

Freshman Orientation Programme 2023



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Welcome Message by Mr Liew Chin Chuan Director – School of Computing



Dear New Students,

I want to welcome each of you to the School of Computing (SoC).

This is a new exciting phase in your life where you will transit from being in a secondary school environment to being in an institute of higher learning. There will be no morning assemblies, no school uniform, no fixed school hours. You will shoulder more responsibilities in managing your time, your learning, and your peers. I believe most of you will have no problem adjusting to the new environment, the new way of learning, and find many new friends within the next few months. But if you do have issues, we have Personal Tutor assigned to you to help you along the way.

The world that you know today is fast changing, led by the pace of technological advancement and innovation. Your arrival in the School coincides with a time in which there is a call for Singapore's economy to transform itself through digital innovation. Our nation is set to aggressively develop capabilities in the field of AI, data analytics, cyber security, software and application development. This is the next lap for Singapore and you will play a pivotal role in this transformation process.

However, the pace of change in technology will never slow down and so is our learning. In your next 3 years with SoC, as you learn and pick up new skills, pay attention to understanding your own learning process and knowing the resources from which you can tap from. Your learning will not stop after you get your diploma and our job is make sure that you have the right skills and attitude to continue the lifelong learning journey.

While you seek to build your technical expertise, you should also be more curious in knowing the world around you. Read widely, be interested in the current affairs, changes in social trends, economic developments. Be involved in CCA, take up arts and sports activities. All these will help shape the way you look at the world, and in turn shape meaningful technology innovation for our society in return.

Once again, welcome to SoC!

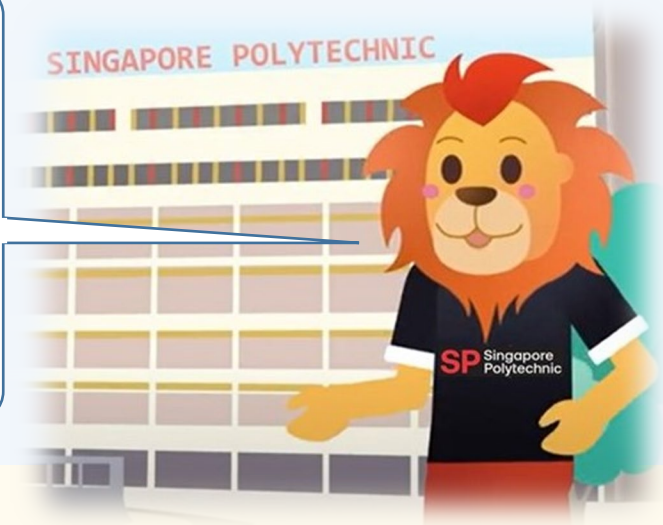
Director
Liew Chin Chuan

Dear freshman,

Welcome to SP! We have many activities in store to make your orientation more enjoyable and meaningful.

Have a wonderful FOP week! ☺

Psst... If you are lost, please approach our information booth located in front of SP Convention Centre (SPCC) for help.



Useful Information

- 1. Complete** the “Important things to do before coming to school” on the FOP webpage:
<https://www.sp.edu.sg/ccas/our-events/freshman-orientation-programme>
Remember to complete the modules in BrightSpace by their respective due date.
- 2. Dress code:** Tees, long pants/jeans, and covered shoes (compulsory for laboratory tours)
- 3. Things to bring:**
 - student matriculation card (you will need this for entry to SP)
 - simple stationery (e.g a pen)
 - [Calculator for validation purpose](#)
 - canned/dried food donation items for SP Cares
 - a sweater, if necessary (for air-conditioned places)
- 4. Read our Student Handbook** on the school rules:
<https://www.sp.edu.sg/sp/student-services/osc-overview/student-handbook>

CCA Carnival

Date: 11 to 13 April 2023

Time: 11am to 6pm

Venue: Food Court 5 foyer, Sports Arena (SPAR) Walkway and Rockwall Central Plaza, outside Student Development Office, Poly Centre

