Graduate School Welcoming Events
Sponsored by The Graduate School

You are invited to attend the annual orientation program for NEW and RETURNING graduate students of Michigan State University.

**Resource Fair**
Saturday, August 29, 2015
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

*Opening Remarks* begin at 10:00 AM in the Ballroom, MSU Union
49 Abbott Rd
East Lansing, MI 48824

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**Opening Remarks:** Speakers from the Graduate School and the Council of Graduate Students (COGS) will welcome all new students to Michigan State University and provide an introduction to the activities of COGS and to the Graduate School’s programs for professional development: http://careersuccess.msu.edu, http://grad.msu.edu/caffe.

**Resource Fair** will include student organizations, campus groups and community businesses – all ready to provide you with valuable information!

No RSVP is necessary! Just come to the MSU Union on Saturday, August 29th.

**Fall Welcome Cookout**
Saturday, August 29th, 2015
12:00 PM – 3:00 PM

All new and returning graduate student, graduate professional students, and post-docs are invited to the 2015 Fall Welcome Cookout! Everything at the cookout is free and includes a healthy lunch, games and activities, music, prizes and many opportunities to network with fellow Spartans. Representatives from COGS and GSLW will be at the event to help you learn about graduate student life at Michigan State University. Follow the signs from the MSU Union after the Resource Fair to the grassy area between Beaumont Tower and Linton Hall – we will be there rain or shine!

Advance registration for the cookout is not required, but is recommended. Please visit cogs.msu.edu for more information!

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