Spring 2020 International Student Orientation  
Tuesday, March 24, 2020  
9:00am-12:30pm (Pacific Time)  
Virtual Orientation via Zoom Meeting Technology

[BEFORE Orientation]

**IMMIGRATION CHECK-IN**

You’re required to complete an immigration check-in beforehand. If you haven’t, please complete it via WorldLink. This process must be done before attending the Spring 2020 Virtual International Student Orientation (S20 V-ISO). Please visit our website to learn more about the Immigration Check-In Process.

We shared a Google drive folder called “Spring 2020 New Students” that include various presentation slides with voice-over, informational sheets and quiz. You’re required to review the information in the folder and complete a quiz BEFORE attending S20 V-ISO. Please visit the OIT’s website to learn more about Google My Drive.

[Orientation Day]

This orientation will be offered virtually using the technology called Zoom. As a PSU student, you will have access to Zoom for free. Please make sure that you have access to a computer, cellphone or mobile device. Please visit the OIT’s website about accessing Zoom. Right before 9am, please access https://pdx.zoom.us/j/213704474 to join orientation.

IMPORTANT: We will ask you to mute your microphone and camera during the session.
As this orientation is mandatory, we will check your attendance throughout the virtual orientation. If you miss S20 V-ISO, you’re required to have an hour, virtual meeting with Yoko Honda (hondy@pdx.edu) during the first week of the term.

**Schedule:**

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*For students who receive scholarships from their government or embassy*
Due to the COVID-19 situation, we’re unable to offer in-person activities until further notice. We encourage you to stay connected with our office and your international student mentor. Here are two ways to connect with us:

**Mentor Check-In during Spring Break**
Your international student mentor will check in with you during Spring Break outside of their regular email communication (Google chat, phone call via Google Hangouts, etc.). Your mentor will email you for more information. They are looking forward to connecting with you soon!

**Mandatory Spring 2020 Mid-Term Check-In** on Friday, May 1, 2020 (Tentative)
We hope to meet with you in-person to check how things are going with you during your first term. We hope that the situation calms down by that time. This will be a great way to connect with other new students starting in Spring 2020.

**PSU’s Coronavirus Response**
You can find out what university services are currently open. While PSU remains open, more services are transitioning to remote work. As a result, starting Tuesday, March 17, all buildings on campus, except Fariborz Maseeh Hall (FMH) will only be accessible with a PSU ID card.

**Student Guide to Learning Remotely**
All classes in Spring 2020 will be taught remotely. Check out this quick reference guide to help you get started in your remote courses!

**PSU ID Card**
As of March 17, PSU ID Services in Fariborz Maseeh Hall (FMH) is open on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday between Noon and 2pm. The first ID is free but costs $21 for a replacement. Please register for Spring 2020 classes and bring your passport or other government ID with your photo. If you have any questions, please contact the Student Financial Services at 503-725-3440 or studentfinancialservices@pdx.edu.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact our office:

Office of International Student and Scholar Services
https://www.pdx.edu/international-students/
Immigration inquiries – oia@pdx.edu
Student Life and Orientation inquiries – intl-life@pdx.edu
503-725-4094
Our office doors are closed – but our phones and emails are open!