Visit our three-day CCA Carnival to explore the CCA booths and sign up for your most favourite CCA! Enrich your student life and make your time in SP memorable!
<https://www.sp.edu.sg/ccas/our-events/cca-carnival>

SP Cares

Date: 10 to 17 April 2023

Time: 9am to 6pm

Venue: SP Convention Centre (SPCC)

Please check your school programme for the date of your donation as a class.
<https://www.sp.edu.sg/ccas/our-events/sp-cares>

FO Cup

Date: 13 April 2023

Time: 2pm to 5pm

Venue: Multi-purpose field and SP swimming pool

A series of tele-match games to build camaraderie among freshmen. Do come down to support your school!



Diploma in Applied AI and Analytics (DAAA)

11 April 2023 (Tuesday)

Time	Activity	Class / Course Venue
8:45 am – 9:00 am	Registration & Collection of FO Packs. Report to the respective venues.	See below for all classes
9:00 am – 10:45 am	PT session, Director & Course Chair messages, Calculator Validation	
10:45 am – 1:00 pm	Lunch Break, Ice Breakers	
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Student Chapter Getting to know SoC Clubs & SIGs	
3:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Library Talk (DAAA 01 & 02)	
4:00 pm – 4:30 pm	Library Talk (DAAA 03 & 04)	

You will be guided to the venue according to your class. If you lost your way, give your course/class info to the student helpers and they will guide you along.

Class	Venue
DAAA/FT/1A/01	T2147
DAAA/FT/1A/02	T2012
DAAA/FT/1A/03	T2013
DAAA/FT/1A/04	T2142



Diploma in Applied AI and Analytics (DAAA)

12 April 2023 (Wednesday)

Time	Activity	Class / Course	Venue
11:00 am – 6:00 pm	CCA carnival (Strongly encouraged to visit)	Open for all to attend	Refer to Page 3.

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Diploma in Information Technology (DIT)

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1:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Student Chapter Getting to know SoC Clubs & SIGs	
3:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Library Talk (DIT 01 & 02)	
4:00 pm – 4:30 pm	Library Talk (DIT 03)	
4:30 pm – 5:00 pm	Library Talk (DIT 04 - 08)	

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Class	Venue
DIT/FT/1A/01	T2012
DIT/FT/1A/02	T2147
DIT/FT/1A/03	T2013
DIT/FT/1A/04	T2143
DIT/FT/1A/05	T2144
DIT/FT/1A/06	T2145
DIT/FT/1A/07	T2146
DIT/FT/1A/08	T2011



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Diploma in Security Management (DISM)

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10:45 am – 1:00 pm	Lunch Break, Ice Breakers	
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Student Chapter Getting to know SoC Clubs & SIGs	
3:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Library Talk (DISM 02 - 06)	
4:00 pm – 4:30 pm	Library Talk (DISM 01 & 06)	

You will be guided to the venue according to your class. If you lost your way, give your course/class info to the student helpers and they will guide you along.

Class	Venue
DISM/FT/1A/01	T2153
DISM/FT/1A/02	T2011
DISM/FT/1A/03	T2011
DISM/FT/1A/04	T2012
DISM/FT/1A/05	T2012
DISM/FT/1A/06	T2141



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Common IT Programme (DCITP)

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4:00 pm – 4:30 pm	Library Talk (Class 01 & 04)	
4:30 pm – 5:00 pm	Library Talk (Class 02, 05 - 08)	

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DCITP/FT/1A/01	T2142
DCITP/FT/1A/02	T2143
DCITP/FT/1A/03	T2013
DCITP/FT/1A/04	T2013
DCITP/FT/1A/05	T2144
DCITP/FT/1A/06	T2145
DCITP/FT/1A/07	T2146
DCITP/FT/1A/08	T2147



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About the School



The School of Computing (SoC) aims to be a significant contributor to Singapore's Digital Transformation journey by being the source of the next generation of digital champions.

