

Organization	Chi Alpha International Student Ministry	
Website	www.smuchialpha.com/internationals	
Address	819 Firestone Ln, Richardson, TX 75080	
Contact 1	Mandy Pathak	Phone: 817-266-1156 e-mail: mandyathak@gmail.com
Contact 2	Vinnie Mosquera	Phone: 214-402-6670 e-mail: mosquera@smu.edu
Resources	Various sources	
Remarks	We're here to love and serve international students in whatever ways we can!	

What	Free Furniture Day
When	Once in fall (last week of August), Once in Spring (last week of Jan)
Where	Local International student apartments
Description	Chi Alpha will try to help you get settled here in the US, by bringing a moving truck full of mattresses, desks, tables, etc, for new internationals each semester. Furniture is picked out and sorted, and then carried in to individual apartments near campus. Contact Mandy Pathak at 817-266-1156 mandyathak@gmail.com .

What	Free rides
When	Mostly at the beginning of each semester, and intermittently throughout the semester
Where	Walmart, ethnic grocery stores, DMV, etc
Description	Chi Alpha helps provide rides to local ethnic grocery stores and Walmart for internationals throughout the semester. The trips at the beginning of each semester are announced to the international community, and rides during the semester are scheduled based upon need. Contact Mandy Pathak at 817-266-1156 mandyathak@gmail.com .

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What	English Tutoring and classes
When	Tuesday evenings (subject to change each semester)
Where	Hughes Trigg Student Center
Description	Improve your English in a 6-week free course, and make new friends! Contact Patricia Bradley at 214-755-1826.

What	Temporary Housing assistance
When	The first couple of weeks before each semester starts
Where	Where needed
Description	We help to find temporary housing arrangements with other students or local families at the beginning of each semester. Contact Mandy Pathak at 817-266-1156 mandypathak@gmail.com .

What	Dinner and Discussion Group
When	Monday Nights at 7:30pm (subject to change each semester)
Where	3454 Shenandoah
Description	Enjoy a free homecooked dinner at an American home, and discuss current events, and philosophical issues with internationals from all beliefs and backgrounds! Contact Mandy Pathak at 817-266-1156 mandypathak@gmail.com or Paula Walvoord at 469-569-4446.

What	Friday Lunch Bunch
When	Fridays at 12:30 (subject to change each semester).
Where	The varsity
Description	Free pizza lunch provided, first come first served, and a chance just to hang out with other internationals and Americans and discuss upcoming events and outings. Contact Mandy Pathak at 817-266-1156 mandypathak@gmail.com or Paula Walvoord at 469-569-4446.

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What	Interview and Resume Coaching
When	As needed
Where	
Description	We have several friends who have experience in the local engineering industries who are available to give career guidance and coaching as needed. Contact Shomik Pathak/Aditya Koparde through Mandy Pathak at 817-266-1156 mandyathak@gmail.com .

What	Worship Night
When	Tuesdays at 8pm
Where	Hughes Trigg Atrium
Description	Weekly worship, fellowship, and teaching from the Bible, open to everyone. Contact Mandy Pathak at 817-266-1156 mandyathak@gmail.com or Vinnie Mosquera at 214-402-6670.

What	International Dinners
When	TBA
Where	TBA
Description	Chi Alpha hosts various outings within the metroplex each semester, including trips to the state fair, rodeo, and more! Contact Mandy Pathak at 817-266-1156 mandyathak@gmail.com .

What	Trips
When	Fall break and Easter break
Where	
Description	Each semester we host a trip to various locations. The fall trip is a camping adventure, and the spring trip is a chance to visit a new city. Contact Mandy Pathak at 817-266-1156 mandyathak@gmail.com .

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What	Free phone cards
When	Beginning of each semester
Where	Welcome Fair and one on one meetings
Description	Chi Alpha provides a free calling card for new internationals to call home and help get adjusted when they first arrive in the US. Contact Mandy Pathak at 817-266-1156 mandypathak@gmail.com .

What	Special holiday events
When	Various holidays
Where	Varies
Description	We provide traditional American holiday experiences for internationals, including Thanksgiving dinner, a Christmas calendar of events, Easter fun, Super bowl party, and more! Contact Mandy Pathak at 817-266-1156 mandypathak@gmail.com .

What	Emergency help
When	
Where	
Description	You never know when tragedy or difficulty will strike, and sometimes it's difficult to know what to do on these occasions when you're in a foreign land. Are you sick and need a ride to the doctor? Did you lose a family member back home and need comfort? Did your car break down? You can always call on us during your time of need. Contact Mandy Pathak at 817-266-1156 mandypathak@gmail.com .

