

**School of Law  
Welcome Week 2015  
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.



**Tuesday 22 September 2015**

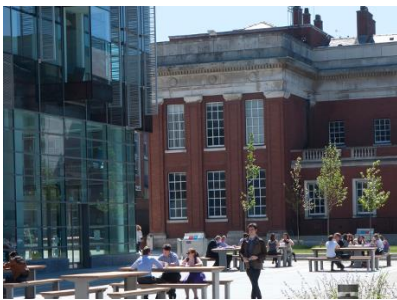
<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Location</b>
10am	Collection of bags and welcome packs	2.06 Williamson Building
10.15am-12pm	Expectations session, led by School of Law PGR Director Professor Tom Gibbons	2.05 Williamson Building
12pm-1pm	Buffet Lunch	2.06 Williamson Building
1pm-2pm	Session with later year PhD students “life as a research student in the School of Law” – and introduction to PGR administration	2.05 Williamson Building
2pm-3pm	First formal meetings with PhD/MPhil supervisors in the School of Law	Room to be advised
3pm-3.30pm	Introduction and guidance on eProg (the online progression monitoring system), Louise Davies (Faculty of Humanities eProg Lead)	2.05 Williamson Building
3.30pm-4pm	Library Information Session, Dr Iain Fishwick	2.05 Williamson Building

## Wednesday 21 October 2015

The School of Law hosts an Annual PGR Conference which all current students should attend. This year's conference, which is a full-day event, will take place on Wednesday 21 October 2015. The conference will take place at Barnes Wallis, The University of Manchester.

Information about the conference is available on the School website and will be updated with more information leading up to the event:

<http://www.law.manchester.ac.uk/research/student-research/pgr-conference-2015/>



### **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 21 September).

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 September 2015). 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.**