Dear Student

Welcome to Liberal Arts at Exeter and congratulations on securing your place! I should like to offer you a very warm welcome to the Liberal Arts degree programme. My colleagues and I are delighted that you will be joining us this September. You have done very well to get here, and we look forward to working with you over the next few years.

As part of the University’s Freshers’ Week students will be required to participate in the Colleges’ Day on **Tuesday 17 September.** Please come to **Room 316 in the Amory Building for 11:00 am** on the Tuesday, for the Liberal Arts welcome meeting. There will be a range of things to cover on Tuesday 17 September in preparation for the start of your studies, for example selecting your optional modules and meeting lecturers working on the programme, as well the opportunity to meet with personal tutors. Please keep checking the College of Humanities Freshers’ Week website for up to date information between now and your arrival at the University: [www.exeter.ac.uk/humanities/freshersweek](http://www.exeter.ac.uk/humanities/freshersweek).

Your first few days at University will inevitably be something of a ‘bits and pieces’ experience, with many preliminary things to do and people to see. It can feel a little unsettling and rather daunting but don’t worry!. You will soon settle into the pattern of work and life on the campus. Freshers’ Week should help you to find your feet, ready for the academic year to begin the following week.

Access to your University IT account will be available from Monday 23 August. Liberal Arts students are not required to make optional module selections ahead of their arrival, this will be covered on Tuesday 17 September as part of the welcome meeting.

All students studying on the Liberal Arts programme are part of the College of Humanities. There is a dedicated College of Humanities (abbreviated to CHUMS) Student Services Office serving all taught students in the College, which is situated on the ground floor of Queen’s Building. During the course of your studies you will receive emails and letters from the CHUMS Student Services Office concerning essential routine and also disciplinary matters. The Liberal Arts office for programme specific matters is located in the Amory Building, room 335.

More information about the College of Humanities can be found at <http://humanities.exeter.ac.uk/>

The University’s official mode of contact with you is through your University of Exeter email account. It is important to emphasize that this is our primary method of communication with you for the duration of your study here at Exeter. Please check your email daily.

If there is any way in which you think that we can help you before the Tuesday of Freshers’ Week. We look forward to seeing you in September.

With best wishes

Professor James Clark

Director, Liberal Arts