orienteering Activity  SU Tower
All new Turkish and international students will attend. This is a good chance to meet the all new students.

19.00 p.m.-21.00 p.m.  SU first club warm-up activity  University Center
All new Turkish and international students are welcomed.

Friday, September 11

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20.30 p.m.-22.30 p.m. **Cinema**
Join us for an enjoyable cinema night.