

Faculty of AgriSciences Welcoming Programme 2025

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COMPULSORY PROGRAMME FOR ALL AGRISCIENCE STUDENTS

- BSc Conservation Ecology, Food Science, Forestry & Viticulture and Oenology falls within the Faculty of AgriSciences. Students need to follow the Faculty of AgriSciences' programme (and not the Science Faculty programme).
- Students doing the BAgric programme offered by the Elsenburg Agricultural Training Institute follow the Elsenburg programme.
- The BAgric (Agri-business management) programme is a SU programme and students follow the Faculty of AgriSciences' programme.

All sessions are offered in-person and no online option is available. No recordings are made. **It is compulsory for all students to attend all sessions.**

Fakulteit AgriWetenskappe Verwelkomingsprogram 2025

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Alle navrae met betrekking tot die Fakulteit se Verwelkomingsprogram en akademiese aanbod kan aan Monika Basson gerig word.

VERPLIGTE PROGRAM VIR ALLE AGRIWETENSKAPPE STUDENTE

- Studente wat die programme BSc Bewaringsekologie, BSc Bosbou en Houtwetenskappe, BSc Voedselwetenskap en Wingerd- en Wynkunde volg, skakel in by die Verwelkomingsprogram van die Fakulteit AgriWetenskappe.
- Studente wat die BAgric-program, soos aangebied deur die Elsenburg Landbou-Opleiding Instituut volg, volg die Elsenburg program.
- Die BAgric (Agri-besigheidsbestuur) program is 'n US program, en studente volg die Fakulteit AgriWetenskappe program.

Alle sessies word in-persoon aangebied. Geen aanlyn opsie is beskikbaar nie. Geen opnames word gemaak nie. **Dit is verpligtend vir alle studente om alle sessies by te woon.**

THURSDAY 30 JANUARY 2025

14:00 – 16:00 Welcoming function for parents (no students)
Venue: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 1020

Parents are invited to meet the dean, lecturing and support staff from the faculty and visit departments. Booking required to manage venue capacity.
<https://forms.office.com/r/xTsYCd0wuP> (Bookings close Tuesday 28 January 2025).

DONDERDAG 30 JANUARIE 2025

14:00 – 16:00 Verwelkoming van ouers (geen studente)
Plek: Jan Mouton Sentrum, Lokaal 1020

Ouers word uitgenooi om die dekaan, doserende en ondersteuningspersoneel te ontmoet en departemente te besoek. Getalle benodig vir lokaalbesprekings.
<https://forms.office.com/r/xTsYCd0wuP> (Besprekings sluit 28 Januarie 2025).

STUDENT PROGRAMME | STUDENTE PROGRAM 30 JAN – 10 FEB 2025
COMPULSORY FOR ALL FIRST YEAR STUDENTS | VERPLIGTEND VIR ALLE EERSTEJAARSTUDENTE
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THURSDAY 30 JANUARY 2025	DONDERDAG 30 JANUARIE 2025
<p>14:00 – 16:00 Welcoming function for students (no parents) Venue: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 3010</p> <p>Students meet students! Get a first glimpse of the faculty through the eyes of current students. Please arrive at 13:45. Prompt start at 14:00.</p>	<p>14:00 – 16:00 Verwelkoming van studente (geen ouers) Plek: Jan Mouton Sentrum, Lokaal 3010</p> <p>Jou eerste verwelkoming tot die fakulteit! Ontmoet mede-studente en kry eerstehandse inligting oor wat jy kan verwag. Ons begin stiptelik 14:00. Wees asb betyds en arriveer vanaf 13:45.</p>
FRIDAY 31 JANUARY 2025	VRYDAG 31 JANUARIE 2025
<p>08:30 – 10:00 Compulsory Academic Orientation (All students*) Venue: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 3010</p> <p>* ECP students following the BAgric Agri-business Management ECP and BScAgric Agricultural Economics & Management ECP join EMS students at the <u>CGW Schumann Building</u>, Room 101 (08:30 – 10:00)</p>	<p>08:30 – 10:00 Verpligte Akademiese program (Alle studente*) Plek: Jan Mouton Sentrum, Lokaal 3010</p> <p>* VKP studente wat die BAgric Agri-besigheidsbestuur VKP en BScAgric Landbou-ekonomiese Analise en Bestuur VKP volg, skakel in by EBW studente in die <u>CGW Schumanngebou</u>, Lokaal 101 (08:30 – 10:00)</p>
<p>10:15 – 12:30 Academic Orientation (All students*) continues Venue: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 3010</p> <p>* ECP students following the BAgric Agri-business Management ECP and BScAgric Agricultural Economics & Management ECP join Agri-students at the <u>Jan Mouton Centre</u>, Room 3010 for this session.</p>	<p>10:15 – 12:30 Akademiese program (Alle studente*) gaan voort Plek: Jan Mouton Sentrum, Lokaal 3010</p> <p>* VKP studente wat die BAgric Agri-besigheidsbestuur VKP en BScAgric Landbou-ekonomiese Analise en Bestuur VKP volg, sluit aan by Agri-studente in die <u>Jan Mouton Sentrum</u>, Lokaal 3010 vir hierdie sessie.</p>
<p>14:00 – 15:00 Compulsory session for ALL AgriScience ECP students (irrespective of programme) Venue: JS Marais Building, Room 1002</p>	<p>14:00 – 15:00 Verpligte sessie vir ALLE AgriWetenskap VKP studente (ongegag program) Plek: JS Maraisgebou, Lokaal 1002</p>

