



# BALSILLIE SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

## Orientation

### AGENDA

September 6, 2024

Room 1-42

Time	PhD	MIPP	MAGG
8:30-9:00	Registration and refreshments		
9:00-9:05	Welcome Ann Fitz-Gerald, Director		
9:05-9:30	Opening remarks and Q&A Jim Balsillie, BSIA Founder		
9:30-9:45	About CIGI Paul Samson, President, CIGI		
9:45-10:00	Introductions and student opportunities at the BSIA Ann Fitz-Gerald, Director		
10:00-10:15	About the BSIA building Tiffany Bradley, Associate Director, Operations		
10:15-10:30	Sustainability Derek Hall, Global Climate Action Committee Chair		
10:30-11:00	Graduate Fellowship Information Session Andrew Thompson		
11:00-12:00	PhD mixer/ lunch (Room 123)	MIPP Information Session Alistair Edgar Colleen Loomis Maureen Ferraro (Room 142)	MAGG Information Session David Welch Andrew Thompson Rachael Gergely (Room 143)
12:00-12:30		Tour	Tour
12:30-13:00	Lunch (12:30-1:30)		
13:00-13:30	PhD and SSHRC Information Session David Welch Colleen Loomis Andrew Thompson (Room 143)		
13:30-16:00			

In addition to the Balsillie School orientation, students are encouraged to attend the orientation at their home institution on Tuesday, September 3, 2024

[Laurier Grad Studies Orientation Day](#) or [UW Grad Studies Orientation Day](#)

#### Photo day: Wednesday, September 25, 2024

MIPP class – 9:00-11:00am

PhD class – 11:15am-12:00pm

MAGG class – 12:15-2:15pm