

 **SUMMER 2017 INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SCHEDULE**

Welcome to Saint Louis University (SLU)! Please review the schedule for orientation and carry it with you.

**MONDAY, MAY 22**

**All Day International Airport Pick-up Service, Residence Life Check-in**

 *Lambert International Airport & Saint Louis University Campus*

 SLU students and staff will greet you at the airport, take you back to campus, and

help you check in to your housing assignment. At the airport, look for SLU signs, International Ambassadors in bright yellow shirts and/or staff in blue shirts.

**6:00PM Hang out in the Quad**

*Meet at the Center for Global Citizenship*

Hang out in the quad with other international students and the International Ambassadors and play some of our favorite outdoor games!

**TUESDAY, MAY 23**

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**2:30-5:30PM One-on-One Campus Tours & Board Games**

*Meet in the John Cook School of Business Atrium*

Join us for an afternoon of board games and/or a personalized campus tour (tours will also be available on Wednesday).

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**WEDNESDAY, MAY 24**

**8:30 – 9:30AM Welcome** *Center for Global Citizenship (CGC) Auditorium*

Faculty, staff and students will welcome you to SLU and provide an overview of orientation activities.

**9:30-10:30AM SLU Written Examination (SLUWE) Test Preparation**

*Center for Global Citizenship Auditorium*

Get prepared with tips and strategies for taking the SLU Written Examination.

**10:30AM-12:30PM** **Campus Tour**

 *Meet at the Center for Global Citizenship*

International Ambassadors will assist you with a campus tour and getting your SLU ID, if you were not able to get your ID during airport pickup days.

**12:30PM Welcome Lunch with International Ambassadors & Mentors**

*Center for Global Citizenship Auditorium*

Grab lunch and continue getting to know your orientation group!

**2:00-5:00PM Shopping Shuttle to Walmart**

*Meet at the Center for Global Citizenship*

Join International Ambassadors for a shopping trip to get some basic necessities as well as a cell phone. The shuttle will depart SLU at 2:00PM and then leave Walmart at 4:00PM. The international ambassadors will assist you in taking your purchased items back to your room.

**6:00 to 8:00PM Games & Residence Life at SLU**

*Marguerite Hall, Marguerite Mug*

 Participate in a fun social event to learn more about what to expect living in a Residence

Hall at Saint Louis University and will provide an opportunity to Meet the Residence Life team and get to know the Marguerite community you are joining!

**THURSDAY, MAY 25**

**9:00-11:00AM SLUWE Testing**

 *Beracha Hall, Student Lounge*

All new international students are required to complete this writing exam (exemptions

were determined during your admission process and are limited to exchange students,

SLU Madrid transfers, students with college level English in the U.S. and students from English speaking countries). **Graduate students should confirm with their department whether a Graduate SLUWE is required.**

**11:15AM -12:00PM Immigration Information**

*Center for Global Citizenship Auditorium*

The Office of International Services will review the immigration regulations students must

follow to maintain status while in the United States.

**Bring your passport and I-20 or DS-2019.**

**12:00 - 1:30PM** **Welcome to St. Louis Lunch**

*Center for Global Citizenship Auditorium*

Enjoy a sampling of cuisine unique to St. Louis and meet other international students, and representatives from other SLU offices! You will also have an opportunity to have your picture taken with our Billiken mascot.

**1:30-3:00PM Student Health Services & Campus Safety**

 *Center for Global Citizenship Auditorium*

Meet with members of the Student Health Center to learn about healthcare at SLU, turn in required forms, complete a health insurance waiver or enrollment form**.**

 **Bring your immunization and health forms, if you have not already turned them in.**

You will also learn more about safety in the St. Louis area, meet officers from the SLU Department of Public Safety, and hear from current SLU students.

**1:30-2:30PM Family Program**

*Des Peres Hall 116*

Families of SLU students can attend this information session to learn about various services provided to SLU students to ensure their student’s success.

**3:00-5:00PM INTO SLU Admissions/Finance Check In**

*Beracha Hall, Student Lounge*INTO SLU Academic English and Pathway students will complete the Finance and Admissions check in. You will be able to ask questions about your INTO SLU program.

**Bring your official transcripts and any outstanding payments. We accept credit/debit cards, cash and checks.**

**6:00 PM Ice Cream Social**

*Meet Outside the Global Citizenship*

Join SLU staff and student leaders for Ted Drewes ice cream, which was recently rated the top ice cream in the world! You can also pick up your immigration documents that you turned in during the Immigration Information Session.

**FRIDAY, MAY 26**

**9:00AM-12:00PM TOEFL Testing**

*Beracha Hall, Student Lounge*

Academic English students are required to take a paper-based TOEFL test.

**1:00-2:00PM MySLU Session & Student Panel**

 *John Cook School of Business, Room 240*

Learn about your mySLU account, get valuable advice from current SLU students regarding classroom settings in the United States, activities at SLU, and life in Saint Louis. Bring your questions!

**2:00-3:00PM Library Tour**

 *Meet outside Pius Library main entrance*

 Take a tour and learn about the variety of academic resources available to you.

**3:00-5:00PM INTO SLU Study Plan & Group Advising Sessions**

*Beracha Hall, Student Lounge*

Students will receive information about their study plan, learn about classes, and have a chance to ask questions about your program of study.

**7:00PM Cultural Jeopardy!**

*Beracha Hall, Student Lounge*

Jeopardy! is an American game show that has been a popular television quiz competition in the United States since the 1960s. Come learn about different cultures in a fun Jeopardy! game format. The winning team gets a prize

**SATURDAY, MAY 27**

**11:00AM-3:00PM City Tour**

*Meet at the Pius Library circle*

Join International Ambassadors for a tour of Saint Louis. The tour will end at the St. Louis Zoo, which has free admission! You might want to bring cash or credit cards if you would like to buy lunch, snacks or souvenirs at the Zoo. The Zooline railway also charges a small fee, but is highly recommended! You may travel back to SLU on the bus at 3, or take the Forest Park Trolley and Metro Train at a later time if you wish to spend more time with the animals!

**7:00PM – 9:00PM Simon Recreation Center Tour and Activities**
 *Meet outside the Simon Recreation Center*

Tour the Simon Recreation Center, learn about various athletic resources and programs and join your fellow students for activities.

**SUNDAY, MAY 28**

**2:00PM – 5:00PM Hang out at SLURUBA**

*Meet at SLURUBA*

Relax at SLU’s outdoor pools and sand volleyball court with other international students and the International Ambassadors and play outdoor games poolside!

**MONDAY, MAY 29**

**11:00 AM SLU Selfie Scavenger Hunt**

 *Meet outside the Center for Global Citizenship*

Look for clues with your mentor group and learn more about the resources and support services available on campus! The winning team will earn a prize!

**1:15 PM Watch a Televised St. Louis Cardinals Baseball Game***Beracha Hall, Student Lounge*Come learn more about Major League Baseball in the United States, the 11 time World Champion St. Louis Cardinals, and watch as the St. Louis Cardinals play the LA Dodgers.

**If you have any questions or would like additional assistance, please do not hesitate to contact the Office of International Services or INTO Saint Louis University.**

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