PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL SESSIONS ARE COMPULSORY EXCEPT WHERE OTHERWISE INDICATED. You will find a venue map at the back of this document.

**Monday 25th September 2017**

09:00 – 14:15  Graduate School  
11:30 – 13:30

Visit the Graduate School *(3rd Floor, Ridley Building 1 MAP REF 51)* anytime between the times listed above for your surname to collect MSc course material.

Students should have already self-registered and collected their University Smartcard (instructions for this should already have been emailed to you).

15:00 – 17:00  Course Introduction  
*(R B Green Lecture Theatre, Dental School MAP REF 63)*

17:00 - 19:00  Welcome Reception  
*(Courtyard Restaurant, Research Beehive, Old Library Building MAP REF 25)*

Students are invited to our Welcome Reception where drinks and light refreshments will be served. You will be able to meet with your fellow students and staff involved with the MSc programme will also be invited to attend.
Tuesday 26th September 2017

09:00 – 10:00  
**International Student Information Seminar**  
*(Leech Building, Room MED. L2.2 MAP REF 58)*  
**International Students only** Educational System/MRes Programme information  
Presented by Professors Zosia Chrzanowska-Lightowlers & Mark Pearce

10:00 – 12:00  
**University English Language Assessment**  
*(Herschel Building, Lecture Theatre 3 MAP REF 17)*  
**International Students only** (NB International students who have undertaken a pre-sessional or in-sessional programme at INTO in the past year are exempt from this assessment)

12:30 – 13:30  
**Communication & Presentation Skills Lecture**  
*(CLT.1.02 Claremont Tower, 1st Floor MAP REF 32)*  
Presented by Professor John Kirby

13:30 - 16:30  
**Module Q & A Drop-in Clinic**  
*(Baddiley-Clark Building, Seminar Room MAP REF 69)*  
*This is an optional session, you only need to attend if you are unsure about your pre-selected module choices* - this is an opportunity to discuss your module options with members of the MSc team and MSc programme leaders before the deadline for module changes on Wednesday. You can drop-in anytime between 13:30 and 16:30 but will be provided with a timetable for this session on the first day of induction.

Wednesday 27th September 2017

09:00  
**DEADLINE FOR MODULE CHOICES/CHANGES**

10:00 - 11:00  
**Commercialisation & Enterprise Lecture**  
*(Medical School, David Shaw Lecture Theatre MAP REF 62)*  
Presented by Mrs Jenny Brady

11:00 – 12:00  
**Research Ethics Lecture**  
*(HERB.G.CA, Curtis Auditorium, Herschel Building MAP REF 17)*  
Presented by Dr Jan Deckers

13:00 – 14:00  
**Searching the Literature Lecture**  
*(R B Green Lecture Theatre, Dental School MAP REF 63)*  
Presented by Mrs Erika Gavillet

14:00 – 15:00  
**Library visit**  
*(Walton Library, Medical School MAP REF 60)*  
For ALL students who have NOT previously studied at Newcastle University

14:00 - 14:30 Students with surnames A-M ONLY*  
14:30 – 15:00 Students with surnames N-Z ONLY*

15:00 – 17:00  
**Safety Lecture**  
*(Dental School, RB Green Lecture Theatre MAP REF 63)*  
Presented by the University Safety Office
Thursday 28th September 2017

12:00-12:30  e-Portfolio practice  
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13:00 – 14:00  Critical Appraisal Lecture  
(Dental School, R B Green Lecture Theatre  MAP REF 63)  
Presented by Professor Bob Lightowlers

14:30 – 16:00  Introduction to IT  
(Fell Cluster, Medical School  MAP REF 60)  
For ALL students who have NOT previously studied at Newcastle University* times below in alphabetical order  

*Any Newcastle Graduates seeking an IT refresher can do so here*  
http://fms-itskills.ncl.ac.uk/mres/itic2/

14:30 – 16:00 Students with surnames A-M ONLY*  
15:30 – 17:00 Students with surnames N-Z ONLY*

Friday 29th September 2016

11:30 – 13:00  Research Development Programme/Good Academic Practice  
(HERB.G.CA, Curtis Auditorium, Herschel Building  MAP REF 17)  
Presented by Dr Richy Hetherington & Professor Zosia Chrzanowska-Lightowlers

13:30 – 15:30  Right-Cite Tutorial  
(Medical School, Fell Cluster  MAP REF 60)  
13:30 – 14:10 Students with surnames A-J ONLY*  
14:10 – 14:50 Students with surnames K-R ONLY*  
14:50 – 15:30 Students with surnames S-Z ONLY*

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