IMPORTANT NOTE
Before applying for any summer/winter programme, read the GRO website for important information on:
• General Eligibility Requirements and Application Process
• Module Mapping and Financial Aid
• Visa Application, Travel Advisories and Student Insurance

Sun Yat-sen University International Summer Program
(Updated as of 1 Mar 2018)

Host University Website: http://eao.sysu.edu.cn/summerprogram/
Programme Location: Guangzhou, China
Programme Dates: 23 Jul to 4 Aug 2018
Application Deadline: 16 Mar 2018
No. of Placements: 6 tuition fee-waived places

ESTIMATED COST OF PARTICIPATION

1 Programme Fee

6 tuition fee-waived places are available for this programme. There will be a selection process for the limited fee-waiver places, and successful students will be notified and nominated by NUS GRO. Nominated students will be granted a tuition fee waiver worth RMB 6,000 (approx. S$1,300) per person.

The international airfare, health insurance, board and lodging, local transportation and course books in Course II are not included in the tuition fee and are under student’s own expenses.

2 Projected Expenditure

Click here to find additional estimates for airfare, private accommodation and personal expenses for various cities.

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<td>Accommodation (Double Room)</td>
<td>$450 (RMB 2,100)</td>
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<td>Meals (2 weeks)</td>
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3 Financial Aid

As a participant of this programme, you are eligible to apply for:
• NASA Enhancement Bursary (Singaporean Citizens only)
• Overseas Student Programme Loan (Singaporeans only)
• PSEA Fund Withdrawal (Singaporeans only)
• China Initiatives Steering Committee Funding

PROGRAMME DETAILS

4 Academic Content

The programme offers 3 courses for 2018 summer:

Course I Canton/Hong Kong/Macao/Taiwan Studies 粵港澳臺專題研究（1 credit, taught in Chinese）

專題 1：香港政治生態研究
專題 2：從“自由行”的爭議看粵港澳社群關係香港产业结构转变与贫富分化
專題 3：全球社會
專題 4：粤港澳服务業分工合作研究
| 5 | Eligibility Requirements | NUS’ generic eligibility requirements apply, please see GRO website for details. Host university’s requirements are:  
- Students who have completed at least one-semester study at home university  
- Adequate English proficiency |
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<td>Accommodation</td>
<td>Refer to the host university website for the accommodation arrangements. Should university-arranged accommodation not be available, you will be responsible for securing your own accommodation.</td>
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<td>Application Procedure</td>
<td>Apply via myISIS. Once you have been offered a place in the programme by NUS GRO and have accepted the offer, proceed to apply with the host university.</td>
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<td>Module Mapping</td>
<td>If you are interested in obtaining credit, you can start the module mapping process after you apply in myISIS and accept the offer for the programme. Note that all mapping requests are subjected to approval by the Faculties. Click here for a step-by-step guide on applying for module mapping. A total of 12 MCs from a maximum of 2 overseas summer/winter and research programmes can be mapped without having to pay NUS tuition. Additional MCs mapped will be subjected to Special Term fees. For details, visit the Registrar’s Office website.</td>
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**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

| 9 | Visa Application | You will require X2 visa (for a stay of less than 180 days) to enter the |
China and participate in this programme. The documents you require for your visa application will be provided after the host university accepts you and you have paid the programme fee.


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<th>Visit the <a href="http://iso.sysu.edu.cn/wp-content/themes/sysupc/html/en/prospective.html#t_1">MFA website</a> for travel advisories on various countries from the Singapore government.</th>
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<td><a href="http://iso.sysu.edu.cn/wp-content/themes/sysupc/html/en/prospective.html#t_1">Insurance coverage for official NUS trips</a> is provided for your participation in this programme.</td>
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| 12 | Contact Information | Questions about the programme? Contact the host university at: summerp@mail.sysu.edu.cn  
Questions about module mapping? Visit this [webpage](http://iso.sysu.edu.cn/wp-content/themes/sysupc/html/en/prospective.html#t_1).  
Questions specific to NUS GRO? Contact us at: askGRO |
About Sun Yat-sen University