What	Investigative Bible study
When	Tuesdays at 6:30pm
Where	Javacity (time and place subject to change)
Description	If you don't know anything about the Bible or Christianity, but are curious to hear what it's all about and what Christians believe, then this is a perfect group for you! All are welcomed. Contact Mary Jane Fandrigh at 917-536-5122 or Mandy Pathak at 817-266-1156 mandypathak@gmail.com .

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What	In-depth Bible studies
When	Varies
Where	Varies
Description	We have weekly more in-depth Bible studies that meet for both guys and girls, and people with different interests and time schedules. Come see where you best fit in! Contact Veronica Davis vdavis@smu.edu or Mandy Pathak at 817-266-1156 mandyathak@gmail.com .

What	Community Service
When	TBA
Where	TBA
Description	We like to help our local and national charities and causes, and give others the opportunities to join! We've done everything from hurricane relief, to helping slum children in third world countries, so contact us to find out how you can help! Contact Mandy Pathak at 817-266-1156 mandyathak@gmail.com .

What	International Online Bulletin board
When	Ongoing
Where	Online
Description	Need to find a roommate? Trying to sell your furniture? Post it on the Chi Alpha international student mailing list! Just send me an email, or visit www.smuchialpha.com/internationals . Contact Mandy Pathak at 817-266-1156 mandyathak@gmail.com .

Organization	International Friendship Program – IFP	
Website	www.ifpsmu.org	
Address	Highland Park Presbyterian Church 3821 University Boulevard, Dallas, TX 75205	
Contact 1	Kraig Kelly	Phone: 214-525-4210 e-mail: kraig.kelly@hppc.org
Contact 2		Phone: e-mail: ifp@hppc.org
Resource	Volunteers who are interested in sharing a meaningful relationship with students	
Remarks	Friendship is an organic relationship. Most other relationships on earth are based on, “performance acceptance,” “agendas/tasks,” or “qualifications” from one degree to another. The IFP works to facilitate cross-cultural friendships of unconditional acceptance with Americans and International Students.	

What	Free Airport Pickup for International Students arriving in Dallas for the First Time
When	When students first arrive in Dallas
Where	DFW Airport
Description	International Students who are arriving in Dallas for the <u>first time</u> can request that they be picked up at DFW Airport. Students will be taken to a dorm on campus or to an address off campus. Students must have the address of the place where they will be staying their first time in order to be picked up at the airport. Please submit the request through our website, www.ifpsmu.org .

What	Partnership with local American friend or family
When	After student submits application requesting a partner through our website, www.ifpsmu.org
Where	
Description	This is an opportunity to get to know a local American friend or family, for a cultural exchange and to build a lifelong friendship. You may have dinner with your American family in their home, go on various outings with their family or just have someone to call when you have questions or need help in acclimating to your new home here in Dallas.

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What	Collaboration
When	January, February, August, September, October
Where	SMU Campus
Description	Assist the International Office, Chi-Alfa and the International Student Body in welcoming and orienting students to SMU and the DFW area Assist International Student Body in selected holiday events and festivities.

What	Holiday Celebration
When	Selected Holidays
Where	SMU, HPPC (Highland Park Presbyterian Church), or American Partner homes
Description	Facilitate personal invitations for students to enter American homes to celebrate local holidays.

Organization	<i>International Student Fellowship - JSF</i>	
Website		
Address	9215 San Fernando Way, Dallas TX 75218	
Contact 1	Derrah Jackson	Phone: 214-477-6609 e-mail: derrahjack@aol.com
Resources	Relationships with student and help however we can on an as-needed basis for each student	

What	Conversational English Help
When	Tuesday nights – 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.
Where	Hughes Trigg Student Center
Description	Both general and personal help with idioms and pronunciation

What	Overnight Ranch Visit and Camping Trip
When	Oct 3-4, 2009
Where	Stephenville Texas
Description	Depart SMU 9:45 a.m. Saturday and return 6:00 p.m. Sunday. Register by contacting Derrah Jackson at derrahjack@aol.com or jacksond@smu.edu

SMU Department	Office of the Chaplain and Religious Life	
Website	http://smu.edu/chaplain	
Address	Hughes Trigg, third floor, suite 316	
Contact	Rev. Ed Volfe (liaison to int'l students)	Phone: 214-768-4504 e-mail: evolfe@smu.edu
	Rev. Dr. Steve Rankin (Chaplain and Minister to the University)	Phone: 214-768-4507 e-mail: rankins@smu.edu
	Dr. Judy Henneberger (Associate Chaplain)	Phone: 214-768-4505 e-mail: jhennebe@smu.edu
	Betty McHone (Coordinator)	Phone: 214-768-4502 e-mail: bmchone@smu.edu
Resources	Several sources	
Remarks	In our Office we are about hospitality, community, pastoral presence, service, education, spiritual guidance, vocation and discernment, and much more. Stop by! We would like to meet you and journey with you in your life as a student.	