Dear Student,

We are so excited to welcome you to IUPUI!

In order to help prepare you for a safe arrival, we have included in this email all the important information specific to your journey as an Exchange Student. Please read the information carefully to ensure a successful IUPUI experience.

Safe travels!

IUPUI Welcome Team

Getting Oriented

iStart.IU.edu is a very useful tool for you in preparing for your arrival to IUPUI. We have incorporated a list of important items for you to review and tasks for you to accomplish before and directly after you arrive to Indianapolis.

Find your Checklist by going to your Pre-Arrival menu item and clicking Visiting Exchange Student Pre-Arrival Checklist.

Your goal is to complete all items on the checklist except the Immigration Document Check before you arrive to Indianapolis.

You can complete the Immigration Document Check once you have entered the United States.
Visiting Exchange Student Pre-Arrival Checklist

This Pre-Arrival Checklist has been specifically designed for students admitted for short term exchange programs at IUPUI.

If you have not been admitted into a non-degree exchange program, contact iadvisor@iupui.edu for Pre-Arrival information.

- Exchange Student Confirm Your Intention to Enroll
- Exchange Student Set Up Your Computer Accounts
- Exchange Student Housing in Indianapolis
- Exchange Student SEVIS I-901 Fee
- Exchange Student International Orientation Reservation
- Exchange Student Academic Orientation
- Exchange Student Citizenship Verification
- Exchange Student Fall Health Insurance
- Exchange Student Medical Records
- Exchange Student Immunization and Tuberculosis Requirements
- Exchange Student International Tax Questionnaire
- Exchange Student English for Academic Purposes (EAP) Exam
- Exchange Student Update Emergency Contact Information
- Exchange Student Airport Transportation Form
- Exchange Student International Peer Mentoring Program
- Exchange Student Immigration Document Check

If you encounter problems with your checklist, please send a screenshot of your error and iStart screen to jtalla@iupui.edu so that we can troubleshoot your connection.

PLACEMENT ASSESSMENTS

Do I need to take a Placement Assessment?

Review the third page of your admissions letter for details.

If you will need to take the EAP exam, you might need to add an English class depending on the results. Be sure to inform your academic advisor.

COURSE REGISTRATION

Registering for classes is a simple process...

Exchange students will register for classes with their academic advisors prior to arriving in Indianapolis or during Orientation Week. Review the second page of your admissions letter for your academic advisor's contact information.
How to register for classes:
Register for your courses now to ensure your enrollment in the classes you need.
Classes fill up very quickly. Do not delay!

1. Review the selection of courses at registrar.iupui.edu.
2. Contact your academic advisor to assist you with finalizing your registration for classes.

IMPORTANT IUPUI WEBSITES
There are a couple of websites that you will use frequently throughout your IUPUI program. These sites include:

**one.iu.edu**
- register for classes,
- create your IUPUI technology account, pay tuition online, and more!

**Canvas**
- your course management system.
- Check grades, submit assignments, connect with your professor

**University Info Technology Services (UITS)**
- Contact for email issues, forgotten passphrase, w-fi, and more!

**iStart**
- Complete your Pre-Arrival Checklists & request OIA services upon arrival

ORIENTATION DATES
IUPUI International Welcome Week is how your life at IUPUI begins.

*Exchange Students* will check-in for International Orientation at the regularly scheduled time of 10am on Monday, August 13th.

Then, you will attend a *mandatory exchange student orientation* with Jane Talla on Monday, August 13th at 1:00PM in the Campus Center Room 406.

*Except for this meeting, you should attend all of the other orientation activities on August 13th.* In addition, there are several very beneficial orientation events throughout the week that you are invited to attend. *Please refer to our orientation calendar for details.*
Note: If you are required to take the EAP exam in your admission letter this is mandatory. That exam will be held on Tuesday, August 14th.

Watch: "I am IUPUI"

QUESTIONS?
for assistance with iStart or U.S. immigration topics (passports & visas)
click to email iadvisor@iupui.edu

QUESTIONS?
for orientation, housing, airport transportation, and arrival needs
click to email iwelcome@iupui.edu

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2. @IUPUIglobal
3. International Parents & Families
4. Make Friends & Find Roommates!