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**School of  
Medicine**

**FRANKFURT  
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# **Medical Student Orientation 2023**

## **Events & Schedule**

**FOR NEW MEDICAL STUDENTS & THEIR FAMILIES**





## **Welcome Class of 2029 !**

### **Embarking on Your Journey of Lifelong Learning at EUC**

Medical Student Orientation is an essential part of a successful transition to Medical School. Crossing the threshold of the Medical School, you are taking your initial steps into the profession. Medical Student Orientation is foundational to your success as a medical student at EUC and will provide you with information vital to your matriculation. The program will set the tone for your academic career and highlight expectations of you as a student, as well as give you the opportunity meet your fellow classmates.

Medical Student Orientation culminates with the “White Coat Ceremony”, where you will receive your first white coat and take your first step towards the responsibility of becoming a physician by reciting an oath dedicating yourself and pledging integrity in the study and practice of medicine.

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## MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2023

| AUDITORIUM DELTA   | TAKING CARE OF THE BASICS   |
|--------------------|---|
| 11:00 - 13:30      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Registration</li> <li>• Email Account</li> <li>• Access to Blackboard</li> <li>• Library Resources</li> <li>• Standards of Academic &amp; Professional Conduct</li> <li>• Attendance PASS</li> </ul> <p>Mr. Angelos Katsoularis, Administrator<br/>Ms. Maria Toumazou, Head Technician</p> |
| AUDITORIUM SIGMA   | DEVELOPING YOUR IDENTITY AS A CLINICIAN   |
| 13:45 - 14:00      | <b>Welcome Addresses</b><br>Professor Elizabeth Johnson, Dean<br>Dr. Roman Bux, Campus Director   |
| 14:00 - 14:20      | <b>Words of Wisdom on Starting Your Career</b><br>Professor Elizabeth Johnson, Dean   |
| 14:20 - 14:40      | <b>Standards of Academic &amp; Professional Conduct</b><br>Dr. Vassiliki Kalodimou, Assistant Professor   |
| 14:40 - 15:00      | <b>Preparing for Residency: Your Future as International Medical Graduates</b><br>Dr. Eleftherios Archavalis, Adjunct Professor   |
| 15:00 - 15:20      | <b>Studying at the EUC, Frankfurt Branch</b><br><b>Introduction to the Region</b><br>Dr. Roman Bux, Campus Director   |
| 15:20 - 16:00      | <b>Group Photo</b>  |
| 16:00<br>CAFETERIA | <b>MEET &amp; GREET RECEPTION</b>   |

## TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2023

| AUDITORIUM SIGMA | FOUNDATIONS OF STUDYING MEDICINE AT EUC   |
|------------------|---|
| 10:00 - 10:30    | <b>The Medical School Curriculum: Objectives and Goals</b><br>Professor Elizabeth Johnson, Dean       |
| 10:30 - 10:50    | <b>Understanding your Academic Schedule and Teams</b><br>Dr. Vassiliki Kalodimou, Assistant Professor |
| 10:50 - 11:10    | <b>Preclinical Training at EUC</b><br>Dr. Panos Politis, Adjunct Professor                            |
| 11:10 - 11:30    | <b>Clinical Training at EUC</b><br>Dr. Eleftherios Archavalis, Adjunct Professor                      |
| 11:30 - 11:50    | <b>e-Portfolio</b><br>Dr. Andreas Yiallouris, Lecturer  |
| 11:50 - 12:10    | <b>Blackboard and Independent Study Resources</b><br>Dr. Andreas Yiallouris, Lecturer                 |
| 12:30            | <b>Senior Student Led Tours of Campus</b>   |

## WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2023

| AUDITORIUM SIGMA | RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES  |
|------------------|---|
| 10:00 - 10:20    | <b>Summer Externship Program</b><br>Professor Elizabeth Johnson, Dean   |
| 10:20 - 10:40    | <b>Importance of Research in Medical School</b><br>Dr. Panos Politis, Adjunct Professor   |
| 10:40 - 11:00    | <b>Medical Thesis</b><br>Professor Elizabeth Johnson, Dean  |
| AUDITORIUM SIGMA | STUDENT SUPPORT   |
| 11:00 - 11:20    | <b>The Importance of your GPA and Academic Support Services:</b><br><b>Academic Advisors &amp; Clinical Advisors</b><br>Professor Elizabeth Johnson, Dean |
| 11:20 - 11:40    | <b>The Importance of Skills &amp; Simulation Training in Medicine</b><br>Dr. Spyros Koulouris, Adjunct Professor  |
| 11:40 - 12:00    | <b>Study Skills in Medical School: Understanding Assessment</b><br>Dr. Vassiliki Kalodimou, Assistant Professor   |
| 12:00            | <b>Closing Remarks</b><br>Professor Elizabeth Johnson, Dean   |

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**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2023**

**STEIGENBERGER  
FRANKFURTER HOF\***  
**ROOM: BALLSAAL**

**WHITE COAT CEREMONY**

**White Coat Ceremony Preparation**

**13:00 - 14:00**

**Matriculation: The White Coat Ceremony**

The White Coat Ceremony is a rite of passage for each entering class. This annual tradition of the EUC Medical School marks the entrance of the matriculating class of students into the medical profession. It marks an important milestone in your career, and is shared with family, friends and colleagues. Students receive their White Coat and recite an oath, pledging dedication to the ethics and standards of learning medicine. Medical Students are cloaked in their first white coat as a symbol of the trust being bestowed upon them to carry on the noble tradition of doctoring.

**ROOM: SALON 4+5**  
**14:00 - 15:00**

**LIGHT RECEPTION**

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