MONDAY 3 FEBRUARY 2025	MAANDAG 3 FEBRUARIE 2025
<p>08:15 – 09:45 Compulsory Academic Orientation (All students): Unpacking your programme Venue: According to programme you study</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Agricultural Economics: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 1020 - Animal Science: Mike de Vries Building, Room 2002 - Conservation Ecology: JS Marais Building, Room 3028 - Food Science: Food Science Building, Room 4008 - Forestry: Paul Sauer Building, Foyer - Plant & Soil Sciences: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 3010 - Wine & Grape Sciences: JH Neethling Building, Room 1027 	<p>08:15 – 09:45 Verpligte Akademiese program (Alle studente): Verstaan jou program Plek: Skakel in by jou program</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Landbou-Ekonomie: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 1020 - Veekunde: Mike de Vries gebou, Lokaal 2002 - Bewaringsekologie: JS Maraisgebou, Lokaal 3028 - Voedselwetenskappe: Voedselwetenskappe gebou, Lokaal 4008 - Bosbou: Paul Sauer, Ingangsportaal - Plant- & Grondwetenskappe: Jan Mouton Sentrum, Lokaal 3010 - Wingerd- en Wynwetenskappe: JH Neethling Gebou, Lokaal 1027
<p>10:00 – 12:00 Registration* Venue: NARGA, Northern entrance, Admin A</p> <p>* This in-person registration option is only for students who did not manage to e-register or students who wish to change their programme or focal area.</p>	<p>10:00 – 12:00 Registrasie* Venue: NARGA, Noordelike ingang, Admin A</p> <p>* Hierdie in-persoon registrasie opsie, is slegs vir studente wat nie kon e-registreer en studente wat van program of fokosarea wil verander.</p>
<p>13:00 – 14:00 AgriCONNECT Venue: JS Marais Building, Foyer</p> <p>Join the AgriScience Student Association (ASA) & support staff and <i>CONNECT</i>. Ask any question, catch up on anything you might have missed or join us for a friendly chat and to introduce yourself.</p>	<p>13:00 – 14:00 AgriCONNECT Plek: JS Maraisgebou, Voorportaal</p> <p>Sluit aan by die AgriWetenskappe Studente Assosiasie (ASA) en ondersteuningspersoneel en <i>CONNECT</i>. Vra al jou vrae, vang op met enigiets wat jy moontlik gemis het of sluit aan vir 'n geselsie en vertel ons wie jy is.</p>
<p>14:00 – 17:00 Get your Tech ready session* Venue: Natural Sciences (NARGA H), Room 3011</p> <p>14:00 – 15:30 Surnames A – L 15:30 – 17:00 Surnames M – Z</p> <p>* COMPULSORY for all students.</p> <p>Find answers to general questions at: https://tech.sun.ac.za/faq</p>	<p>14:00 – 17:00 Wees tegnologie gereed* Plek: Natuurwetenskappe gebou (NARGA H), Lokaal 3011</p> <p>14:00 – 15:30 Vanne A – L 15:30 – 17:00 Vanne M – Z</p> <p>* VERPLIGTEND vir alle studente</p> <p>Vir antwoorde op algemene vrae, besoek https://tech.sun.ac.za/faq</p>

