

INVITATION TO ORIENTATION DAY

Friday, 3 February, 3 pm - 9 pm

Introduction

Aarhus University hereby has the pleasure of inviting you to participate in our Orientation Day for newly arrived PhD students and researchers. The half-day event is held **Friday 3 February 2012**.

The aim of the Orientation Day is to give you information about important practical matters related to working and living in Denmark. Additionally, you will get a short insight into the research environment at Aarhus University.

The Organisers

The Orientation Day is organised by International Centre (IC). The IC is the central unit for international students and researchers at Aarhus University. We provide information and help with all non-academic aspects of your stay at Aarhus University. You are always welcome to stop by on Mondays and Wednesdays from 10-12 and 13-15! Ask for either Michael Winther or Anne P. Langer.

Address: Høegh-Guldbergs Gade 4, Building 1650

Registration for Orientation Day

Please fill out the registration form on https://webshop.dpu.dk/orientation_day_february. Deadline: Sunday 29 January.

Who can participate?

The event is for international PhD students, postdoctoral scholars, associate professors and other newly arrived staff. Your partner or spouse is also very welcome to attend.

Place

Conference Room 1, building 1650, International Centre, Høegh-Guldbergs Gade 4, 8000 Aarhus C. (check http://phd.au.dk/en/helpdesk/orientation_day/ for possible change of location).

Price

The event is free of charge. You will receive one beverage with the buffet. Bring cash for additional beverages.

If you have questions regarding the Orientation Day, you can send an e-mail to Anne P. Langer, <u>IC-staff@adm.au.dk</u> or call +45 8715 2589.



Programme

3 pm: Welcome by the International Centre

3:20 pm: Practical information

Louise Bach-Nielsen from Work in Denmark will provide important practical information related to your stay in Denmark.

4.20 pm: Employment at Aarhus University

The Personnel Department will provide information about your rights as an employee within the Danish state sector.

5:00 pm: Coffee break

Tea, coffee, water and cake will be provided.

5:20 pm: Research at Aarhus University

Frank Pedersen, cand. Oecon and Vice-dean for Knowledge exchange, will give an introduction to Aarhus University and its research environment.

6.00 pm: Being a researcher at Aarhus University

An international PhD student, and Sae Oshima, Assistant Professor, PhD, from Business and Social Sciences, Department of Business Communication will give their personal views on Aarhus University and what it is like to be a researcher in a foreign country.

7 pm: Dinner buffet in Conference Room 1, building 1650, Dale T. Mortensen Building, Høegh-Guldbergs Gade 4, 8000 Aarhus C.

9 pm: End of Orientation Day, but you are welcome to continue the evening at Dale's Café, Høegh Guldbergs Gade 4, 8000 Aarhus C.

