Come find us!

Where:
John Deutsch University Centre
Located on the first floor
87 Union Street, Kingston, Ontario
K71 3N6 Canada

When:
8:30 am – 4:30 pm
Monday to Friday
Special extended hours are offered during welcome and orientation periods.

Who:
A team of full-time professional staff, part-time student staff and volunteers dedicated to welcoming you to Queen’s and supporting your transition to life in Canada.

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International Photo Contest

Queen’s University International Centre
What do we provide?

Pre-Arrival
Webinars and live-chats cover topics about getting ready to start your experience at Queen’s.
Make your transition easier and learn ahead of time what life will be like when you arrive on campus.

Support for Spouses/Partners
Many programs and services (e.g., English Conversation, tax workshops, social events, immigration advising, intercultural workshops and transition support) are open to spouses/partners of students.
QUIC ISA can refer to community services and programs that might be helpful for dependents.

Immigration Advising
QUIC International Student Advisor (ISA) is licenced to support incoming students with immigration, study/work permits and visa questions.
ISA is available weekdays from 11am-4:00pm without appointment.

Welcome & Orientation
Newly arriving students will receive an information package and an invitation to tours and social activities.
Tailored Fall and Winter term graduate orientation sessions are held to support successful transition.

Community Links
QUIC has good relations with community organizations (Immigrant Services Kingston & Area, Public Health, School Boards) and can facilitate referrals, or provide contact information for services in the community that can support graduate students and their spouses and dependents to settle into Kingston.

Social Events and Clubs
QUIC offers social programs throughout the year for all students. These social activities promote interactions between international students as well as between international and domestic students.
QUIC has strong links with student clubs and can connect graduate students to a variety of multi-cultural groups on campus.

Housing Support
QUIC provides resources for housing search and works closely with the Student Community Relations Office.

Wellness
QUIC works with Student Wellness Services who offer cross-cultural counselling, as well as a walk-in clinic, doctor appointments, mental health counselling and more.
QUIC administers the University Health Insurance Plan (UHIP) a primary health plan for use at clinics and hospitals. Additionally, we can help you to understand primary and supplementary health plans within the Ontario healthcare system.

Workshops
QUIC hosts workshops (e.g., income tax, career and resume, intercultural awareness) that support graduate students throughout their time at Queen’s. Our activities are coordinated to complement workshops delivered by the School of Graduate Studies.

What is the QUIC?
QUIC primarily provides a range of support services and programs to international students. Additionally, there are many experiential opportunities for students throughout the year.

We know you work hard on your studies, so let us help you with your social and cultural adjustment to Queen’s!

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