



ORIENTATION WEEK 2023-2024

for 1st Year Students

All the activities featured during the Orientation Week for 1st Year Students of the Medicine and Surgery Degree Programme will be taking place in **Classroom n. 2, Ground Floor of the “Polo Universitario Giovanni XXIII” facility, at the Rome Campus of Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore** located in Largo Francesco Vito 1, 00168 Rome (Italy), **unless otherwise noted.**

ORIENTATION DAY 1

Monday, September 18 [for students]

- **09.30** – Introduction Speech by Professor Giovanni Gambassi
- **10.00** – Introduction Speech by:
 - International Admissions Team
 - Student Ambassadors
 - Student Representatives
 - Student Tutor
- **10.30** – Session I: Academic Procedures and Student Services (Part 1)
- **11.30 – 11.45** – Break
- **11.45** – Session II: Academic Procedures and Student Services (Part 2)
- **12.15** – Session III: Introduction to “Polo Servizio Carriera Studenti”

ORIENTATION DAY 2

Tuesday, September 19 [for students]

- **09.30** – Session IV: How to apply for the Permit of Stay
- This session is intended exclusively for non-European students residing outside of Italy, who are coming from abroad with a type-D Entry Visa issued by the respective Italian Embassy or Consulate.**

ORIENTATION DAY 3

Wednesday, September 20 [for students]

- **09.30** – Session V: Culture and Safety in Rome
- **10.00** – Session VI: Best Communication Practices
- **10.15 – 10.30** – Break
- **10.30** – Session VII: Health Insurance Procedures
- **10.45** – Ice-breaking Activities

ORIENTATION DAY 4

Thursday, September 21 [for students]

- **09.30** – Session VIII: Introduction to the “Student Tutor” service
- **10.00** – Session IX: Introduction to the Student Representatives
- **10.15 – 10.30** – Break
- **10.30** – Session X: Introduction to the International Exchange Programmes
- **11.00** – Session XI: Introduction to EDUCatt

WELCOME DAY

Friday, September 22 [for both students and families]

- **09.30** – Campus Tour
- **11.30** – Welcome Day
- **Afterwards** – Welcome Cocktail

The initial gathering point for the beginning of the Campus Tour will be the entrance of the “Polo Giovanni XXIII” facility.

The invitation to our “Welcome Day” activities on September 22 is extended to both students and their families.