



BALTIC  
INTERNATIONAL  
ACADEMY  
LATVIAN REPUBLIC

# ORIENTATION WEEK

FOR INTERNATIONAL FULL-TIME STUDENTS

27 - 31 JANUARY 2025



Please do not forget to register your participation in the Orientation Week by the link:  
<https://forms.gle/iqhKBFRMMz42Vd5N9>.

Please prepare your ID card or passport. You will be required to present this document during the registration.

Please note that **you should participate in the Orientation Week in person** if you have concluded your study agreement during the winter intake of 2024/25 or have postponed the beginning of your studies from the autumn semester of 2024/25 to the spring semester of 2024/25 and **have entered Latvia until 27 January 2025**.

**You should participate in the Orientation Week remotely** through the links in the attached programme if you have faced delays in entering Latvia **by 27 January 2025** and cannot join us in person. In this case, **do not forget to contact our International and Visa Departments**.

Please check your connection to the Internet, our internal systems and the operation of your devices: computers, smartphones, headphones and microphones at least two working days before the beginning of the Orientation Week, if you participate in it remotely!

Date	Time (EET, Riga time)	Place	Content
Monday 27 January 2025	10:00 – 10:45	<p><b>Baltic International Academy</b> ¼, Valeria Seile str., Room 207, Riga (the building across the street from the RIMI shop)</p> <p><b>Online connection:</b> <a href="https://videoconf.bsa.edu.lv/rooms/bsa-nkc-zt4/join">https://videoconf.bsa.edu.lv/rooms/bsa-nkc-zt4/join</a></p>	<p><b>WELCOME SPEECH AND ORGANISATION OF STUDIES:</b></p> <p><b>Inta Buka,</b> <i>Vice-Rector for International Affairs</i></p> <p><b>Vladislav Volkov,</b> <i>Vice-Rector for Science and Research</i></p> <p><b>Viktorija Petlak,</b> <i>Coordinator of the Erasmus+ Exchange Program</i></p>
	COFFEE BREAK		
	11:00 – 11:45	<p><b>Baltic International Academy</b> ¼, Valeria Seile str., Room 207, Riga (the building across the street from the RIMI shop)</p> <p><b>Online connection:</b> <a href="https://videoconf.bsa.edu.lv/rooms/bsa-nkc-zt4/join">https://videoconf.bsa.edu.lv/rooms/bsa-nkc-zt4/join</a></p>	<p><b>PRACTICAL ISSUES:</b></p> <p><b>Inta Buka,</b> <i>Vice-Rector for International Affairs</i></p> <p><b>Diana Cibisova,</b> <i>International Relations Coordinator</i></p>
	COFFEE BREAK		
	12:00 - 12:45	<p><b>Meeting point:</b> in front of the Academy’s entrance ¼, Valeria Seile str., Riga (the building across the street from the RIMI shop)</p>	<p><b>CAMPUS TOUR (IS OFFERED PHYSICALLY)</b></p> <p><b>Diana Cibisova,</b> <i>International Relations Coordinator</i></p>
	COFFEE BREAK		
	TIME FOR ADMINISTRATIVE ISSUES SOLVING		



