# Fall 2017 International Peer Advisor Application

Are you interested in being a part of the Fall 2017 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 2017 applications: Wednesday, May 10, 2017

#### Fall 2017 New International Student Orientation Dates:

- June 2, 2017
- July 10, 2017
- August 9, 2017
- August 16, 2017
- August 17, 2017
- August 21, 2017

#### 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? Monday, May 15, 2017 12:00pm-2:00pm

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 <a href="www.uta.edu/oie">www.uta.edu/oie</a>. You will be contacted regarding selection by the end of the day of May 11th 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.

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

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| Street Address  |
| City Zip Code   |
| UTA ID Country of origin  |
| Telephone No. Email ID  |
| Major Status Oundergraduate OGraduate   |
| Date you began at UTA   |
| T-shirt size OS OM OL OXL OXXL  |
| 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   |
| 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) |
| June 2 July 10 August 9 August 16 August 17 August 21   |
| 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.   |
| Signature Today's Date  |