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A warm welcome to Melbourne Institute of Technology (MIT) Melbourne Campus!

At MIT, we pride ourselves on providing all our students with more than just an educational experience. By working together, we can achieve great things and create a launchpad for innovation, progress, and positive change. We do this by providing:

- Real-World Curriculum: We gear you up to tackle real-world challenges with confidence and competence.
- Dedicated Student Support: Our devoted team including our Graduate Careers staff, are always available in person, call or email, ready to assist you through every stage of your journey.
- Exceptional Career Outcomes: Our graduates outshine the national average with 75.4% securing full-time employment within four months of graduation (Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching 2022).
- Work Integrated Learning: You will experience learning beyond the books, with hands-on industry exposure seamlessly incorporated into our curriculum.
- With global demand for tech and business professionals expected to surge by 12% by this year, your journey to your extraordinary future starts at our Orientation Careers Fair. Do not miss this opportunity to meet with organisations offering a range of options including employment pathways, voluntary work, vacation work and Internships and get careers advice from the experts on post-study work rights.

I look forward to meeting you at the start of your journey with us during Orientation where we begin planning your bright future together.

Efthimia (Effie) E. Evryniadis

Campus Director

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Important Dates

Date	Activity
March	
Monday 9 March	Labour Day (<i>Public Holiday</i>)
Tuesday 10 March	O' Week Day 1
Wednesday 11 March	O' Week Day 2
Monday 16 March	First Week of Classes
Friday 20 March	Last Day to Change Course
Friday 27 March	Last Day to Add a Unit
April	
Friday 3 April	<i>Good Friday (Public Holiday)</i>
Monday 6 April	<i>Easter Monday (Public Holiday)</i>
Friday 10 April	Census Date
Saturday 25 April	<i>ANZAC Day (Public Holiday)</i>
May	
Friday 22 May	Last Day to Withdraw Without Academic Penalty
June	
Thursday 4 June	MIT Industry IMPACT Day
Monday 8 June	<i>King's Birthday (Public Holiday)</i>
Wednesday 10 June	Start of Final Exams
Saturday 20 June	End of Final Exams



What to Expect

Your Orientation Week starts on Tuesday, 10 March at 9:00 am Australian Eastern Daylight Time (AEDT) at Level 2, Room 2.15 & 2.16. 288 La Trobe Street, Melbourne.

All commencing students must attend the Orientation.

During Orientation, you will be greeted by the Campus Director and introduced to the MIT Community, its culture and values.

You will learn about what we have to offer as an institute and all the necessary information that new students must know.

All students must attend this session face-to-face.

All students at MIT have access to the Academic Management System (AMS) & Moodle (Learning Management System).

These two platforms will be used throughout your student life at MIT so it's important to learn how to use them properly when you start.

You will receive your username and password re-set link prior to orientation via email. If you have not received your login details, please contact the IT Service Help Desk at: servicedesk@mit.edu.au with your student number and/or name with 'Username and password' in the subject line.

The AMS is your primary point of access to everything including Moodle. You can use AMS and Moodle for the following:

AMS

- Setup Your Student Email
- Enrol In Your Courses
- Create And View Your Timetable
- Make Changes To Your Enrolment
- Access The Academic Calendar
- Setup A Payment Plan
- Book Staff Appointments

- View Your Attendance Record
- View Your Academic Progress
- Apply For Special Consideration
- UPDATE Your Personal Details
- Access Moodle
- Access Results

Moodle

- Access Orientation Shells
- Access Academic Support
- Access Webinars
- Access Student Support
- Your Student Resources
- Software Resources
- Access AIM100 And MIT001
- Assessment Feedback
- Access Online Classes
- Access Workshops

Technical Support

If you are having technical difficulties or cannot log in to AMS or Moodle at any time.

Please contact
IT Service Help Desk:
servicedesk@mit.edu.au

Melbourne Campus:
(03) 8600 6725

Always remember to include your student number in all communications with MIT.