To prepare aspiring IT professionals for the challenges ahead, SoC has put in place different avenues to nurture and develop students in a holistic manner.

This includes a suite of comprehensive IT programmes that lays a strong foundation for building deep skills in frontier technologies, the use of innovative teaching approaches and inspiring learning spaces, and immersive real world learning experiences.

Moving ahead, the school believes in preparing students to be future technology leaders as part of Singapore's Smart Nation Vision

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Getting to know SP

1. What is the acronym of my School?

School	Acronym
Media, Arts & Design School	MAD
School of Architecture & the Built Environment	ABE
School of Business	SB
School of Chemical & Life Sciences	CLS
School of Computing	SoC
School of Electrical & Electronic Engineering	EEE
Singapore Maritime Academy	SMA
School of Mechanical & Aeronautical Engineering	MAE
School of Mathematics & Science (Poly Foundation Programme)	MS (PFP)

Please click on > [School and Course Information](#) for more information.

2. What class am I in?

To find your class information, login to [Class Information](#) using your student account provided by SP.

Example of class information: **DIT/FT/1A/01**

Course Code/Full Time/Phase of Study/Class Number

3. Where do I go for my lesson?

Venue codes

LT = Lecture Theatre, e.g. LT4A

MLT = Main Lecture Theatre, e.g. MLT8

T = Teaching Block, e.g. T3A

W = Workshop, e.g. W5

Classroom and Office Location

Example 1: **T2142**

Location : Teaching Block **21**, Level **4**, Room **2**

Example 2: **T22511**

Location : Teaching Block **22**, Level **5**, Room **11**

Getting to know SP

4. Where is my School Admin Office?

ABE - T3A Level 4
CLS - T11A Level 6
EEE - T14 Level 7
SB - School of Business Building Level 7
SoC - T19 Level 4
SMA - T1A Level 7
MAD - T19 Level 4
MAE - T18 Level 6
MS - T7 Level 4

5. Where can I find information on IT Support and Services?

Please click on > [IT Support and Applications](#) and [IT Services](#) (SP Wireless, PC and Notebooks & Student Webmail).

IT Service hotline: 67721260

6. I am an international student, where can I find information and assistance to help me settle into life at SP?

Please click on > [Resource Information for International Students](#)

If you have further queries, you may visit the **Student Service Centre** at T16, Level 1 (near McDonalds).

7. Where can I find information on CCAs in SP?

For information on CCA, please click on > [CCA Information and Programmes](#)

If you have further queries, you may visit the **Dept. of Student Development** for assistance.

8. I need financial assistance for my studies, where can I find information or assistance?

Please click on > [Course Fees, Scholarships and Financial Assistance Schemes](#) for information.

If you need further assistance, you may visit the Student Service Centre at T16, Level 1 (near McDonalds), Tel: 6775 1133 or email: contactus@sp.edu.sg

9. What to eat at SP?

Click here > [Food & Retail](#) for a list of options.

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10. What sports and recreational facilities are available in SP?

Check out the following facilities to take a break from studies or to keep fit :

1. Swimming Pool
2. Gym@Pool
3. Tennis Courts
4. Badminton Courts
5. Squash Courts
6. Basketball Courts
7. Running Track
8. Pool Tables (Student Hub@Moberly)

For more information and booking procedures, please click on > [Sports Facilities](#)

Important Note:

Due to the pandemic situation, certain facilities might not be open for use and the guidelines on usage may change according to the situation.

11. Useful Web Links (Some services may require login using student account provided by SP)

- [Class Information](#)
- [School and Course Information](#)
- [CCA Information and Programmes](#)
- [Student Service Centre](#)
- [Resource Information for International Students](#)
- [IT Support and Applications](#)
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SP Campus Map



Route from MRT station to T20 and 21 building.
Follow the signages to reach SoC building

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