

Fall 2009 Orientation Schedule

Tuesday, August 11

1– 3pm

Joint orientation for the MA/Ph.D. program in Political Science and International Affairs and the MIP program in International Affairs, Zell B. Miller Learning Center Room 148

Mandatory attendance for all first year students.

1:00 – 1:10 Welcome from SPIA's Dean Lauth and Associate Dean Legge

1:10 – 1:45 Review of Programs with Dr. Haynes and Dr. Berejikian

1:45 – 2:00 Ice Cream Social in MLC hallway

2:00 – 3:00 Discussion with Program Coordinator, Kathryn Johnson

Students will sign up for advising appointments with Dr. Berejikian during the joint orientation session.

Wednesday, August 12

9 – 11am

UGA Graduate School Orientation, Classic Center (300 N. Thomas Street, downtown Athens)

11:30am – 2pm

Graduate Student Association (GSA) welcome reception, 4th Floor Rotunda in the Zell B. Miller Learning Center

2:00 – 3:30pm

Departmental Orientation (MIP students and MA/Ph.D. students concentrating in International Affairs), 214 Candler Hall

Mandatory attendance for all first year students.

3:30 – 5pm

Advising appointments with Dr. Berejikian

Thursday, August 13

9am – 12pm

Additional advising appointments if necessary

Student registration

Friday, August 14

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Friday, August 28

6 – 9pm

SPIA Welcome Party, Garden Club Building at the State Botanical Gardens (See:
www.uga.edu/~botgarden/gcg.html)

All Graduate Assistants Must Register by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, August 14.