

Dear Visiting International Student,

Welcome to the Wesleyan community! We are eagerly looking forward to your arrival in the fall, and our Orientation Interns are working hard with staff and faculty members to plan the New Student Orientation (NSO) program. This mailing contains important information about several matters for which you are responsible in preparation for your arrival on campus. It also includes important information about Arrival Day. We encourage you to read the material carefully and bring it with you to campus in the fall.

Please note; you should have already received a letter from Dean Marina Melendez regarding your academics during your time at Wesleyan. Please follow the instructions related to course registration and academics as described by Dean Melendez.

New Student Orientation is a comprehensive introduction to Wesleyan. The program will help you build a foundation for academic and co-curricular success. You will be introduced to Wesleyan's academic rigor through meetings with your faculty advisor, faculty lectures, discussions, and skill-building workshops. Wesleyan's vast array of co-curricular opportunities, resources, and services for students also will be highlighted. You will build relationships with other students, faculty, and administrators and have important discussions about values, traditions, and community standards at Wesleyan. International Student Orientation (ISO) begins three days before NSO to give international students time to recover from travel and acclimate to campus, make cultural adjustments, and connect with campus resources.

Additional information regarding the orientation program and schedule for Arrival Day also can be found in the "Summer and Orientation Information" booklet. There is considerable information online at [www.wesleyan.edu/orientation](http://www.wesleyan.edu/orientation) as well. If you have questions at any point in the summer, please do not hesitate to contact us or any of the Orientation Interns ([orientation@wesleyan.edu](mailto:orientation@wesleyan.edu) or 860.685.5666). Have a wonderful summer, and we look forward to seeing you soon.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Timothy Shiner". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

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