



Dear ,

We can't wait to meet you at Welcome!

Here are some final helpful reminders to get you fully prepared for your arrival. For reference, you can also find a copy of all our post offer emails sent to you over the summer on our website [here](#).

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LSE Welcome 2026



The main LSE Welcome will take place from **Monday 21 September** to **Friday 25 September 2026**.

Orientation Schedule

You will find the [Department Welcome schedule here](#).

Please note that while no registration is required for the most sessions, some events do require you to sign up. All details are included on the [Welcome schedule](#).

Welcome Resources



We'd highly recommend that you read through these sites before you arrive:

- [The Social Policy Department Welcome pages](#) (including [Welcome schedule of events](#))
- [MSc Offer-Holder FAQs](#)
- [LSE Welcome Microsite](#) (for information about School-wide events and opportunities).
- [The Graduate Offer Pack](#)

Daily Department Emails

Alongside the scheduled School and Departmental events, each day you will receive an email from us with key information concerning the Departmental events and information you should know for the following day. This will include information about events, useful resources, things we recommend you should do, and opportunities for you to enjoy!

Registration

You can find all the information you need about completing [your registration here](#). Remember enrolling is a [two stage process](#) including **Online pre-enrolment** and **Campus Enrolment**.

- **Campus Enrolment** will take place in the afternoon on **Thursday 24 September**. Please refer to the [Enrolment Schedule](#) and attend the slot allocated for your programme. Enrolment will take place in the **Marshall Building (MAR)**.

Registration is when you formally become a student at the School. It is vital that you [bring the correct documentation](#)

Course Selection

As we mentioned in our last email, course selection opens **for browsing at 10am on Monday 21 September 2026**. It's very important that you [read through the course selection information](#) we provided so that you are ready to start applying for the courses which will make up your degree when the system opens for selection at **10am on Thursday 24 September**.

We would also highly recommend that you read through the School's [Course Selection Guide](#) which takes you through the process step by step.

Academic Mentor

You will be allocated an **Academic Mentor** when you arrive. You will find details of your allocated Academic Mentor through [LSE for You](#).

[Your Mentor](#) will be a Faculty member who will support your academic and pastoral wellbeing while you're at LSE. Your Academic Mentor should be your first point of contact with any issues you encounter with your studies, or anything which affects you during your degree that may have an impact on your performance or wellbeing.

Programme Handbooks

In advance of your arrival, please [read through your Programme Handbook](#). This contains key information on your Programme which you will find useful throughout your degree. Save it somewhere where you can refer to it as needed throughout the year – you will find it invaluable!

Support for English-language Skills

If English is not your first language, there are plenty of ways you can improve and practice using the English language for your academic work. Online courses, workshops and one-to-one support are provided by [the Centre for Language Studies at no additional charge](#).

Chat with LSE Life before you arrive at LSE!

As you're getting ready to join us at LSE, you might have a whole range of questions on your mind. How will you manage settling in in London? How will you spend your time outside the classroom? And how can you make the most of the opportunities and support available to you in the process?

You don't need to figure out all the answers by yourself! Our LSE LIFE advisers are happy to have a chat with you even before you arrive.

Book a session with us via the [LSE Student Hub app](#), under *LSE LIFE Me+LSE Discussion*, or if you don't have access to that yet, just drop us an email at lselife@lse.ac.uk and we'll

arrange a convenient time to meet via Zoom. Why not take our [Me+LSE quiz](#) and start exploring!

Important: Equity, Diversity and Inclusion Training

You are about to join LSE's diverse community of 12,000 students from 100 countries. Before you arrive, complete the EDI Student Training to learn how to work well with your peers from all these different cultures and backgrounds in your seminars, group work and everyday life in LSE! It only takes 30 minutes!

[Take the course and get your certificate](#)

Jobs Corner

- **Apply to become a Student Content Creator!**

This is a paid position working with the LSE Student Marketing & Recruitment team

As a content creator, you'll be involved in creating vlogs and social media campaigns that give insight into life at LSE. This includes both long- and short-form video content, across a range of platforms. It might mean taking us along with you to an LSE Open Day, showing us, what London life is like, bringing us along to an LSE event, or lip syncing to the latest trend. Further details and application link [here](#).

