

**Tuesday, September 22nd, 2009**

**SMSU Ballroom**

**9am to 3pm**

Welcome to Portland State University!

All new international students, including those transferring  
From another U.S. institution, must attend a mandatory  
immigration session.



**Orientation will provide information about the following topics:**

- Immigration requirements and regulations for F-1 and J-1 visa holders
- Immigration document reminders, copying documents and check-in
- Work authorization in the U.S. and working on and off campus
- Cultural adjustment and culture shock

***FREE LUNCH***

- Academic expectations
- Undergraduate students receive academic advising and can register in the afternoon
- Graduate students meet with the Office of Graduate Studies and learn about U.S. classroom expectations and how to work with advisors

**Representatives will be available from:**

- Admissions (to discuss holds or transcript questions)
- University Housing
- Host Family Organizations
- Other PSU Services and Student Organizations

International Student **Peer Mentors** will be available to answer questions and help you with your adjustment to Portland and the PSU campus.



**PLEASE SIGN UP FOR THIS September 22nd ORIENTATION THROUGH THE WEB at:**

<https://survey.oit.pdx.edu/ss/wsb.dll/s/2bfgf49>

**\*\*No immigration check-in will be done in the International Student and Scholar Services Office (ISSS) prior to September 22nd. All new students **MUST** attend the Orientation and Immigration Check-in on September 22nd and bring your passport and I-20 or DS 2019. If you can not attend for any reason or if you have any questions, please contact the Office of International Student and Scholar Services at 503.725.4094 or stop by 101 East Hall.**