

School of Law
Welcome Week January 2016
PGR INDUCTION FOR NEW PhD/MPhil STUDENTS

Thank you for choosing to study your postgraduate research degree with our School and a huge welcome to you all. The School of Law has continued its dedication to high quality legal education for over 140 years, and will pass this expertise on to you over the course of your research degree. The welcome week activities are designed to give you a better understanding of the research programme and the options available to you, but mainly they are designed to help you settle in to what we think is the best law school in the country.



Wednesday 20 January 2016

Time	Event	Location
10am	Collection of welcome packs and refreshments	3.10 Williamson Building
10.15am-11.30am	Expectations session, led by School of Law PGR Director Professor Tom Gibbons	3.10 Williamson Building
11.30am-12.15pm	Session with later year PhD students "life as a research student in the School of Law" – and introduction to PGR administration	3.10 Williamson Building
12.15pm-1pm	Buffet Lunch	3.10 Williamson Building
1pm -2pm	First formal meetings with PhD/MPhil supervisors in the School of Law	3.10 Williamson Building
2pm-2.30pm	Introduction and guidance on eProg (the online progression monitoring system), Dr Louise Davies	3.10 Williamson Building
2.30pm-3pm	Library Information Session, Dr Ian Fishwick	3.10 Williamson Building
3pm-3.30pm	Researcher Development, Dr Ian Fairweather	3.10 Williamson Building

Week commencing 25 January 2016

Time	Event	Location
Drop in session between 10am and 4pm, Monday to Friday	Original document checking for international students only . Please bring your original documents (we cannot accept photocopies) for your most recent qualifications including English Language for checking and verification	3.51A Williamson Building



SOCS61230 HEALTH AND SAFETY COMPULSORY COURSE

All new students and staff at the University of Manchester are required to complete this course. It is delivered online by the University's Health & Safety Services. The course delivers basic information about how health & safety is managed at the University, and includes some simple tests to assess learning outcomes.

You will automatically be enrolled on this course unit which is delivered through [Blackboard](#) which can be accessed via <http://my.manchester.ac.uk/>

It will take you approximately 1 hour to complete. You are expected to complete the course and obtain a "pass" within the first two weeks of the formal registration/welcome period (week commencing Monday 18 January 2016).

The good news is that you don't need to wait until you arrive on campus to complete the course. You can complete it once you have registered (On-line registration will be available from 1 January 2016). We would advise you to complete this unit as soon as you register so that you familiarise yourself with Blackboard and also so that you are free to concentrate on your other induction activities and your formal lectures/tutorials.

If you do not complete the course unit you may be prevented from accessing parts of the campus.