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Tuesday 28 January 2025	PLEASE CONNECT ONLY TO A MEETING WITH YOUR STUDY PROGRAMME DIRECTOR AND DO NOT CONNECT TO OTHERS ONCE (YOUR STUDY PROGRAMME IS SPECIFIED IN YOUR STUDY AGREEMENT)		
	10:00 – 11:30	<b>Baltic International Academy</b> ¼, Valeria Seile str., Room 207, Riga (the building across the street from the RIMI shop)  <b>Online connection:</b> <a href="https://videoconf.bsa.edu.lv/rooms/bsa-2mn-yhx/join">https://videoconf.bsa.edu.lv/rooms/bsa-2mn-yhx/join</a>	<b>MEETING WITH THE STUDY PROGRAMME DIRECTOR AND INTRODUCTION TO THE PROFESSION:</b> <b>Yuliya Mahmudova</b>  <i>For all incoming international full-time students of the Bachelor's programmes "European Economics and Business", "Business Administration" and Master's programme "Business Management and Administration"</i>
		<b>Baltic International Academy</b> ¼, Valeria Seile str., Room 222, Riga (the building across the street from the RIMI shop)  <b>Online connection:</b> <a href="https://videoconf.bsa.edu.lv/rooms/bsa-ry6-ckh/join">https://videoconf.bsa.edu.lv/rooms/bsa-ry6-ckh/join</a>	<b>MEETING WITH THE STUDY PROGRAMME DIRECTOR AND INTRODUCTION TO THE PROFESSION:</b> <b>Inese Ratanova</b>  <i>For all incoming international full-time students of the Bachelor's programme "Tourism and Hospitality Management" and Master's programme "Communication in the Leisure and Entertainment Industry"</i>
	COFFEE BREAK		
	11:45 – 13:30	<b>Academy's Library</b> ¼, Valeria Seile str., 1 <sup>st</sup> floor, Riga (the building across the street from the RIMI shop)	<b>TOURS OF THE ACADEMY LIBRARY AND THE NATIONAL LIBRARY OF LATVIA (IS OFFERED PHYSICALLY):</b>  <i>International students, who participate in the Orientation Week remotely can get acquainted with the Academy's library resources online by the link: <a href="https://bsa.edu.lv/en/library/">https://bsa.edu.lv/en/library/</a></i>
TIME FOR ACADEMIC ISSUES SOLVING			

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Wednesday 29 January 2025	10:00–11:30	<b>Baltic International Academy</b> 4, Valeria Seile str., Room 129, Riga (the building next to the "RIMI" shop)  <b>Online connection:</b> <a href="https://do.bsa.edu.lv/course/view.php?id=1786">https://do.bsa.edu.lv/course/view.php?id=1786</a>	<b>INTRODUCTORY TESTING IN INFORMATICS (ONLY FOR BACHELOR'S STUDENTS):</b> <b>Vyacheslav Zhilinsky</b>  <b>ONLY FOR INCOMING INTERNATIONAL BACHELOR'S FULL-TIME STUDENTS</b>
	COFFEE BREAK		
	11:45-13:10	<b>Baltic International Academy</b> ¼, Valeria Seile str., Room 207, Riga (the building across the street from the RIMI shop)  <b>Online connection:</b> <a href="https://do.bsa.edu.lv/course/view.php?id=1065">https://do.bsa.edu.lv/course/view.php?id=1065</a>	<b>LECTURE: "CIVIL AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION":</b> <b>Ksenija Doronina</b> <i>For all incoming international full-time students</i>
	COFFEE BREAK OR LUNCH		
	13:30–15:00	<b>Meeting point:</b> in the Academy's Hall near the Lecture Room 207 ¼, Valeria Seile str., Riga (the building across the street from the RIMI shop)	<b>TOUR AROUND ACADEMY'S BUILDINGS: "CIVIL AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION" (is offered physically):</b> <b>Ksenija Doronina</b> <i>For all incoming international full-time students</i>




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Thursday 30 January 2025	11:00-13:00	<p>Meeting point: will be announced closer to the day of the tour.</p>  <p><a href="https://www.latvia.travel/en/sight/freedom-monument">https://www.latvia.travel/en/sight/freedom-monument</a></p>	<p><b>TOUR AROUND RIGA (IS OFFERED PHYSICALLY)</b> <b>THE TOUR WILL BE ORGANISED IF THERE IS A MINIMUM GROUP OF 10 STUDENTS</b></p> <p><i>Students, who participate in the Orientation Week remotely can get acquainted with the beauty of our country using the collection of videos at:</i> <a href="https://vimeo.com/user3494547">https://vimeo.com/user3494547</a></p>

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Friday 31 January 2025	-		<b>A DAY TO DEAL WITH OUTSTANDING ISSUES, REST, AND PREPARATION FOR LECTURES.</b>

**WE WISH YOU THE BEST OF LUCK IN YOUR STUDIES!  
MAKE YOUR RELATIVES AND US PROUD OF YOUR ACADEMIC SUCCESSSES!**