

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

Before applying for any summer/winter programme, read the [GRO website](#) and [i-SP Application Guide](#) for important information on:

- General Eligibility Requirements and Application Process
- Module Mapping
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University of Zurich (Online) Summer School 2020: Finance for the Future: Investments, Sustainable Finance and FinTech

(Updated as of 23 April 2020)

Programme Website: <https://www.int.uzh.ch/en/in/shortprograms/UZH-International-Summer-Schools/FinanceForTheFuture.html>

Programme Dates: 5 - 24 July 2020

Application Deadline: 10 May 2020

No. of Placements: To be determined by the host university

ESTIMATED COST OF PARTICIPATION

1	Programme Fee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The regular fee for this summer school is CHF 1500. • Discounts worth CHF 1,100 available to students from NUS. Students will only have to pay a reduced fee of CHF 400 to participate in this programme. • The fee includes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Tuition and application fee ○ Final Certificate and Transcript of Records ○ Virtual classroom teaching ○ A digital social programme that fosters your intercultural competence
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PROGRAMME DETAILS

2	Academic Content	<p>Each online summer school course taken at UZH Summer School is worth 6 ECTS credits. Students should refer to the website for the latest list of courses available and its descriptions.</p> <p>In this online summer school, the fundamentals of wealth management and the latest developments in this area – Sustainable Finance and FinTech – will be presented. You will learn the theoretical basics of portfolio management and play a simulation in which you will manage two investment funds in a group. Sustainable Finance is another key topic of this online summer school.</p> <p>Sustainable Finance has emerged as a key opportunity to deploy large amounts of capital for financial returns and positive social and environmental outcome. The remaining sessions are dedicated to FinTech. FinTech is the new technology and innovation that aims to compete with traditional financial methods in the delivery</p>
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		<p>of financial services.</p> <p>The impact of the current situation with COVID-19 on the financial markets will also be discussed during several sessions.</p> <p>Participating in this online summer school will not only allow you to get to learn theoretical aspects about finance, but also to interact with practitioners and experts from academia. A unique opportunity to expand your network!</p> <p>During the online course, you will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Get to know the past, present and future development of the Swiss financial system and the wealth management in Switzerland. • Enhance your knowledge in macroeconomics and finance (financial instruments, asset classes, behavioral finance). • Learn from scientists and people from the practice about the most recent and promising trends in FinTech and Sustainable Finance. • Test and apply your gained knowledge in a portfolio management game. <p>The teaching and learning methods include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Podcasts and Livestreams - Watch sessions on our online platform and interact with lecturers during live sessions • Q&A sessions - Ask your questions and get answers from your UZH teaching team • Group work - Interact with other students and work together on your projects • Wrap-up sessions - Get an interactive recap of the program at the end of each week
3	Eligibility Requirements	<p>NUS' generic eligibility requirements apply, please see GRO website for details.</p> <p>UZH Summer School encourages students who fulfilled the following requirements to apply for the programme :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have good grades in the undergraduate studies • Completed their first year of study • This course is open to students from all subject areas • Applicants must possess a sufficient command of English • Prior knowledge in finance is not required, but a basic understanding of economics and an interest in statistics are desirable
4	Application Procedure	<p>You are REQUIRED TO apply via NUS' EduRec-GE AND the host university's online application concurrently.</p> <p>Please refer to http://www.nus.edu.sg/gro/summer-winter.php (i-SP application guide) for details of the application process.</p> <p>Please note that you must accept <u>both</u> internal offer from EduRec (to proceed with online module mapping) and external offer from the host university (and with</p>

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		payment of programme fees to the host university) for the online summer programme before you can participate in the programme.
5	Module Mapping	<p>Students interested in obtaining credit can start the module mapping process after you apply in EduRec and accept the offer for the programme. Module mapping request is subject to approval from the Faculties. Click here for a step-by-step guide on applying for module mapping.</p> <p>Students may map up to a maximum of 10 MCs for each Summer Programme and up to a maximum of 5 MCs for each Winter Programme. Module mapping will be subject to approval from the respective Faculties/Schools.</p> <p>Students who enroll in these Programmes may request for a waiver of NUS tuition fees for the credits they wish to transfer back to NUS. This waiver applies to up to 2 Summer/Winter Programmes and up to a total of 12 MCs transferred during their course of study in NUS. Beyond that, NUS Special Term tuition fees will apply, in addition to Summer/Winter Programme fees paid to the host university. For clarification, students may contact the SEP administrators/coordinators at their respective home Faculty/School Dean's Office or the academic department. Business courses in summer/winter programmes which are less than 3 weeks are not credit bearing.</p>

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

6	Contact Information	<p>Questions about the programme? > Contact the host university at: summer@int.uzh.ch</p> <p>Questions about module mapping? > Visit this webpage.</p> <p>Questions specific to NUS GRO? > Contact us at: askGRO</p>
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