Academic Year 2022/23
Stage 2 Undergraduate Induction Programme
BSc (Hons) Economics and Business Management (LN12)

Below is the timetable of your programme’s induction within the Business School, including a mix of pre-induction online information and in-person sessions on campus.

Once you have completed your online registration, please access the Business School UG Stage 2 Community 2022-23 on Canvas to view key information and pre-induction online materials. These will be available from Monday 12 September.

Please note that all times listed are British Summer Time (BST).

The Business School undergraduate induction programme is developed to support your transition into university life and is set up for you to learn more about the University and School, and to see what the year will look like. There are gaps in the timetable to enable you to participate in a range of other activities on offer including those from the Students’ Union, and to be able to manage your time and undertake core induction activities at a time that suits. The School’s aim is to ensure all of our students have a good experience.

Pre-Induction Activities
Available online from 12 September via Canvas on your Business School UG Stage 2 Community 2022-23

University Orientation – “Build Your New”

This is a set of online units that take you through some important points you will need to know as a returning student at Newcastle University. Once you are registered and have access to Canvas you should work through these required units, checking them off as you complete them. These materials will remain available for you to refer back to at any point in your academic journey with us. The units include the following:

- Induction 2022: Welcome to Newcastle University for Undergraduates – UG Returning
- Induction 2022: Rights, Responsibilities and Policies – UG returning
- Induction 2022: Subject Specific Foundations – UG Returning
- Induction 2022: Understanding Feedback – UG Returning
- Induction 2022: Equality and Diversity – UG Returning
- Induction 2022: The Campus and the City – UG Returning
- Induction 2022: Student Wellbeing and Mental Health Support – UG Returning
- Induction 2022: Living, Travelling and Working as a Student – UG Returning

You should also aim to complete your registration before you arrive on campus if you have not already done so.
The following recorded sessions will be available to view online via Canvas on your Business School UG Stage 2 Community 2022-23

You will need to be a fully registered student and have received (and activated) your "Welcome email" from LinkedIn Learning to access some of these materials. Please check your university email for this.

The units include the following:

- **Inclusion, Diversity and Confronting Bias**: As you continue your undergraduate journey (and as you enter the workforce), you will encounter issues of inclusion and diversity in all its forms. To help you understand and navigate inclusion and diversity, this activity provides some insights about how you can help build an inclusive environment with your peers. Using LinkedIn Learning material, it aims to help you understand your unconscious biases and suggests some ways we can each address these and how we can counter bias in our words and actions.

- **Developing your Cross-Cultural Intelligence**: This activity is provided for you to undertake before or shortly after you arrive in Newcastle. As a global Business School with students from over 60 countries we believe it is essential for all students to understand how to build their cross-cultural intelligence as preparation for studying with us, as well as for the future. This learning unit has been developed drawing on professional and practical materials from LinkedIn Learning. It introduces you to working across cultures as well as providing you with a self-assessment and a practical planning tool to help you develop your capabilities.

- **Working in Virtual Teams**: This activity is provided for you to undertake before or shortly after you arrive in Newcastle. As a global Business School preparing students to fully engage with the world of work, we know from our employers that a key to success is being able to work in a team – and increasingly that means in a virtual team. Many of you will engage in teamworking as part of your learning and assessment. This unit has been developed, drawing on professional and practical materials from LinkedIn Learning, to develop your awareness and effectiveness of working in teams.

- **Photo competition**: Welcome Hyem!
  Here in the North East, we have an old Geordie saying “Welcome Hyem” meaning “welcome home”. Whether you are joining us in Newcastle for the first time or you are returning to campus, we couldn’t be more excited to have you in our city. To celebrate, we are running a photography competition where prizes will be awarded for the most creative shots from around the campus and across the city. Find out more about how you can enter and follow the entries at #WelcomeHyem on Instagram, Facebook and Twitter!

You may also be interested in activities being offered by Newcastle University Students' Union (NUSU), including the Clubs and Societies Fair detailed below. Find out more about your Students’ Union.

**Students' Union Clubs and Societies Fair**

- **20-21 September 2022**
- **11.00am – 5.00pm**

The fair will take place at the Sport and Fitness Centre in Sports Halls 1 and 2.

This is your chance to pursue interests outside your studies and meet likeminded people. During the Clubs and Societies Fair, you’ll be able to browse all the club and societies stalls and find out more!
Please see [campus map](#) for directions to the above buildings.

Please note: 11.00am – 12.00pm is quiet hour at the Club and Society Fair.

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**Induction Week: 19 – 23 September 2022**

**Wednesday 21 September 2022**

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<td>Venue: NUBS 3.07, 3rd Floor Newcastle University Business School (NUBS)</td>
<td>Your Degree Programme Director (DPD) Dr Barbara Eberth will welcome you back to your programme, discuss the programme structure for Stage 2 and provide key information to help you get back into your studies.</td>
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<td>Venue: NUBS 3.07, 3rd Floor Newcastle University Business School (NUBS)</td>
<td>In this session we will outline some of the key information about your programme and module options, and give some hints and tips on how to make a successful transition to our Business School. You will meet Dr Barbara Eberth and have the opportunity to ask any questions you might have.</td>
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<td>Venue: FDC G.41, Ground Floor, Frederick Douglass Centre (FDC), Newcastle Helix</td>
<td>Here you will get a refresher on how we support our students to succeed in this welcome talk from your Economics Senior Tutor, Dr Ian Corrick. You will hear about your Business School Wellbeing Team and services offered. You will also find out how you can contribute to student representation in the School.</td>
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### Thursday 22 September 2022

**Live online via Zoom**

**9.30am – 10.30am**

Online session which can be accessed at: [Zoom Link: Placements and Study Abroad Opportunities](#)

**Placements and Study Abroad Opportunities**

If you are considering applying for a placement or study abroad, please come along to this session. We will give you an introduction to the opportunities available and share details of the timescales so that you can start to plan. We will also highlight the advice and support that we can provide to help you.

### Friday 23 September 2022

**In-person session on campus**

**10.00am – 11.00am**

Venue: FDC G.41, Ground Floor, Frederick Douglass Centre (FDC), Newcastle Helix

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**Career support** – [Hear from Jo Craggs](#), one of the Business School career consultants, to learn more about how the career team can help you develop your career planning this year.

Whether you are considering a future placement or study abroad option, or you’re looking for alternative ways to develop your employability skills and work experience, our Careers Team is here to support you. If you still feel overwhelmed by the prospect of planning your next steps, there are many ways for you to engage with the Careers Team. Jo will outline what you can expect this coming year, including 1 to 1 appointments, skills development sessions, a range of employability events and more.

**In-person session on campus**

**11.00am – 11.30am**

Venue: FDC G.06, Ground Floor, Frederick Douglass Centre (FDC), Newcastle Helix

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**Additional Session for Students who are Direct Entrants to Stage 2**

**Introduction to Library Services** – giving you key details of support for Business School students available from the University Library.

**OPTIONAL SESSION – PLEASE SIGN UP IF YOU WISH TO ATTEND**

**The North East Business Landscape**

The North East is not only home to some of the most iconic brands that you may have heard of including Barbour, Newcastle Brown Ale and of course, Greggs, but it has also seen the growth of a vibrant community of pioneering start-ups and SMEs covering a vast range of industries over the past decade. Join us for this session when our Careers Consultants will provide an overview to the businesses that are driving opportunities and innovation in our area and what this can mean for you.

You will also have the opportunity to join a networking event following this session, 2.00pm – 3.00pm.