



**CHRIST**  
UNIVERSITY  
BANGALORE, INDIA

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## INTERNATIONAL OFFICE



### **THE INTERNATIONAL OFFICE TEAM**

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## **Services:**

- Dissemination of information regarding the courses offered by the University among the international students community;
- Providing guidance and advise in person and by mail to all interested applicants and their parents regarding course content, eligibility criteria and admission procedures;
- Arranging conducted tours of various sections of the University campus for interested candidates and their parents and groups of visiting international students;
- Assisting and guiding the selected candidates in preparing to arrive in India, finalise admission procedures, obtaining student visas from Indian embassies, arrange transit accommodation on arrival etc;
- Assisting and guiding newly admitted students in settling down, securing private accommodation and for this evolve and maintain a databank on availability of suitable hostel, paying guest accommodation facilities for foreign students;
- Providing guidance to newly arrived foreign students in registration with the local Foreigners Registration Office, obtaining and extending residential permits/students visas etc;
- Conducting orientation programmes for the newly arrived foreign students about Indian culture and way of life, campus facilities and tips on studying and living in India including procedure to obtain medical insurance, health facilities, emergency services etc;
- Organising monthly meetings for all foreign students to enable them to meet one another, exchange ideas, plan special activities etc;
- Bringing out 'Rainbow' an exclusive quarterly newsletter for and by international students, information and publicity bulletins etc;
- Motivating foreign students to participate in curricular and extra-curricular activities like games and sports, cultural presentations, social service activities etc organized by various university departments and centers and make them an integral part of the university campus;
- Periodically studying the academic and personal problems faced by foreign students and organizing remedial measures like special courses/classes in English language and other subjects concerned;
- Organise the International Students Day and encourage foreign students to involve in the welfare activities organized by the Indian Council for Cultural Relations, Federation of International Students Association, Bangalore and the Students Hospitality organization and;
- Provide guidance to passing out foreign students in planning their future careers/further studies and involve them in the activities of Alumni Association.





### **1. Library System:**

**The Christ University Library system** with five specialized library centers in two campuses houses more than 250,000 books, 600 periodicals, 27 newspapers, 500CDs and DVDs and subscribes to 15 on –line databases with campus – wide access and have more than 250 Computer terminals to facilitate access to the digital world. Libraries are open from 0800 to 2100hrs on all working days (Monday to Saturday).



### **2. Free Internet Access:**

Every student is given a **Christ University email ID** with a 7 GB space. Students can use their register member and attendance password to access the internet, check their attendance and progress report, download hall tickets and print marks cards. The website also has on – line application forms, campus radio, calendar and webmail which are hosted from local servers on the Campus.

Foreign students have free access to internet services at the Computer Lab (from 0900 to 1600hrs) MCA Computer Lab II Block, First floor.



### **3. The Christ University Hospitality Service System**

consists of Jonas Hall a 300 – capacity hostel for girl students inside the main campus, Boys hostel in A,B,C,D Blocks for about 260 students situated close to the Main campus, accommodation for about one thousand boys at Devadan Hall and for about 200 girl students at the Kengeri Campus and more than 25 restaurants and eateries at Ivy Hall (Auditorium Block), Gourmet (Central Block) and Lake View Café (Kengeri Campus), the campus store and Book and Reprographic stores.

### **4. Health Support Services**

Five multi – gym fitness centers separately for men and women at both the campuses, ample games and sports facilities, counselling centre with ten professionally trained counsellors, doctor – on campus, three prayer halls for silent prayer and reflection, etc make up the Health and wellbeing support system of the University. Campus Doctor Dr Asha Pinto is available for consultation everyday (Mon to Friday) between 9am to 2pm at room 119, Central Block.

### **5. Every Friday evening Cultural Programme:**

Foreign Students are specially welcome at the every friday cultural evening programmes held at 6:30 pm at Yvanika, State Youth Centre, Nrupatunga Road, Bangalore – 560 001. (Near State Reserve Bank of India)

Cards /Details are available at the International Office.



**6. Federation of International Student Associations, Bangalore (F.I.S.A.B)**

To meet foreign students studying in other institutions and nationals from your own country, you are advised to be in close touch with F.I.S.A-.B who together with ICCR organizes various activities for foreign students.

Address: F.I.S.A.B  
C/o ICCR  
26/3B, Sankey Road cross,  
Bangalore – 560052.

**7. International Students Hospitality Organization. (ISHO)**

ISHO organizes get together with local families, awards Kanthula Prizes to meritorious International students and celebrates Indian festivals like Deepavali. It also conducts Indian language courses for the benefit of foreign students studying in Bangalore. They also have an interesting website on Bangalore full of useful information for foreign students. You may visit them, especially on a Saturday, at the following

Address: I.S.H.O – “RAVSHAN” Ground Floor,  
Ashley Road, Brunton Road Cross, Off MG Road,  
Bangalore - 560 025.

**Contact person:** Mr. K Ravi Shankar, Co coordinator.

Telephone: 98450-21434 / 25550221.

Email: isho.inka@gmail.com / kayares@gmail.com.