Student Events

Our Service team runs an extensive suite of events and activities throughout the academic year. See upcoming Melbourne Campus events on our events page. A reminder events are being added regularly so please 'bookmark' this webpage.



Health and Wellbeing

Our qualified counselling team (Amily and Stephanie) provide free, confidential support to students. If you are facing difficulties that may affect your studies, or you just wish to have a chat about how you're going, book an appointment with the team via email.



Career Development Centre

Find out about the extra services that the MIT Career Development Centre provides to help you get career focused. The Career Development Centre runs week workshops on-campus and I encourage you to attend these workshops. For more details on these workshops, please refer to the Events and Activities webpage.



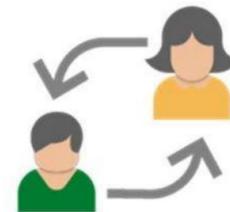
Academic Services

Located on level 6, our Academic Services Team (Helen, Maddie, Krystal and Wafaa) can assist you with booking an appointment with your lecturer, special consideration enquiries and issues with Moodle.



Centre of Learning

The Centre of Learning (CoL) offers a broad range of support services to enrich the learning and teaching experience at MIT. All aspects of the journey towards academic success are encompassed by our operations, such as face-to-face tutoring, examination preparation and the delivery of workshops to build competence in language and literacy skills. For more information on the CoL, simply login to Moodle, go to 'My Courses' and select 'Centre of Learning'.



Peer Mentor Program

At MIT we understand sometimes you might feel more comfortable seeking one-to-one coaching on a unit of study from a peer rather than additional support from your lecturer. A peer mentor will share with you how they have achieved their own academic success; provide help with understanding the unit, completing assessment tasks and preparing for exams.

8:30AM- 9:30AM

Registration (via QR CODE)

9:30AM-9:45AM

Welcome to Research by Mohini Singh

9:45AM-10:00AM

Counselling & Advocacy Ady Sliwka

- Counselling Support
- Advocacy Services
- Wellbeing vents and Workshops

10:00AM-10:15AM

Academic Services (Helen Macmahon)

10:15AM-10:30AM

Introduction to I.T Services (Prasanna Gunasekara)

- Access
- Computer Lab Rules
- Printing and Storing
- AMS
- Moodle
- Wi-Fi Helpdesk
- Reset Your MIT Password

10:30AM – 10:45AM

Careers, Industry & Alumni (Jared Nathaniel)

- Introduction To Career Development Centre
- Overview of CDC Building

Block 1: Creating Your Professional Identity

10:45AM – 11:00AM

AIM100 Workshop sessions
(Damian Gauci)

11:00AM – 12:00PM

Student Life at MIT (Effie Evryniadis)

- Student Events
- Support Services
- Enrolments
- Settling In
- Policies and Procedures
- Complaints and Appeals
- Student Rights And Responsibilities
- Visa and Work Rights
- Student Counselling and Advocacy
- OH&S and Student Safety
- Critical Incidents

12:00PM-1:00PM

Lunch

1:00PM-1:15PM

Centre of Learning Damien Gauci

1:15PM -1:30PM

Library Services Emily Pyers

1:30PM -2:15PM

School overview

2:15PM-2:30PM

Q&A with Professional Staff and Lucky Draw

9:00AM - 9:30AM	Registration (via QR Code)	1:05PM - 1:25PM	Writing Your Thesis and Publishing
9:30AM - 11:30AM	Tenancy Law & Work Rights (WestJustice)	1:25PM - 1:45PM	Research and Academic Integrity.
11:30AM-11:45AM	Beach Safety	1:45PM - 2:20PM	Undertaking high-end research for your thesis
11:45AM-12:00PM	Safety in Victoria (Victoria Police)	2:20PM – 3:00PM	How to succeed in your studies workshop
12:00PM-12:15PM	Overseas Students Health Cover – OSHC (Allianz)	3:00PM – 3:20PM	Thesis Examination Processes .
12:15PM - 1:00PM	Lunch is on US!	3:20PM-3:40PM	Online Enrollment Briefing (Effie Evryniadis)
1:00PM - 1:05PM	Welcome to Research.	3:40PM-3:45PM	Lucky Draw