TUESDAY 4 FEBRUARY 2025	DINSDAG 4 FEBRUARIE 2025
<p>08:30 – 12:30 Compulsory Academic Orientation (All students*) ReadTheory, Student / Study support & student success Venue: Afrikaans: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 3010 English: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 3013</p> <p>* Wood and Wood Products Science students will do their computer registration at FIRGA, Mechanical & Mechatronic Building (11:30 – 12:30)</p>	<p>08:30 – 12:30 Verpligte Akademiese program (Alle studente*) ReadTheory, Studente / studie ondersteuning & studentesukses Plek: Afrikaans: Jan Mouton Sentrum, Lokaal 3010 English: Jan Mouton Sentrum, Lokaal 3013</p> <p>*Hout en Houtprodukkunde studente doen rekenaar registrasie (11:30 – 12:30) by FIRGA, Meganiese en Magatroniese Ingenieurswese gebou</p>
<p>13:00 – 14:00 AgriCONNECT Venue: JS Marais Building, Foyer</p> <p>Join the AgriSciences Student Association (ASA) & support staff and <i>CONNECT</i>. Ask any question, catch up on anything you might have missed or join us for a friendly chat and to introduce yourself.</p>	<p>13:00 – 14:00 AgriCONNECT Plek: JS Maraisgebou, Voorportaal</p> <p>Sluit aan by die AgriWetenskappe Studente Assosiasie (ASA) en ondersteuningspersoneel en <i>CONNECT</i>. Vra al jou vrae, vang op met enigiets wat jy moontlik gemis het of sluit aan vir 'n geselsie en vertel ons wie jy is.</p>
<p>14:00 – 15:30 Preparing for Academic Success *Compulsory for all students Venue: According to preferred language</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Afrikaans: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 3010 - English: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 3013 - IsiXhosa: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 1020 	<p>14:00 – 15:30 Vorbereiding tot akademiese sukses *Verpligtend vir alle studente Plek: Volgens taalvoorkeur</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Afrikaans: Jan Mouton Sentrum, lokaal 3010 - Engels: Jan Mouton Sentrum, lokaal 3013 - IsiXhosa: Jan Mouton Sentrum, lokaal 1020

Wednesday programme continues...

Woensdag program volg...

WEDNESDAY 5 FEBRUARY 2025	WOENSDAG 5 FEBRUARIE 2025
<p>08:00 – 13:00 Experimental Farm Visit (all students*) Venue: Meet at Agronomy Department at Welgevallen Experimental Farm (close to Coetzenburg)</p> <p>A fun-filled morning to get to know various fields within the applied sciences, to meet fellow students, to engage in an informal manner with lecturers and to see what our programmes are all about. Please wear comfortable clothes and walking (closed-toe) shoes. The day ends with a (free) boerie-braai.</p> <p>* Wood and Wood Products Science students (excluding ECP students) follow a different programme but join all students (12:00) for the boerie-braai at Welgevallen Experimental Farm. See below.</p>	<p>08:00 – 13:00 Welgevallen Proefplaasbesoek (alle studente*) Plek : Ontmoet by Departement Agronomie by Welgevallen Proefplaas (naby aan Coetzenburg)</p> <p>Die hoogtepunt op die Agri-Verwelkomingsprogram agenda! Leer ken die verskillende omgewings binne agriwetenskappe, ontmoet jou dosente, maak nuwe vriende en geniet 'n opggend op die plaas. Dra asb gemaklike klere en toe skoene. Die middag word afgesluit met 'n (gratis) boerie-braai.</p> <p>* Hout- en Houtprodukkunde studente (VKP studente uitgesluit) volg 'n afsonderlike program, maar sluit aan (12:00) vir gratis boerie-braai op Welgevallen. Sien onder.</p>
<p>* Wood and Wood Product Sciences students programme for Wednesday 5 February (excluding ECP students). Join Engineering students at the Civil Engineering Building, Room TBC. English group.</p> <p>ENGLISH STUDENTS:</p> <p>09:00 – 09:30 Applied Mathematics 09:30 – 10:00 Engineering Mathematics 10:00 – 10:30 Engineering Chemistry BREAK 11:00 – 11:30 Engineering Drawings</p> <p>Meet current Forestry students in front of the General Engineering building after the session and walk together to Welgevallen.</p> <p>12:00 FREE Boerie-Braai at Welgevallen Experimental Farm</p>	<p>*Hout en Houtprodukkunde studente program vir Woensdag 5 Februarie (uitgesluit VKP studente). Skakel in by Ingenieursprogram in die Siviele Ingenieursgebou, lokaal sal bevestig word. Afrikaanse groep.</p> <p>AFRIKAANS STUDENTE:</p> <p>09:00 – 09:30 Ingenieurswiskunde 09:30 – 10:00 Toegepaste Wiskunde 10:00 – 10:30 Ingenieurstekeninge BREEK 11:00 – 11:30 Ingenieurschemie</p> <p>Ontmoet huidige Bosbou studente voor die Algemene Ingenieursgebou na afloop van die sessie en stap saam na Welgevallen.</p> <p>12:00 GRATIS Boerie-Braai op Welgevallen Proefplaas</p>
<p>14:00 – 16:00 Academic Orientation for ECP students* Venue: Natural Sciences Building, Room 2020</p> <p>* Excluding ECP students following the BAgri Agri-business Management ECP and BScAgric Agricultural Economics & Management ECP</p>	<p>14:00 – 16:00 Akademiese oriëntering vir VKP studente* Plek: Natuurwetenskappe gebou, lokaal 2020</p> <p>* Uitgesluit studente wat die BAgri Agri-besigheidsbestuur VKP en BScAgric Landbou-ekonomiese Analise en Bestuur VKP volg</p>

