

## Welcome Day

for international students commencing their study at HSE in the Fall of 2013. The Welcome Day will take place on September 5<sup>th</sup>, Thursday in the HSE Main building at Myasnitskaya Street, 20, Moscow

(Venue, rooms 101-102)

| Time                        | Subject  | Comments   |
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| 09.30-10.00                 | Registration<br>(rooms.101, 102, in the hall)  | International Students Office  |
| Joint Session (<br>Room 101 | 80-100 people)   |  |
| 10:05-10:25                 | Welcoming remarks  | V.V. Radaev, First Vice-Rector<br>O.A.Moshkova, Department of International<br>Relations |
| 10.25-10:45                 | The International Students<br>Office: Introduction of staff<br>and services  | I.N. Isaeva  |
| 10.45-11:00                 | Greetings from HSE Buddies<br>Club   | E.A. Khodorova   |
| 11.00-11:55                 | <ul> <li>Getting around Moscow and<br/>HSE, including:</li> <li>International students in<br/>the HSE academic<br/>environment</li> <li>Informational resources<br/>(library: printed and<br/>electronic resources)</li> <li>Living in a big city,<br/>personal safety, social<br/>environment, cultural<br/>aspects in the educational<br/>environment</li> <li>Student IDs,<br/>metro/transportation cards<br/>library ID</li> </ul> | S.V. Ignatenko<br>V.V. Pislyakov<br>E.A. Khodorova<br>I.I. Isaeva                        |
| 11:55-12:10                 | Russian as a Foreign Language<br>(study opportunities for<br>international students)   | O.S. Eremina   |
| 12.10:12:25                 | Cross-cultural issues  | N.M. Lebedeva  |
| 12:25-12:35                 | Career opportunities for international students  | O.A. Borisova  |
| 12:35-12:40                 | Announcements  | I.N. Isaeva  |
| 12.40-13:30                 | Coffee-break   | HSE cafeteria  |

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| 13.30-14:30                    | Exchange students• Introduction of Faculty<br>Coordinators• Preparation of<br>Individual Study Plans<br>(ISPs), teaching<br>  | Room 101         Participants:         I.N. Isaeva         EA. Khodorova         E.S. Sintsova         Faculty International Coordinators         Room 102         Participants and invited presenters/quests:                                 |
|                                | <ul> <li>Program leaders</li> <li>Academic<br/>Development</li> <li>Participation in the<br/>research and<br/>laboratory projects</li> <li>Outgoing students<br/>mobility</li> <li>Career Center, part-<br/>time work, Teaching<br/>Assistance)</li> <li>Q&amp;A</li> </ul> | Participants and invited presenters/guests:<br>E.Yu. Mandrikova<br>Yu. V. Grinkevich<br>Yu.P. Lezhnina<br>O.A. Borisova<br>S.V. Ignatenko<br>S. Samsonova<br>Heads of Master's Programs  |
| 14.30-15:00<br>Students Servio | Coffee-break<br>ces Fair  | HSE cafeteria  |
| Hall, Myasnits                 | kaya Street, 20   |  |
| 15.00-17:00                    | Kick-off meeting<br>Collection of documents for<br>the personal files, signing-up<br>for individual consultations   | Roll-ups/tables         The International Students Office (3 people)   |
|                                | HSE Students Shop<br>"BukVyshka"  | Souvenirs on sale  |
|                                | HSE Career Center Buddies Club  | Career consulting<br>Q&A sessions:<br>How to get a metro/transportation card?<br>How to get a students ID?<br>How to get a Visitor's pass to HSE<br>buildings?<br>Sports at HSE<br>Social events (supply and demand)<br>Students Organizations |
| 17.00                          | Faculty International<br>Coordinators   | Teaching time-tables<br>Faculty locations  |
| 17.00                          | Lottery (TBD)   |  |
| 17.30                          | Close-out   |  |