

## OTHER EVENTS

- ◆ Student Union International Section general meeting on Monday, January 8 at 18 in Aurora
- ◆ Welcoming Reception organised by the City of Joensuu and the Regional Council of North Karelia in Carelicum (Koskikatu 5) on Tuesday, January 16 at 18
- ◆ "Get-to-know-each-other" -Party by the Student Union on Friday January 19 at 18 in Pursiseura villa
- ◆ Finnish Friend Meeting (by invitation)

During the Orientation, you have a possibility to meet with your tutors and take care of the registration. Please arrange a meeting with your tutors in advance!

Changes in the programme are possible.

700019 Orientation in Academic Studies for  
International Students  
Credits: 2 ECTS

Please note that participation in the lectures, the Finnish course and a library visit are **obligatory** in order to obtain the credit units for the Orientation Programme.

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**WELCOME TO  
THE UNIVERSITY OF JOENSUU**

**ORIENTATION  
PROGRAMME**

**FOR  
INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS**

**SPRING SEMESTER 2007**

**CARELIA Building  
C2**

**Monday, January 8 (Room C2)**

- 10:00 **Opening of the Orientation Programme**  
Dr Perttu Vartiainen  
Rector of the University of Joensuu  
Ms Outi Savonlahti  
Director of International Relations  
Ms Päivi Halttilahti  
International Studies Coordinator
- 11:30 **Presentation of the Language Centre and Information on the Finnish Course**  
Mr Tapio Hokkanen
- 12:00 **Lunch Break**
- 13:00-14:30 **Introductory Course in Finnish Lesson 1**(Please note that groups and classrooms for Finnish lessons will be announced during the Orientation)
- Free afternoon

**Tuesday, January 9 (Room C2)**

- 09:00 **Entering a New Culture**  
Ms Melody Karvonen
- 10:00 **Student Housing in Joensuu**  
Ms Pia Saukkoriipi  
Student Housing Company  
Joensuun Elli
- 10:45 **Coffee Break**
- 11:30 **Permits and Licences in Finland and Personal Safety in Joensuu**

Representative of the Joensuu Police

- 12:00 **Introduction to Joensuu**  
Ms Tuire Lehikoinen, Director of International Relations  
City of Joensuu
- 12:30 **Introduction to Finnish Society and History**  
Dr Petri Raivo
- 13:15 **Lunch Break**
- 14:00-15:30 **Introductory Course in Finnish Lesson 2**

**Wednesday, January 10 (Room C2)**

- 09:00 **Student Union of the University of Joensuu**  
Presentation of the activities and membership benefits  
Ms Elina Pussinen  
International Secretary
- 09:45 **Student Health Services**  
Dr Eija Vänskä  
Director of the Student Health Services
- 10:00 **Practical Arrangements at the University**  
Ms Päivi Halttilahti  
International Studies Coordinator
- 11-12 **Lunch Break**

12:00-12:45 **Studying at the University of Joensuu**  
Dr Paul Fryer

- 13-16 **Introduction to the International Study Programmes**
- Environmental Science and Forestry**  
Dr Ismo Holopainen, Programme Director  
Mr Markku Ropo, Programme Coordinator
- Karelia, Russia and the Baltic Area**  
Dr Jukka Korpela, Programme Director  
Dr Pasi Tuunainen, Programme Coordinator
- Human Geography**  
Dr Paul Fryer, Programme Coordinator
- Educational Sciences**  
Ms Helena Hulmi, Programme Coordinator
- Law**  
Ms Onerva-Aulikki Suhonen
- Social Sciences**  
Mr Jarmo Romppanen, Programme Coordinator

**Thursday, January 11**

- Free Morning
- 13-16 **Introductory Course in Finnish Lesson 3**

**Friday, January 12**

- 9-11 **Introductory Course in Finnish Lesson 4**
- 11-12 **Lunch Break**
- 12-14 **Introductory Course in Finnish Lesson 5**

**Saturday, January 13**

- 10-14 **Introductory Course in Finnish Lesson 6**

**Introductory Visit to the University Main Library**

Please note that you should choose your group for the library visit. Please sign up during the Orientation Programme. Max. 15 students in one group.

- Group 1** Thursday, January 11, 10-12
- Group 2** Monday, January 15, 14-16
- Group 3** Wednesday, January 17, 12-14
- Group 4** Thursday, January 18, 16-18
- Group 5** Friday, January 19, 10-12
- Group 6** Thursday, January 25, 16-18
- Group 7** Monday, January 29, 14-16
- Group 8** Friday, February 2, 14-16