



# Office of International Students and Scholars (OISS)

## January/February 2013 Calendar of Events

### F-1 Graduates

JANUARY

FEBRUARY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
		<b>Early Move-In Day for International Students</b> Beginning 10:00am <i>Missions Crossroads</i> **Must request in writing 3 weeks prior  <b>MBA Check-In (Full Time)</b> 2:30-4:00pm <i>International Center (Serra Hall 315)</i>	<b>Shopping Trip</b> 2:00-5:00pm <i>Mission Valley (Meet at the International Center)</i>	<b>Lunch for New International Students</b> 12:00-1:30 <i>MRH (location to be determined)</i>		<b>San Diego Trolley Tour</b> 10:00-2:00pm <i>**Tickets (\$15) available in the International Center</i>
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
		<b>F-1 Orientation</b> 12:30-2:00pm <i>University Center (UC) Forum B</i>		<b>All Faith Service</b> 12:15-2:00pm <i>Shiley Theater (inside Camino Hall)</i>	<b>Graduate Student Happy Hour</b> 5:30pm <i>(Location to be determined)</i>	
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		<b>New Student/Scholar Dinner Reception</b> 7:00-9:00pm <i>Solomon Hall (Inside Maher Hall)</i>		<b>First ISO Coffee Hour (Lunar New Year Theme)</b> 12:30-2:00pm <i>International Student Lounge -Student Life Pavilion (SLP)</i>		

Watch your email for more OISS events this spring!  
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## Look out for the **International Newsflash!**

The International Newsflash is a bi-weekly email newsletter sent to the USD International community and contains valuable information regarding immigration updates as well as upcoming programs, activities and essential information for all international students and scholars.

# JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2013

Monday, January 7<sup>th</sup>

**LLM Check-In/Orientation**

*1:30-4:00pm, Serra Hall 312*

All new Law students should bring immigrations documents (passport, I-20 and I-94 card) for immigration check-in and a mandatory international student orientation session.

Tuesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>

**Early Move-In Day for International Students**

*Beginning 10:00am, Missions Crossroads*

International Students are able to move into on-campus housing if permission is granted for request in writing 3 weeks ahead of time. **To confirm your move-in date, please email: [housing@san Diego.edu](mailto:housing@san Diego.edu).**

Wednesday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>

**Shopping Trip**

*2:00-5:00pm, Mission Valley*

Go shopping for dormitory essentials, mobile phones and other necessities. Transportation will be provided.

Thursday, January 24<sup>th</sup>

**Lunch for New International Students**

*12:00-1:30pm*

*MRH (location to be determined)*

Enjoy a simple lunch and meet other incoming international students.

Saturday, January 26<sup>th</sup>

**San Diego Trolley Tour**

*10:00-2:00pm*

Join new incoming international students in touring San Diego on an old fashioned trolley. This is a traditional and popular event among new international students. The tour will pick up/drop off students on campus. Please purchase your tickets at the International Center for \$15. Space is limited.

Tuesday, January 29<sup>th</sup>

**F-1 Orientation**

*12:30-2:00pm, UC Forum B*

All incoming F-1 students are required to attend this orientation session, which will cover how to maintain student immigration status as well as health care and employment issues in the USA.

Thursday, January 31<sup>st</sup>

**All Faith Service**

*12:15-2:00pm, Shiley Theater*

The annual All Faith Service brings together in prayer the leaders of faith communities, faculty, staff, students, alumni and friends. All are welcome.

Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup>

**Graduate Student Happy Hour**

*5:30pm, Location to be determined*

Meet and connect with other international graduate students and visiting scholars over appetizers and drinks. More details will be provided via email.

Thursday, February 7<sup>th</sup>

**First ISO Coffee Hour (Lunar New Year Theme)**

*12:30-2:00pm, ISO Lounge (SLP 422)*

Join the International Student Organization (ISO) for their first coffee hour of the academic year! This is a casual event where both international students and US students can mingle, and a great opportunity to check out the ISO Lounge that is open all semester. For this first Coffee Hour, celebrate the Lunar (or Chinese) New Year and learn about how this holiday is celebrated across Asia.