THURSDAY 6 FEBRUARY 2025	DONDERDAG 6 FEBRUARIE 2025
<p>08:00 – 10:00 Faculty Benchmark Test * Venue: HUMARGA, Arts & Social Sciences Building, Room 314</p> <p>* Compulsory SU test for all students except ECP and BDat Science students</p>	<p>08:00 – 10:00 Fakulteit maatstaf (Benchmark) Toets* Plek: HUMARGA, Lettere & Sosiale Wetenskappe Gebou, Lokaal 314</p> <p>*Verpligte US toets vir alle studente uitgesluit VKP en BDat Wetenskap studente</p>
<p>13:00 – 13:30 AgriCONNECT Venue: JS Marais Building, Foyer</p> <p>Join the AgriScience Student Association (ASA) & support staff and <i>CONNECT</i>. Ask any question, catch up on anything you might have missed or join us for a friendly chat and to introduce yourself.</p>	<p>13:00 – 13:30 AgriCONNECT Plek: JS Maraisgebou, Voorportaal</p> <p>Sluit aan by die AgriWetenskappe Studente Assosiasie (ASA) en ondersteuningspersoneel en <i>CONNECT</i>. Vra al jou vrae, vang op met enigiets wat jy moontlik gemis het of sluit aan vir 'n geselsie en vertel ons wie jy is.</p>
<p>14:00 – 16:00 Be Monday Ready* – unpacking your timetable, semester, assessments & lecture venues Venue: English: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 2011 Afrikaans: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 2010</p> <p>* For any student who needs assistance in getting ready for when classes start on Monday 10 February 2025</p>	<p>14:00 – 16:00 Wees Maandag gereed* – verstaan jou rooster, jou semester, assessering & jou klasse Plek: English: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 2011 Afrikaans: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 2010</p> <p>* Vir alle studente wat nog hulp nodig het en onseker is oor hoe Maandag 10 Februarie gaan uitspeel.</p>

Friday programme continues...

Vrydag program volg...

FRIDAY 7 FEBRUARY 2025	VRYDAG 7 FEBRUARIE 2025
<p>09:00 – 11:00 Be Monday Ready* – unpacking your timetable, semester, lecture venues & make sense of assessments</p> <p>Venue: English: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 2011 Afrikaans: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 2010</p> <p><small>* For any student who needs assistance in getting ready for when classes start on Monday 10 February 2025</small></p>	<p>09:00 – 11:00 Wees Maandag gereed* – verstaan jou rooster, jou semester, jou klasse & hoe assessering werk</p> <p>Plek: English: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 2011 Afrikaans: Jan Mouton Centre, Room 2010</p> <p><small>* Vir alle studente wat nog hulp nodig het en onseker is oor hoe Maandag 10 Februarie gaan uitspeel.</small></p>
<p>09:00 Be Monday Ready – Wood and Wood Products students only</p> <p>Venue: FIRGA (Mechanical & Mechatronic Building)</p>	<p>09:00 Wees Maandag gereed – slegs Hout- en Houtprodukkunde studente</p> <p>Plek: FIRGA (Meganiese & Megatroniese Ingenieurswese Gebou)</p>

THURSDAY 20 FEBRUARY 2025	DONDERDAG 20 FEBRUARIE 2025
<p>17:00 – 20:00 AGRI KICK OFF FIRST YEAR FEAST</p> <p>Venue: Grass area in front of Lombardi Building</p> <p><small>An informal event where students meet students. Enjoy the music, grab a free boerie, a drink and connect with fellow students after your first week at Stellies.</small></p>	<p>17:00 – 20:00 AGRI AFSKOPFEES</p> <p>Plek: Grasperk voor die Lombardi gebou</p> <p><small>’n Informele geleentheid vir studente om na die eerste week van klasse weer op te vang met mekaar. Geniet die musiek, smul aan ’n (gratis) boerie, kry iets om te drink en <i>connect</i> met mede-studente.</small></p>

Updated: 29 November 2024