

# Fall 2016

## International Peer Advisor Application

Are you interested in being a part of the Fall 2016 New International Student Orientations as an International Peer Advisor?

Complete the attached application form and return it to the Office of International Education.

**Deadline for Fall 2016 applications: Monday, April 25<sup>th</sup> 2016**

### Fall 2016 New International Student Orientation Dates:

- August 10, 2016
- August 15, 2016
- August 16-17, 2016
- August 18, 2016

**All Locations are TBA**

### Duties of an International Peer Advisor:

- Meet new international students
- Help students adjust to life in the U.S.
- Assist students with their paperwork
- Participate in a required minimum orientation session
- Answer individual questions

### MANDATORY Training Session

**When?** Tuesday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2016 10:00am-12:00pm

**Where?** Office of International Education, Swift Center

**What to expect?** We will discuss the orientation and plan of action, get to know other Peer Advisors, and eat a free lunch together.

Note: Training is **mandatory** for both new and returning volunteers

### Why it's great to be an International Peer Advisor

- Enjoy a lovely lunch at the training session and orientations
- Receive a snazzy t-shirt
- Enhance the experiences of international students new to UTA
- Add this volunteer experience to your resume

For more information, visit our website at [www.uta.edu/oie](http://www.uta.edu/oie). You will be contacted regarding selection by the end of the day of April 29<sup>th</sup> **via email**. All majors, degree status, nationalities (including Americans) are encouraged to apply. Interviews may be part of the selection process. Selection of peer advisors is based on GPA, current involvement at UTA, written answers to application questions, availability at orientations, among other things.

**Complete the attached application form and submit to the  
Office of International Education  
or via email to  
[allison.ross@uta.edu](mailto:allison.ross@uta.edu)**

**YOU MAY KEEP THIS TOP SHEET FOR YOUR OWN REFERENCE**

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**INTERNATIONAL PEER ADVISOR APPLICATION**

Office of International Education – Swift Center  
The University of Texas at Arlington

Name  Gender:  M  F

Street Address

City  Zip Code

UTA ID  Country of origin

Telephone No.  Email ID

Major  Status  Undergraduate  Graduate

Date you began at UTA  Expected Graduation Date

T-shirt size  S  M  L  XL  XXL

Lunch will be served on the day of your training. Do you prefer vegetarian?

Have you been an International Peer Advisor before? If yes, when?

***Please answer the following questions to the best of your ability:***

What interests you about being an International Peer Advisor?

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List the organizations or clubs in which you are an active member

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Please check the dates that you will be available to assist with activities related to Orientation:  
**(you must select 2 dates or more in order to be considered for the position)**

- August 10
- August 15
- August 16-17
- August 18

If selected to be an International Peer Advisor, I will participate fully and hold confidential any personal information I acquire about students as a result of my assistance.

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Signature

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Today's Date