Higher Degree Research Student (Room 2.26)



9:15 AM – 9:30 AM

Welcome To MIT (Executive Dean, Prof Alison Parkes)

- MIT Values
- Our Shared Responsibility
- Succeeding In a Digital Environment
- Student Handbook



12:00PM – 12:30 PM

Online Enrolment briefing



9:30AM – 11:00AM

Essential Writing Skills for Research Students
(Mr. Damian Gauci)



12:30 PM – 1:45 PM

Lucky Draw

Meet and share lunch with your Faculty



11:00AM – 12:00PM

Provided access to your dedicated rooms



1:45 PM – 4:00 PM

Enrolments & Timetable Creation



Melbourne City Tour: A Warm Welcome to Your New Home!

Time: 10:00 am-4:00 pm

Meet at the Melbourne MIT campus, level 2.

Join us for a fun and engaging one-day tour of Melbourne, designed to help you discover the city's most iconic landmarks and vibrant culture. We'll start at Federation Square, explore the famous street art in Hosier Lane, and visit key sites like Flinders Street Station, St. Paul's Cathedral, and the State Library of Victoria. Enjoy a tasty lunch at Queen Victoria Market, stroll through the beautiful Carlton and Fitzroy Gardens, and learn about Melbourne's rich history and diverse community. This tour is a great way to meet new friends and get to know your new home. Wear comfortable shoes, bring your curiosity, and get ready to fall in love with Melbourne!



Register Here



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Campus Director , Associate Director of Student Administration and Experience (Level 2M)

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- Academic Services
- Student Experience & Engagement
- Orientation
- Graduation
- Enrolments
- Alumni & Careers
- Welfare & Safety
- Complaints & Grievances
- Critical Incident Issues



Jared Nathaniel

Industry Liaison, Careers and Alumni Officer (Level 2M)

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- Industry projects
- Internships
- Workshops
- Consultations
- Alumni relations
- Resume and cover letter checks



Kezia Collishaw, Mitchel Nguyen

Student Administration and Experience Officers (Level 2M)

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- OSHC
- Accommodation & Airport Pick Up
- Orientation
- Graduation
- Volunteer / Buddy Programs
- Events

People to Know



Christine Aldridge

Librarian Technician, Librarian (Level 3)

Ph: (03) 8600 6722

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- Referencing workshops
- Journal databases
- Borrowing, returning and renewing books



Caroline Tan

Receptionist (Level 2M)

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- Student Administration and Experience Enquiries



Kurt Zhang, Bipin Gurung, Prasanna Gunasekara

IT Officers (Level 3)

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E: servicedesk@mit.edu.au

- IT Accounts/Wi-Fi Related Enquiries
- Printing/photocopying Enquiries
- Software Support in Computer Labs



Helen Macmahon, Madeleine Aldridge, Krystal Liu, Iksha Mongia

Academic Services (Level 6)

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- Academic Consultations with Course Coordinators
- Special Consideration Applications





Wafaa Osman,

Enrolment Officers (Level 2M)

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- Enrolments
- Timetable Enquires
- Academic Transcripts & Completion letters
- CoE Extensions



Grace Zhou, Kushina Gurung

Finance Officers (Level 2)

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- Fee Payments
- Payment plans
- Refunds



Liam Gleeson, Sair Clarke, Ady Sliwka

Counselling and Advocacy Officers (Level 2M)

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- Personal Appointments
- Appeals
- Withdrawals
- Deferrals
- Health and Wellbeing Workshops



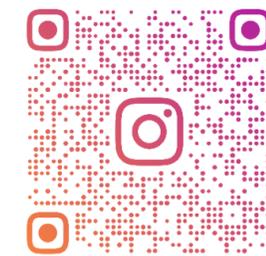
Damian Gauci

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- Mentoring Program
- MIT001
- The Assignment Consultation Centre



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