

Newcastle University

MA/PGDip in Museum, Gallery and Heritage Studies

Induction Week Timetable at a glance

[The induction week timetable may be altered according to UK public health advice. Please check again closer to the date]

Monday, 19 September – Welcome and orientation

11:00-12:00 (UK time)	Tea & Coffee drop in orientation session (non-essential)	This session has been cancelled due to the new bank holiday
Self-paced activity during the induction week - suggested time: 2-3 hours	Watch induction materials on MGH Canvas Community	Online resources on MGH Canvas Community

Tuesday, 20 September – Student briefings

9:30-11:30	Welcome to Newcastle University and the Museum/Gallery/Heritage Studies Programmes Orientation to the induction week and the academic year Q&A (essential session for all students)	Dr Areti Galani, Dr Gayle Meikle, Dr Katie Markham and the wider MGH Team Zoom link: https://newcastleuniversity.zoom.us/j/84275530162 Meeting ID: 842 7553 0162
11:30 - 12:00	Briefing for International Students	See Canvas Community for Details
11:30 - 12:00	Briefing for Part-time students	See Canvas Community for Details

Wednesday, 21 September – Study visits and programme meetings

9:00-10:30	Great North Museum: Hancock - Welcome, Introductions and museum visit	Adam Goldwater (Acting GNM Manager) and MGH Team Meeting point: GNM Front door
11:00-12:00	Programme meeting: Introduction and Q&A - Museum Studies	Professor Andrew Newman

		Armstrong Building: ARMB3.38
11:00-12:00	Programme meeting: Introduction and Q&A - Heritage Studies	Dr Areti Galani Armstrong Building: ARMB3.39
11:00-12:00	Programme meeting: Introduction and Q&A - Art Museum and Gallery Studies	Dr Emma Coffield and Dr Alistair Robinson Armstrong Building: ARMB3.41
12:00-13:00	Visit to Hatton Gallery – Welcome and Introductions	Amy Pargeter (Keeper of Art) Meeting Point: Hatton Gallery front entrance (in the quadrangle)
13:00-14:00	Social lunch in the park – bring your own sandwich (snacks will be provided)	All MGH Team Meeting point: Entrance of Exhibition Park (in case of wet weather, meet in ARMB G.08)

Thursday, 22 September – Get to know the University, MGH Futures

10:00-11:30	Introduction to MGH Futures, NEEACN (North East Emerging Arts and Culture Network), Museum Hour and Careers	See Canvas Community for Details
12:00-13:30	Art on Campus (physical <i>OR</i> virtual walk)	Self-paced activities on campus – see instructions on MGH Canvas Community
14:30-15:00	Danica Limawan (Postgraduate Officer) Introduction to Students Union (14.30 – 14:45) Joe Barton (Research and Representation Coordinator) Student Representation talk (14:45 – 15:00).	HERB.G Curtis Auditorium (Herschel Building)

Friday, 23 September – Study Trip

09:00-16:00	Study visit to Seaton Delaval Hall (National Trust)	Meeting point for coach: Claremont Road layby outside the Great North Museum (opposite the main entrance to the University)
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Wednesday 28 September – Personal Tutoring and DPD Drop in

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10:00-11:30	Introduction to personal tutoring and other available support DPD Drop in	See Canvas Community for Details
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Smartcard collection

Smartcard collection **Home UK students and EU students** who have completed a right to study check only.

Smartcard collection: HASS PGT, from Tuesday 13th September- Friday 23rd September, 9:00am – 5:00pm, Boiler House (including weekends)

Late smartcard collection: from Friday 23rd September, 9:00am-50pm, Student Services Helpdesk, Level 2 King's Gate

International students will need to collect their Biometric Residence Permit and complete a right to study check – further details available here <https://www.ncl.ac.uk/pre-arrival/whenyouarrive/collectbrpandsmartcard/>