Sun Yat-sen University, founded in 1924 by the Chinese democratic revolutionary Dr. Sun Yat-sen, is a preeminent academic and cultural center and the premier location for talent development and knowledge creation in South China. Its main campus is located in the modern metropolis of Guangzhou, known formerly in the West as Canton, with a branch campus nestled in the picturesque coastal city of Zhuhai. The university is under the direct supervision of the Ministry of Education of the People’s Republic of China and is a member of Projects 211 and 985, exclusive national higher education organizations at the vanguard of the drive to develop Chinese universities into world-class institutions. With a firmly established reputation as a top-ten university nationally and a burgeoning international profile, SYSU is moving from strength to strength as it strives to become a first-tier world university and global center of learning.

Built on a solid multidisciplinary foundation of humanities, social sciences, natural sciences, medical sciences, and engineering, SYSU is propelled forward by the continuous pursuit of academic innovation. Equipped with a globally aware outlook, the University has dedicated itself to being an institution that is “Comprehensive, Innovative and Open”. With this new mission as a starting point, the entire University community taps into a collective spirit of learning which focuses on talent identification and cultivation as its central endeavor. In this environment, future academic, industrial, and societal leaders are being forged, many of whom will shoulder the responsibility of rejuvenating China at a watershed moment in the nation’s history. In line with this undertaking, SYSU strives to blossom into an institution with influence and impact on a global scale, where all disciplines develop distinctively yet systematically.
Eligibility
- International students from universities around the world
- Undergraduate students from universities in HK, MC and TW
- Students who have completed at least one-semester study at home university
- Adequate English proficiency

Application Materials
1. Application form
2. One nomination / recommendation letter
3. One official academic transcript
4. One copy of passport or identity card (photo page)
5. One e-copy of insurance certificate
6. One colored photo without hat (e-copy)

Application Procedures
Step 1: Complete online application at http://eao.sysu.edu.cn/summerprogram/
Step 2: Download the application form from the online system and sign on it.
Step 3: Scan all the application materials and email them to: summerp@mail.sysu.edu.cn.
Step 4: Pay the tuition fee.
Step 5: Receive admission package from SYSU.

Tuition Fee
RMB 6,000 per person.
Note: The international airfare, health insurance, board and lodging, local transportation are not included in the tuition fee and are at students’ own expenses.

Buddy Program
The program will match participants with Chinese buddies based on a few common interests. The buddies will pick you up at the airport and help you adapt to a new environment as soon as possible. They will be good friends to you no matter in study or in daily life.

Accommodation
On-campus accommodation is available for the students who submit the online application before the deadline.
- Double Room: RMB 2,000 per person
- Two-bedroom Apartment: RMB 1,650 per person

Important Dates
- Apr 14: Application deadline
- May 1: Payment deadline
- Jul 22: Arrival (Pick-up service)
- Jul 23: Opening ceremony
- Aug 4: Closing ceremony
- Aug 5: Departure

Insurance
Participants are required to purchase medical and accident insurance which can cover their stay in the program before entering China.

Cultural Exposure
- Opening ceremony and ice-breaking
- Official welcome dinner
- Pearl River cruise
- Cultural experience, such as Chinese calligraphy, Taiji, and paper cutting, etc (Note: the course schedule might be subject to change.)
- Cultural excursions in and around Guangzhou City
- Closing ceremony and farewell party

Courses Offered
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- 專題 5：臺灣族群問題：從兩部臺灣電影說起
- 專題 6：香港產業結構轉變與貧富分化

Course II Chinese Language (1.5 credits)
Chinese Language courses on entry and intermediate levels
Chinese Calligraphy, Taiji, and Paper Cutting, etc

Course III China Business Studies (1.5 credits)
Topic 1: The Pan-Pearl River Delta and Guangdong Economy
Topic 2: Cross-Cultural Encounters
Topic 3: Effective Communication with Chinese
Topic 4: Venture Capital
Topic 5: Entrepreneurial Financing
Topic 6: Innovation in China
Company Visits

* Notes:
- Course I and II will be delivered in the morning.
- Course III will be delivered in the afternoon.
- The course schedule and actual lectures delivered are subject to change.