Orientation Course
Moving to a new country with an unfamiliar language, culture and customs can be a challenge, so we would like to offer you the possibility to take part in our Orientation Course, which is (preliminary) between the 23-25 August. Be aware that the weather might change quickly during the fall. Please make sure you have warm shoes and warm clothes. See more about our weather on [www.smhi.se/en/weather](http://www.smhi.se/en/weather)
Updated information regarding the orientation course: [https://www.umu.se/en/education/student-services--support/orientation-course/](https://www.umu.se/en/education/student-services--support/orientation-course/)

Registration and Welcome meeting
There will be two opportunities for registration. For those of you that have the possibility to attend the Welcome meeting on Friday the 25th of August at 13.15-15.00 (in room Nbvh 1033, in the Northern Behavioral Science Building), you will be registered directly after the meeting. The program coordinator, study adviser and study administrator will be attending the Welcome meeting to give you information.

And for those of you that arrive later during that week another registration will take place during the introduction to Scientific Perspective and Research Design on Monday 28th of August at 13.15-16.00 (in room Bt103 in Behavioral Science Building). You need to register for the program in the study documentation system in order to be able to follow the courses and to get your results registered. If you are unable to arrive for the registration, please notify our administrator erica.astrom@psy.umu.se to make sure you do not lose your place.

Accommodation
As Swedish universities do not own any housing of their own, students in Sweden are expected to arrange their own accommodation. We recommend that you read the information on this link [http://www.umu.se/english/education/accommodation](http://www.umu.se/english/education/accommodation) and start you registering as soon as possible.

Residence permit
We advise you to apply for a residence permit as soon as possible in order for you to get a decision in time. Please see on [www.migrationsverket.se/info/studera_en.html](http://www.migrationsverket.se/info/studera_en.html) and [www.swedenabroad.se](http://www.swedenabroad.se).

Contact information
You are most welcome to contact us if you have any questions regarding the program. The Department of Psychology is located in the Behavioral Sciences Building (Beteendevetarhuset, BVH for short).

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* Program Administrator: Erica Åström, [erica.astrom@umu.se](mailto:erica.astrom@umu.se) Corridor A, room A-101
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IT services
In order to access the central IT systems at Umeå University, you need a user account to log into our central authentication service, CAS
Umeå University offers all active students a user account. The user account gives you access to our wireless network, learning platforms, e-mail and more.
Two ways to activate your user account

All students at Umeå University receive a CAS username and password when admitted to a course (after the second admission confirmation). If you have received a letter from Umeå University with a temporary user identity, you can use it to activate your user account. If you have applied for studies at Universityadmissions.se, you can also use your user identity on Universityadmissions.se to activate your user account. Activating your user account via Universityadmissions.se will be available from the first week in August (or first week of January, if you start your studies at the spring semester). Both ways to activate the user account can be reached via https://www.servicedesk.its.umu.se/Activation/Guide (available in English, see upper right corner).

If you have not received a CAS username and password, visit the IT support Servicedesk in the MIT Building.

E-mail

You will also be given an email address which Umeå University uses to communicate with you as a student. You will access your student e-mail at the tab 'E-post' in Portalen. In order to sign in to the portal (Portalen; link for signing in is found in the right hand column of www.umu.se) and the learning platform Cambro, you will need a central authentication service username and password (CAS). Your CAS username is the same as the part before the @-sign in your student e-mail address, i.e. a student with the e-mail address ‘aonmus95@student.umu.se’ has ‘aonmus95’ as username.

You need to activate your user account before you can sign in to Portalen or Cambro. When you activate your user account, you will automatically also receive an AD account (with the same user name and password for signing in) that is required for services used at some departments. You also need to have activated your user account before you can get the UmU card. Read about how to activate your account at the page found via the link to the right.

Cambro

Cambro is used by the Department of Psychology as the learning platform for all courses. Other departments might use other platforms.

Wireless network at Campus

Umeå University offers eduroam for all students and staff. Eduroam is an international service, offering its members (among others, most of the Swedish universities) a user account which gives them access to this wireless network wherever the service is available. Learn more about eduroam and what universities that are members at www.eduroam.org.

For access to eduroam, you need a personal eduroam certificate (valid for four years) and some configuration in the security set up for your wireless network card.

Visit Servicedesk in the MIT Building to get help setting up the eduroam certificate on your computer. Only registered students and staff can get this service, and you need to sign in to your CAS user account to start the set up. At campus, the wireless network UmU wlan is also available. Connect to UmU wlan by signing in using your CAS account.