

INTERNATIONAL SUMMER/WINTER PROGRAMMES (i-SP)
IMPORTANT NOTE

Before applying for any summer/winter programme, read the [Global Relations Office \(GRO\) website](#) for important information on:

- General Eligibility Requirements and Application Process
- Module Mapping and Financial Aid
- Visa Application, Travel Advisories and Student Insurance

Boston University: Summer Term (Online Option)

Host University Website: <http://www.bu.edu/summer/international-partner-students/>

Programme Location: Boston, Massachusetts, USA

Programme Dates: 20 May to 1 July 2020 (Summer Term 1)
6 July to 14 August 2020 (Summer Term 2)*

Application Deadline: Summer Term 1 – **15 May 2020 (BU and EduRec deadline)**
Summer Term 2 – **19 June 2020 (New EduRec Deadline)**
26 June 2020 (New BU Deadline)

With Boston University's Summer Term 2 overlapping significantly with AY2020/21 Semester 1, you will need to get special permission from your home School or Faculty Dean's Office in order to participate in Session 2 (even though it is online). Students are strongly encouraged to pursue Session 1 only.

No. of Placements: Unlimited

ESTIMATED COST OF PARTICIPATION

1	Programme Fee	As NUS and Boston University are partner universities, you can enjoy many benefits, like a waived application fee, early course registration, and a designated Summer Term staff member for support and assistance throughout the application and enrolment process. Boston University will also provide a 15% discount on the tuition fee to each NUS student who maintains a full course load in the summer. For more information, please refer to the projected expenditure (item 2) below.	
2	Projected Expenditure	Item	Estimated Cost (USD)
		Application fee – please use the following link: (http://www.bu.edu/summer/international-partner-students/enroll-now.shtml)	USD\$0.00 –waived (if correct link is used)
		Tuition fees for 2 courses (8 credits), with the BU-NUS partnership discount	USD\$4,896
		Tuition for 1 course (4 credits), which would not be considered full-time therefore ineligible for partnership discount.	USD\$2,880
		Student Services Fee	USD\$60
		Books & Supplies (for 1 or 2 courses)	USD\$200 - \$400
		Total	USD\$3,140 - \$5,356
3	NUS Financial Aid	Financial Aid options will not be available for online summer classes.	

PROGRAMME DETAILS		
4	Academic Content	<p>Boston University's summer courses are available for international students to take, but one important thing to note is that the courses will be synchronous and will meet at the designated times listed on our course pages: https://www.bu.edu/summer/courses/.</p> <p>Please note all times listed are local Boston time zone, EDT. Any students who sign up for courses should expect to log into their course(s) at the designated time. This stipulation will make it difficult for students in certain time zones to "attend" a course. (While professors may make exceptions for some students, they are not expected to do so and students should not expect or count on it.)</p>
5	Eligibility Requirements	NUS' generic eligibility requirements apply, please see GRO website for details.
6	Accommodation	Not applicable
7	Application Procedure	<p>Apply via Edu-Rec and the host university's website <u>concurrently</u>. You must accept both the Edu-Rec offer as well as the host university offer to confirm your participation in this programme.</p> <p>Please use the following link to apply: http://www.bu.edu/summer/international-partner-students/enroll-now.shtml</p> <p>Please have the following information available when completing this form:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Personal contact information • Course selection <p>In addition to the Application/Enrolment Form, please complete and submit the following forms to Boston Summer Sessions Office (STpartner@bu.edu).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Copy of passport • Registration Form for Summer 1 and/or Summer 2 • Family Education Rights & Privacy Act (FERPA) Waiver Form • Directory Information Restriction Form (optional) <p>These forms can be submitted to Boston Summer Sessions Office (STpartner@bu.edu) directly. Kindly CC in Mr. Jacob O'Quinn (jacob@nus.edu.sg) from NUS GRO as well.</p>
8	Module Mapping	<p>You can start the module mapping process after you apply in myISIS and accept the offer for the programme. Click here for a step-by-step guide on applying for module mapping. Also note the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maximum of 2 modules (up to 10 MCs) can be mapped per summer / research programme during Special Term (May – August). • Maximum of 1 module (up to 5 MCs) can be mapped per winter / research programme during year-end vacation (December – January). • 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.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		
9	Visa Application	N/A
10	Travel Advisories	N/A
11	Student Insurance	N/A
12	Contact Information	<p>Questions about the programme? Contact the host university at: STpartner@bu.edu</p> <p>Questions about module mapping? Visit this webpage.</p> <p>Questions specific to NUS GRO? Contact us at: askGRO</p>