

Postgraduate Research Courses

SSPSSR

Welcome information and timetable

Welcome from Dr Balihar Sanghera (Head of School)

I want to take this opportunity as Head of School to welcome you to our School, and to express the hope that your time with us will be intellectually stimulating and successful. SSPSSR is a large School, at the forefront of research and research-led teaching, and whatever your areas of interest you have an opportunity to participate in a top-rated academic community. We take teaching and your future very seriously and want you to get the best out of your time with us. So welcome to SSPSSR and the University. I wish you all the best for the coming year.

General info about the university

Please see the weblinks below for useful information prior to your arrival. If you have any questions once you have arrived on campus, our [Arrivals Hub](#) in [Nexus](#) is open 9.30-16:30 Mon-Fri from 13th Sept – 17th October (also open from Sat 16th & Sun 17th Sept).

[Kent Union welcome week timetable](#)

[University welcome page](#)

[How to use Moodle tutorial page - IMPORTANT](#)

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Wednesday 20th

09:00-10:00

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10:00-11:00

11:00-12:00

LSSJ Welcome Fair

12:00-13:00

13:00-14:00

Postgraduate Student and Staff Lunch

14:00-15:00

Head of School and Directors of Graduate Studies Welcome

15:00-16:00

16:00-17:00

PGR Induction – Life as PGR in SSPSSR

| Event | Description | | Location |
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| LSSJ Welcome Fair | Come and meet your Student Services teams and grab some freebies! | | 10-12 Eliot Extension |
| Postgraduate Student and Staff Social Lunch | Come and meet your Academic staff and grab something to eat and drink | | 1-2 CESR1 |
| Head of School and Directors of Graduate Studies Welcome | Welcome to the School of Social Policy, Sociology and Social Research with Balihar Sanghera and Directors of Graduate Studies Ellie Jupp and David Garbin | | 2.30-3 CCLT1 |
| PGR Induction – Life as PGR in SSPSSR | 3pm | Introduction to your course with Dr Ellie Jupp, Dr Ben Cocking | 3-5 CESR1 |
| | 3.10pm | GRC Introduction | |
| | 3.20pm | Introduction with the PGR Admin team | |
| | 3.30pm | Meet the PGR Student Reps | |
| | 3.40pm | Introduction with Library Liaison, Emma Mires-Richards | |
| | 4pm | PGR Professional Development with Dr Jack Cunliffe | |
| | 4.15pm | Methods of Social Research/PG Certificate with Dr Trude Sundberg | |
| | 4.30pm | Student Support and Wellbeing with Dr Ellie Jupp | |