Please email ard.studentcontentcreators@lse.ac.uk if you have any questions.

- **Apply to become an LSE Postgraduate Student Ambassador!**

As a Postgraduate Student Ambassador, you'll have the opportunity to support the delivery of LSE's student recruitment events and activities by promoting LSE and graduate study opportunities to prospective postgraduate students from around the world.

Applications open on Monday 14 September and close on Tuesday 29 September. For more information and to apply, visit [LSE Student Jobs](#).

You can also visit our pop-up stall outside the **LSE Life Space**, opposite the Library turnstiles, on **Thursday 24 September** between **2.30 and 4.00pm** to find out more.

The Presidential Welcome Address: Friday 25 September 2026, 11am to 12pm

Join classmates from across LSE in the Peacock Theatre to celebrate becoming part of LSE. You'll hear about what LSE can offer you from President Larry Kramer, Vice President for Education Emma McCoy, and Students' Union General Secretary Amara Jane Otero Salgado.

- The session for Social Policy MSc Students is on **Friday 25 September 2026, 11am – 12pm**.
- Bring your LSE ID card (or your pre-enrolment letter to show on your phone if you don't have your ID yet) - you'll need it to enter.
- Arrive no earlier than 5 minutes before your start time; sessions run back-to-back and doors can't open sooner.
- Attend your scheduled session only. Capacity is planned carefully, and going along to a different session could cost someone else their seat.

Missed your scheduled session? Visit the Welcome Tent or email lselife@lse.ac.uk to find another time that week.

Join Your Class Discord Group!

Sign up and [join your class Discord Group](#) if you missed the chance to do so earlier.

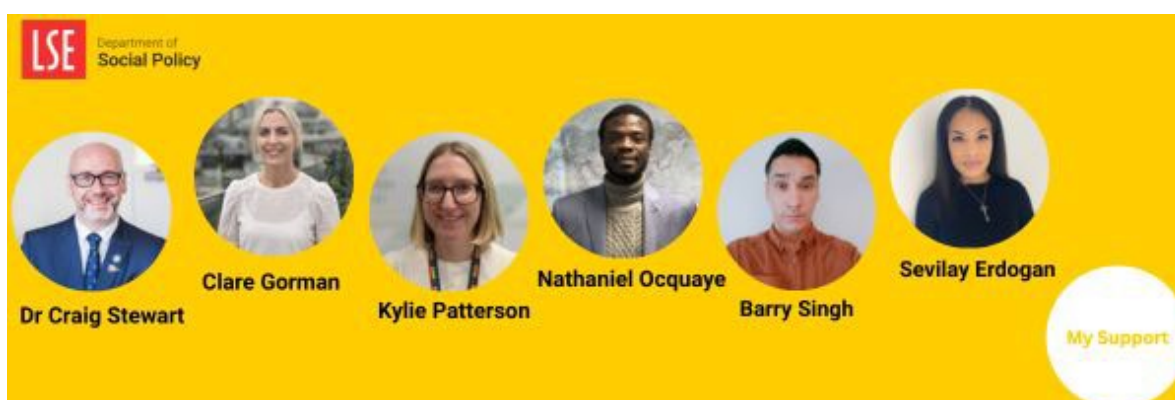
Student Hub

Download the [Student Hub App](#) designed to help you navigate your LSE life. Once you arrive at the School you can view your timetable, and book appointments with academics or support services through the Hub.

Campus Map and Directions

LSE is located in the heart of London and is [easily accessible by public transport](#). The [campus map](#) will help you find your way around the School.

We very much look forward to meeting you in person in Welcome. In the meantime, if you have any queries about your programme, please do not hesitate to contact us at socialpolicy.msc@lse.ac.uk



Best wishes and see you soon

Postgraduate Programmes Support Team

