

# Undergraduate Taught Programmes

Welcome week 06<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> January 2025

## INDUCTION SCHEDULE

January 2025

### School of Mathematics and Computer Sciences (MACS)

**Programmes:**

- BSc Computer Sciences (Cyber Security)
- BSc Computer Sciences (Artificial Intelligence)
- BSc Computer Sciences (Data Science)
- BSc Computer Sciences (Software Engineering)

The information overleaf provides the Programme schedule, including other details of the various events and student activities held during the Welcome Week.

The induction sites are available through Canvas – here you will find a comprehensive overview of information relating to your programme and campus information. You can access Canvas by going to your [student portal](#) and clicking on the Canvas VLE tile.

Please check the website regularly for the most updated version of the schedule as it may be subject to change. The Programme published here is based on the best available information at the time of printing and is subject to changes. Therefore, please ensure you check back regularly to see any updates.

For assistance, please log into your student portal and log an enquiry through [“AskHWU”](#) for the fastest response.

### **Induction Schedule**

Below is your induction schedule for your programme, student council activities and also support services available to you throughout your time studying with us.

Where a room number is provided, the expectation is that you attend the session in person. If through unavoidable circumstances you are unable to attend, please join via the link and contact your Programme Director.

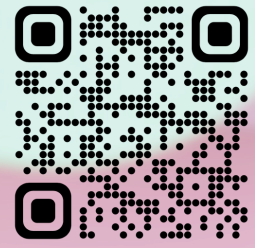
Undergraduate Programme Academic Induction				
Date/Day	Time	Activity	Academic Lead	Room
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> January 2025	8:45 – 9:00AM	Arrival at Heriot Watt University Dubai Campus		
	9:00 – 9:15AM	Welcome & Introduction by Head of School	<b>Steve Gill</b>	Classroom 5.09
	9:15 – 10:00AM	Introduction sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What to expect</li> <li>• Programme Structure &amp; Course registration</li> <li>• About Personal Tutors</li> <li>• Timetable</li> <li>• Assessment, progression</li> <li>• Globally Connected Learning</li> </ul>	<b>Talal Shaikh</b>	Classroom 5.09
	10:00 – 11:00AM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Word Cloud Activity</li> <li>• Familiarity with University Terminologies</li> </ul>	<b>Cristina Turcanu</b>	Classroom 5.09
	11:00 – 11:30AM	Meet your Programme team and key staff	<b>Hind Zantout</b> <i>Deputy Academic Head</i>  <b>Talal Shaikh</b> <i>Programme Director of Studies (UG)</i>  <b>Mahmoud Mousa</b> <i>Programme Director of Studies (CS)</i>  <b>Esraa Khatab</b> <i>1st year CS Coordinator</i>	Classroom 5.09

	11:30 – 11:45AM	Getting to know each other	<b>Cristina Turcanu</b>	Classroom 5.09
	11:45 – 12:00PM	Interactive sessions (Live Q&A)	<b>All Faculty</b>	Classroom 5.09
<b>BREAK</b>				
	12:30 – 12:45PM	Academic Integrity	<b>Hani Ragab Hassen</b>	Classroom 5.09
	12:45 – 1:00PM	MACS School Officer Introduction	<b>Rachael Teresa Dias</b>	Classroom 5.09
	1:00 – 2:00PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How we communicate with you</li> <li>• HW Student Portal</li> <li>• How to find your timetable</li> <li>• Email – importance of checking it regularly</li> </ul> <p>Introducing Year 1 Jan Semester courses</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Web Design and Databases</b> – Uddin Azher, Smaeer Zalkha Salma</li> <li>• <b>Software Development 1</b> - Heba El Shimy</li> <li>• <b>Discrete Mathematics</b> – Adrian Turcanu</li> <li>• <b>Intro to Computer Systems</b> – Fadi Alhaddadin</li> </ul>	<p><b>Esraa Khatab</b> <i>CS Year 1 Jan intake Coordinator</i></p> <p><b>Teaching Staff</b></p>	Classroom 5.09

# WELCOME

WEEK 2025

## JANUARY 6 - JANUARY 10



### Monday, January 6

**UG Programme Induction**

9AM-1PM

- Global College Dubai
- Energy, Geoscience, Infrastructure and Society
- Engineering and Physical Sciences
- Mathematical and Computer Sciences

**International Students Support Drop in**

1 PM-2PM @ First floor, Student services centre

**Welcome to HW (All UG)**

2PM-3PM @ Room No. 2.09/2.14

**Intro to Dubai Student Services**

3PM-4PM @ Room No. 1.49

**We are HW Graduates (UG)**

4PM-5PM @ First Floor Cafe, 1.57

**Student Council Bingo**

4PM-5PM @ First Floor Cafe, 1.57

**We are HW Graduates (PG)**

5PM-6PM @ Behind DSSC

**PG Coffee Socials- Student Council**

5PM-6PM @ Student Hub

**Welcome to HW (PG)**

6PM-7PM @ Room No. 2.09/2.14

**PG Programme Induction**

7:00PM-9PM

### Tuesday, January 7

**UG Programme Induction(Click Here)**

9AM-2PM

- School of Social Sciences
- Textiles & Design

**International Students Support Drop in**

1 PM-2PM @ First floor, Student services centre

**Welcome to HW (All UG)**

2PM-3PM @ Room No. 2.09/2.14

**Intro to Dubai Student Services**

3PM-4PM @ Room No. 1.49

**We are HW Graduates (UG)**

4PM-5PM @ First Floor Cafe, 1.57

**Student Council Bingo**

4PM-5PM @ First Floor Cafe, 1.57

**We are HW Graduates (PG)**

5PM-6PM @ Behind DSSC

**PG Coffee Socials- Student Council**

5PM-6PM @ Student Hub

**Welcome to HW (PG)**

6PM-7PM @ Room No. 2.09/2.14

**PG Programme Induction (Click Here)**

7:00PM-9PM

### Wednesday, January 8

**UG Wellbeing Induction Workshop**

10AM-11AM @ Room No. 2.14

**New to Dubai**

11PM-12PM @ Room No. 1.49

**Student Life Fair UG & PG**

3PM-6PM @ Room No. 5.09

### Thursday, January 9

**Meet The BigBuds**

12PM-2PM @ Room No. 5.09

**Careers Drop In (UG)**

1PM-2PM @ Careers Centre

**Counselling/Determination Drop In**

2PM-3PM @ Wellbeing Area Room

**New to Dubai**

3PM-4PM @ Room No. 1.43

**Introduction to Careers & GradFutures**

5PM-6PM @ Careers Centre

**Careers Drop In (PG)**

6PM-8PM @ Careers Centre

**STUDENT COUNCIL**  
HERIOT-WATT UNIVERSITY DUBAI

# WATT FAIR

**15TH JANUARY, 2025**

**ROOM NO 5.09/5.12**

**3PM - 6PM**

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### Enrolment support

**Student ID Card Collection**

Monday to Friday: 9:30AM-4:30PM @ Room No. 1.54

**Enrolment/course registration**

Monday to Friday: 9:30AM-4:30PM @ Room No. 1.54

**WATT DEALS**

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THIS CARD MUST BE PRESENTED WITH STUDENT ID TO AVAIL THE DISCOUNT

**GET TO KNOW YOUR STUDENT COUNCIL**