Website: www.ishoinka.org

- 8. Police Registration:** All students with foreign passports (except those from Nepal and Bhutan) have to register with the police within 14 days (in case of Afghanistan and Bangladesh within 7 days) of their arrival in India along with their students visa, bonafide certificate from the university and residential address proof at the following address:

**Main Campus Students**

Foreigners Regional Registration Officer,  
Bureau of Immigration,  
(M.H.A) Government of India,  
TTMC A Block, 5th floor, BMTC Bus Stand Building,  
K. H. Road, Shanthinagara  
Bangalore - 560027

**Contact Persons:** Asst. FRRO, Intelligence

Tel: 080-22218183/ 080-22218195, Fax: 080-22218196

Email: frroblr-ka@nic.in

**Kengeri Campus Students:**

Superintendent of Police, RamNagara

Contact Person: Special branch, Ramnagara

Tel: 080-27273777

Email: deo.ramanagar@gmail.com



## List of International Student Representatives 2014-15

SL.NO	NAME	NATIONALITY	PHONE NO	MAIL ID	Course	Countries Represented
1	Mr. Abakar Sougui Chidimi	Chad	9535010874	Abakarscott7@gmail.com	3 <sup>rd</sup> BCA	Chad, Ethiopia, France, Gabon, Vietnam
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3	Mr. Aye N' Takpe Jaures	Ivory Coast	7406039836	jauresaye@gmail.com	1 <sup>st</sup> B. Sc (CME)	Ivory Coast, Sudan, South Africa
4	Miss. Baguma Ahadi Zezi	D R Congo	9738798864	bagumaahadi@gmail.com	1 <sup>st</sup> BBA (T)	D. R Congo, Mongolia, Malta, Namibia
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6	Miss. Jyotsna Gautam	Nepal	9742863655	gautamjyotsna@gmail.com	2 <sup>nd</sup> BBM	Nepal, Rwanda, Spain, Singapore
7	Miss. Karisma Kishan. J	Malaysia	8861760106	jkarismakishan@gmail.com	2 <sup>nd</sup> B. A (PEP)	Malaysia, Congo B, Madagascar, Mozambique
8	Miss. Raushan Aminath	Maldives	8861669040	rautiion@gmail.com	3 <sup>rd</sup> B. A (HEP)	Maldives, Afghanistan, Angola, Australia
9	Miss. Ruchika Beri	U. K	9742835343	rberi_29@yahoo.com	2 <sup>nd</sup> B. Com (T)	U. K, Libya, Mauritania, Mauritius
10	Mr. Samuel Magaisa	Zimbabwe	8197596783	sammimagaisa@gmail.com	2 <sup>nd</sup> (EPS)	Zimbabwe, Netherlands, Nigeria, Portugal
11	Mr. Supphakon Damrongkitkanwong	Thailand	7259934490	Supphakon_pk@hotmail.com	3 <sup>rd</sup> BA (EPS)	Thailand, Indonesia, Iran, Ireland
12	Mr. Tata Langhee Nginyu Carlson	Cameroon	9916794066	carlsonata@yahoo.co.uk	2 <sup>nd</sup> M. Sc (A S)	Cameroon, Austria, Bahrain, Bangladesh
13	Mr. Tejeshwinath Bhattarai	Nepal	9880408906	tejeshwib@hotmail.com	3 <sup>rd</sup> B. A (EPS)	Nepal, Benin, Canada, USA
14	Miss. Tsering Choedon	Tibet	9916784064	virgchoegal@yahoo.co.in	1 <sup>st</sup> M. Com (B)	Tibet, Poland, Philippines, New Zealand
15	Ms. Yeseul Im	Republic of Korea	9900349277	Pse5675@hanmail.net	1 <sup>st</sup> BBA (T)	Korea, Bhutan, Tanzania



Abakar Sougui Chidimi



Ashish Limbu



Aye N' Takpe Jaures



Baguma Ahadi Zezi



Dinesh Singh Mahat



Jyotsna Gautam



Karisma Kishan J



Raushan Aminath



Ruchika Beri



Samuel Magaisa



Supphakon



Tata Langhee



Tejeshwinath



Tsering Choedon



Yeseul Im

**Countrywise Details of International Students – as on 1<sup>st</sup> July 2014 (2014 – 2015)**

<b>Sl. No</b>	<b>Country</b>	<b>Number of students</b>	<b>Sl. No</b>	<b>Country</b>	<b>Number of students</b>
1	Afghanistan	7	29	Mauritania	3
2	Angola	3	30	Mauritius	2
3	Australia	1	31	Madagascar	4
4	Austria	2	32	Malaysia	5
5	Bahrain	1	33	Mozambique	2
6	Bangladesh	3	34	Mongolia	1
7	Benin	3	35	Malta	1
8	Bhutan	5	36	Namibia	1
9	Cameroon	5	37	Nepal	106
10	Canada	7	38	Netherlands	1
11	Chad	6	39	New Zealand	1
12	China	5	40	Nigeria	13
13	Central Africa	1	41	Portugal	1
14	Congo B	2	42	Poland	1
15	D. R. Congo	38	43	Philippines	2
16	Eritrea	1	44	Rwanda	3
17	Ethiopia	6	45	South Korea	29
18	France	5	46	South Africa	1
19	Gabon	3	47	Spain	1
20	Indonesia	3	48	Sri Lanka	12
21	Iran	2	49	Singapore	1
22	Ireland	1	50	Tanzania	7
23	Italy	2	51	Thailand	24
24	Ivory Coast	19	52	Tibet	78
25	Japan	1	53	U K	7
26	Kenya	5	54	U. S. A	30
27	Libya	1	55	Vietnam	2
28	Maldives	13	56	Zimbabwe	58
				<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>548</b>