THE TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY'S BUDDY NETWORK (BN) Information for incoming students

The Buddy Network is an orientation and support service for incoming international students, run by the International Relations Office of the Technical University of Cluj-Napoca (TUC-N).

A group of enthusiastic students from the TUC-N volunteer their time to assist incoming international students to adapt to the social, academic and cultural life while studying in their university.

An international student is matched with a local student (local buddy) who will help with integration in the university's community. Whenever possible international students are matched with local students doing the same studies.

Local buddies can assist incoming students in practical, everyday situations such as:

- overcoming language barriers by interpreting and translating necessary information upon arrival at the university,
- opening a bank account and finding a relevant service/ department/ institution;
- getting to know the university's premises and campus;
- joining students' organizations, sports or cultural clubs.

They can also advise and provide help with studying and preparing for exams.

The Buddy Network works hard to ensure that our international students make the best of their time while studying at the Technical University and living in Cluj-Napoca.

If you plan to study at the TUC-N, you can request a local buddy by filling in the form: http://bri.utcluj.ro/RI2_en/buddy_incoming.php or write an e-mail to:

Buddy.Network@staff.utcluj.ro

