



STAFFORDSHIRE  
UNIVERSITY

# Welcome Programme 2010

## LEVEL TWO DIRECT ENTRANTS

Computing Science  
Software Engineering  
Computer Science  
Computer Systems

### Saturday 19 September

Students Union activities will be taking place in the student space

Student Space, Beacon  
Building Beconside

### Sunday 19 September

#### Getting Started...

#### STAGE ONE

You should have received information from the University Recruitment team giving details on how to do this. Having enrolled online, print off your e-certificate and bring it with you for Stage Two of enrolment – collecting your student card.

#### STAGE TWO

Take your e-certificate along to the Dance Studio in the Sports Centre to collect your student card.

10.00am – 4.00pm  
Dance Studio  
Beaconside Sports Centre

### Monday 20 September

Welcome To The University Talk with Mike Hamlyn

9.00am  
Red Lecture Theatre  
Octagon Building

#### Important Information Talks

Talks from various groups within the University who are here to help you through your studies.

3.30pm  
Red Lecture Theatre  
Octagon Building

## Tuesday 21 September

### Students Union Clubs and Societies Fayre

11.00am – 3.00pm  
Sports Hall, Beaconside

### Pre-Arrival Activity Follow-up

2.00pm  
K008, K025, KC014  
Octagon Building

### Faculty Welcome Party

Come along, enjoy some light refreshments and meet students from other Awards within the Faculty.

5.00pm  
Octagon Boardroom  
Octagon Building

## Wednesday 22 September

### 'Pebble Pad' Session and Info Zone

Your guide to the System which supports personal learning whilst providing a powerful suite of tools to improve learning whilst at University.

11.30am  
Red Lecture Theatre  
Octagon Building

### Welcome to Level 2 Award Talk with Dr Clare Stanier

Here you will be with all level 2 students and after the talk you will be able to meet with your Award Leader, Clare Stanier.

12.00pm (Midday)  
D117  
Beacon Building

### Placement Talks

A talk from Ian Sunley relating to industrial placements and an opportunity to ask questions.

2.30pm  
Red Lecture Theatre  
Octagon Building

An opportunity for you to get involved in Student Union activities. To view what's happening see the following link: - <http://www.staffsunion.com/welcome>

## Thursday 23 September

### Direct Entrants Award Talk with Dr Clare Stanier

This session is intended to allow you to complete your module enrolment form, arrange your timetable and is an opportunity to ask any questions you may have about your award.

10.00am  
KC014  
Octagon Building

### Charity Textbook Auction With Adrian Low

Come and enjoy the fun at this charity event - a chance to bag a bargain, and help raise money to sponsor a child or student through education in a developing country.

3.00pm  
Red Lecture Theatre  
Octagon Building

## **Friday 24 September**

An opportunity for you to get involved in Student Union activities. To view what's happening see the following link: - [www.staffsunion.com/welcome](http://www.staffsunion.com/welcome)

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**Students Union Commercial Fayre**

**11.00am – 3.00pm  
Legends, Students Union,  
Beacon Building**

## **Saturday and Sunday 25 / 26 September**

An opportunity for you to get involved in Student Union activities. To view what's happening see the following link: - <http://www.staffsunion.com/welcome>

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## Induction Schedule Checklist

By the end of Welcome Week you should.....

- Have enrolled and have received your student ID card
- Have got a University IT password and e-mail account and know how to log on
- Have found online where your Award Handbook is
- Know where to access details of modules that make up your Award.
- Know the name and location of the Award leader
- Know the location of your Faculty office and who your Personal Tutor is
- Have found your timetable of classes for the Autumn semester
- Know how to look up timetable information on the university's website
- Know which rooms to go to and what at what time for classes
- Know where and how to submit coursework and how to find out when work is due
  
- Have looked at the sections of the University's website that advise on course and module structures, regulations, procedures and processes
  
- Know where the Information Centre is
- Know where to go when needing funding advice
- Have found out what financial support you are eligible for
- Have been issued with a copy of the University A-Z of Student Services
- Have had a library induction and know how to use the catalogue
  
- Have found out where to go for advice and help (financial, emotional, job related, spiritual, related to disability/dyslexia, general guidance)