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Good Start Programme

October 1, 2025

Dobra Street 55, Didactic Building, Lecture Hall 1.008

9:00–9:45 – Official Opening

9:45–10:10 – PhD Students' Union's Presentation

10:10 – 10:30 - Break

10:30–12:00 – USOS Explained (in Polish) (Jan Skrzypczuk) (registration required)

Dobra Street 56/66, University Library (BUW), Main Hall

12:15–13:45 – University Library for advanced level users (first group) (registration required)

October 2, 2025

Krakowskie Przedmieście Street 32, Museum of the University of Warsaw

9:00–10:00 – Guided Tour of the Main Campus with the UW Museum (registration required)

Krakowskie Przedmieście Street 26/28, Old University Library (Stary BUW), Auditorium Hall

10:30–11:10 – Rights and Obligations of Doctoral Students (Marta Batorczak-Żuchowska)

11:10–11:30 – Doctoral Dissertation Submission Procedure (Krzysztof Wolszakiewicz, Scientific Councils Office)

11:30–12:00 – Safety and Security at UW (Sławomir Oblinski, Office for Security Affairs)

12:00–12:30 – Break

12:30–13:15 – Practical Support for Doctoral Students

13:15–14:00 – Cultural Opportunities at UW



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14:00–15:00 – *Break*

15:00–16:30 – **Supporting scientific research at the University of Warsaw – theory and practice**

October 3, 2025

Dobra Street 56/66, University Library (BUW), Main Hall

8:30–10:30 – **University Library for advanced level users (second group) (registration required)**

Żwirki i Wigury Street 101, University of Warsaw Biological and Chemical Research Centre (CNBCh UW)

9:00–10:00 – **Guided Tour of the Ochota Campus with the UW Museum (registration required)**

Krakowskie Przedmieście Street 26/28, Old University Library (Stary BUW), Auditorium Hall

11:00–11:45 – **Behind the Scenes at the University of Warsaw (organizational structure and daily operations for doctoral students)** (Agata Kapica)

11:45–12:00 - *Break*

12:00–12:45 – **UW Support in Challenging Situations**

12:45–13:00 - *Break*

13:00–13:30 – **Welcome Point**

13:30–14:00 – *Break*

14:00 – **Official Inauguration of the Academic Year 2025/2026 at the UW Doctoral Schools (with refreshments)**

16:30–19:00 – **Integration Workshops in groups (registration required)**



More information about selected events

University Library for advanced level users

When?

- First group – 1 October 12:15-13:45
- Second group – 3 October 8:30-10:30

Where?- Main Hall, University Library (BUW), Dobra Street 56/66

First-year doctoral students are invited to attend an introductory training course on how to use the resources and services of the University of Warsaw Library. During the training we will present:

- the University of Warsaw library and information system
- printed resources available at the University of Warsaw Library
- electronic resources available at the University of Warsaw - the current offer of licensed electronic resources at the University of Warsaw (e-journals, e-books and databases) along with a practical discussion of the most important search tools and methods for finding effectively and quickly the materials you are looking for
- search tools (online catalogue)
- examples of open access resources.

Integration Workshops in groups

When? 3 October 16:30-19:00

Where? Old University Library (Stary BUW), Krakowskie Przedmieście Street 26/28

As every year, we invite you to the next edition of integration workshops for doctoral students. Networking in the academic world is one of the foundations for future projects and publications. Being in a group with others and building interpersonal connections provides both practical and emotional support in achieving goals.

Our workshop meeting will be an opportunity to take part in interactive exercises and activities that will help participants get to know each other better, overcome barriers, and perhaps discover shared interests. We will meet fellow doctoral students, play games and activities in small, intimate groups and pairs.

The workshops will also provide a space to talk about collaboration, communication, and the challenges of academic life in a safe and open atmosphere.

The workshop will be led by trainers from the Psychological and Counselling Services Centre (CPP UW).