INTERNATIONAL SUMMER/WINTER PROGRAMMES (i-SP) Regions Team

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

Columbia University: Summer Term
(Updated as of 3 January 2018)

Host University Website:  http://summer.sps.columbia.edu/students/international-students
Programme Location:  New York, New York, USA
Programme Dates:  
Summer Session 1 (D): 21 May to 29 June 2018
Summer Session 2 (Q): 2 July to 10 August 2018
12-Week Summer Session (X): 21 May to 10 August 2018
Application Deadline:  
Enrolment Priority Deadline – 1 February 2018
Application Fee Waiver Deadline – 1 March 2018
Final Deadline (Application Fee Required) – 1 April 2018

**Applications for 2018 are now closed**
Please check back in December 2018 for information on Columbia University: Summer Term 2019**

No. of Placements:  Unlimited

ESTIMATED COST OF PARTICIPATION

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<th>Programme Fee</th>
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| Tuition and fees are subject to Columbia University’s Board of Trustee approval and may change. For the latest information on programme fees, please refer to the following link:  
http://summer.sps.columbia.edu/students/visiting-students/admissions/tuition-fees |

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<th>Projected Expenditure</th>
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<td>Click here to find additional estimates for airfare, private accommodation and personal expenses for various cities.</td>
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<td>Application fee  (waived if application submitted by 1 Mar 2018)</td>
<td>USD$0.00 to USD$80.00</td>
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<td>Tuition Fees  (Student typically enroll in 6 points which is usually equivalent to 2 courses/modules)</td>
<td>USD$10,536.00</td>
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<td>Student Activities Fee</td>
<td>USD$325.00</td>
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<td>Technology Fee</td>
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| University Facilities Fee  
Full-time Students | USD$480.00 |
<p>| Part-time Students | USD$250.00 |
| Document Fee | USD$105.00 |
| International Services Charge | USD$70.00/term |</p>
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<th>Financial Aid Available Through NUS GRO</th>
<th>As a participant of this programme, you are eligible to apply for:</th>
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<td>• NASA Enhancement Bursary (Singaporean Citizens only)</td>
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**PROGRAMME DETAILS**

4 Academic Content  
Information on modules/courses for Summer Term 2018 will be available in December 2017.  
[http://summer.sps.columbia.edu/courses/summer-courses](http://summer.sps.columbia.edu/courses/summer-courses)  
Student typically enroll in two courses/modules for the summer, which is equivalent to roughly 6 points (credits) at Columbia University. **Please read item 8 of this info sheet very carefully to understand restrictions on module mapping and the number of modules you can map back to NUS. No exceptions will be made.**

5 Eligibility Requirements  
NUS’ generic eligibility requirements apply, please see GRO website for details.

6 Accommodation  
For more information on housing options at Columbia University, please refer to the following link:  
[http://summer.sps.columbia.edu/students/visiting-students/housing](http://summer.sps.columbia.edu/students/visiting-students/housing)

7 Application Procedure  
Apply via myISIS and the host university’s website concurrently. You must accept both the myISIS offer as well as the host university offer to confirm your participation in this programme.  
Applications are due 1 April 2018 for Summer 2018. You are strongly encouraged to submit your application early – 1 February 2018 is the deadline for priority enrolment, and 1 March 2018 is the deadline to be eligible for the application fee waiver.  
Other things to take note on the application/supporting documents:  
• You will be required to select the appropriate category, "Visiting Undergraduate Student" or "Visiting Graduate Student", when starting your application.  
• For those applicants who are offered admission, official transcripts must arrive in envelopes sealed by the issuing institutions certifying conferral of a bachelor’s degree. Copies, opened or unsealed envelopes, unofficial printouts, or facsimiles will not be accepted. The Admissions Committee reserves the right to withdraw any offer of admission already made if...
there is a discrepancy between the self-reported transcript and the official transcript.

For more information on the application process, please refer to the following link: [http://summer.sps.columbia.edu/students/visiting-students/applying](http://summer.sps.columbia.edu/students/visiting-students/applying)

Application Document Submission and Application Processing Questions
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| 8 | Module Mapping | If you are interested in obtaining modular credits, you can start the module mapping process after you apply in myISIS and accept the offer for the programme. Module mapping request is subjected to approval from the Faculties. [Click here](#) for a step-by-step guide on applying for module mapping.

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. |

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### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

| 9 | Visa Application | You will require an F-1 visa to enter the USA 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.

For more information on visa/immigration matters, please refer to the following link: [http://summer.sps.columbia.edu/home/international-student-info/summer-program](http://summer.sps.columbia.edu/home/international-student-info/summer-program) |

| 10 | Travel Advisories | Visit the [MFA website](#) for travel advisories on various countries from the Singapore government. |

| 11 | Student Insurance | [Insurance coverage for official NUS trips](#) is provided for your participation in this programme. For more information on insurance matters at Columbia University, please click [here](#): |

| 12 | Contact Information | Questions about the programme? Contact the host university at: [apply@sps.columbia.edu](mailto:apply@sps.columbia.edu)
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Questions about module mapping? Visit this [webpage](#).

Questions specific to NUS GRO? Contact us at: [askGRO](#) |