

School of Medical Sciences

International Foundation Programme

Induction Timetable 2025

The purpose of this timetable is to outline what you can expect in your first week. When you get started you will access a live online personalised timetable on MyManchester which should be your single point of reference.

This timetable may not cover all your teaching sessions for this week, so please ensure you check your timetable online.

We also recommend checking out the [main University events](#) – there are campus tours, city tours, silent discos, sports fairs, even a Vintage Folk clothing sale! There really is something for everyone!

Friday 19 September		
13:00-15:00	Commuter students networking event For students who aren't moving into student accommodation and are either commuting or already living nearby. A great opportunity to make connections before your programme begins. Please let us know if you plan to come (click here) so that we can cater appropriately.	Stopford Building, Room 2.059
Monday 22 September		
10:00-12:00	Welcome to the Foundation Programme Led by your Programme Leads, this is your first look at what it means to be a student on the programme.	Schuster Building, Blackett Theatre
The specific time for you to attend will be on your 1Med timetable.	Collect your lab coat Come and collect your lab coat – you'll need it for classes. We'll also have some freebies for you!	Stopford Building, Consultation Skills Learning Centre (CSLC)
Tuesday 23 September		
09:30-11:00	Xavierian College Welcome	Xaverian College
10:00 – 16:00	University Start of Year Fair Get your university experience off to a flying start by meeting the key University services at our Welcome Marquee.	Welcome Marquee, outside University Place
Wednesday 24 September		
10:30-12:30	FBMH Foundation Programmes	Alan Turing Building, G205
Thursday 25 September		
11:00-12:00	Programme Induction	Schuster Building, Bragg Theatre
14:00-16:00	Foundation Year Networking Event A chance to meet your fellow students socially and key staff on the programme and enjoy cakes and soft drinks!	Christies Bistro, Whitworth Building

Friday 26 September

10:00-12:00	Mature students networking event If you're returning to education or balancing study with other responsibilities, this is a great opportunity to make connections before your programme begins. Please let us know if you plan to come (click here) so that we can cater appropriately.	Stopford Building, Room 2.059
10:00-12:00	Introduction to Study Skills	Stopford Building, Theatre 6
15:00-17:00	International Students networking event For students joining us from outside the UK - a chance to meet others, ask questions, and settle into life in Manchester. This is a great opportunity to make connections before your programme begins. Please let us know if you plan to come (click here) so that we can cater appropriately.	Stopford Building, Room 2.059

Saturday 27 September

09:00 – 17:00	MedSoc Fair For those going in to Medicine: The medic student community have a huge range of societies just for Medicine. From Women in Medicine to Entrepreneurship and Finance in Medicine, as well as debating, wellbeing, hockey, football, running, and choir. There are also a number of specialist medical societies. Come along, find out more, sign up, and meet your people!	Marquee (behind Alan Gilbert Learning Commons, in front of Main Library)
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