

SUMMER OVERSEAS PROGRAM 2016-17

INFORMATION SESSIONS

13/2 12:30PM EOC 300A 15/2 12:30PM TKO 107 INFO

SELECTION

INTERVIEW TIMESLOT

23/2_[THU] **EOC**

24/2_[FRI]
TKO

21^{тн} FEB,2017 12:00 noon

Deadline

PROGRAM APPLICATION

Step1: Attend Information Seesion

Step2: Fill in and submit application form

Step3: Online registration of Interview timeslot

Step4: Attend the interview ONTIME

Program information & Registration

http://www.scs.cuhk.edu.hk/cuscs/scds/overseas/

For more information, please feel free to visit SCDS's

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The Chinese University of Hong Kong School of Continuing and Professional Studies Student Counselling and Development Services

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Program Information

About the Program

The Summer Overseas Program is designed to enrich your academic lives by providing a unique international summer learning experience. You are provided with opportunities to study language enhancement and career development related short-term study programmes in Australia, Canada, United Kingdom, and United States during summer. Partner Universities include University of Queensland, University of New South Wales, University of British Columbia, University of York, University of Cambridge, University of California, Los Angeles and Columbia University.

Objectives

- 1. To enhance your independence, maturity, confidence, and self-awareness
- 2. To enhance your social competence, through confronting challenges beyond their familiar environment and comfort zone
- 3. To provide opportunities to you to experience a new culture and a different learning environment
- 4. To increase your awareness of overseas study and career opportunities
- 5. To enhance your proficiency in the use of English

Target Students

Higher Diploma Students

Selection Criteria

Applicants are required to attend a group interview conducted by a panel consisted of student counsellors and lecturers. Interview not only is a process to ascertain the suitability of a potential participant, but also maximize the opportunity to explore the potential and capacity (such as one's level of independence, willingness to learn) of the students to ensure you will gain a meaningful overseas learning experience. Selection criteria include:

- 1. Demonstrate enduring commitment and ability to plan and prepare for overseas stay and study
- 2. Demonstrate high level of motivation to learn and to reach out
- 3. Demonstrate adequate level of independence
- 4. Demonstrate personal attributes to represent CUSCS

Program Schedule

Period	Key Activities	
2 – 21 Feb	Recruitment Exercise	
13 & 15 Feb	Information Sessions	
23 & 24 Feb	Interview sessions	
8 Mar	Payment of Enrollment Deposit HK\$5,000 (*deposit is non-refundable)	
11 Mar	Orientation & Briefing Session I	
	Participants are required to attend two briefing sessions so as to prepare	
	them to gain a meaningful learning experience. Topics include: learning	
	goals, planning of overseas study, health and safety issues etc.	
12-31 Mar	Online Course Enrollment Exercise (by student)	
	Group Enrollment Exercise (by CUSCS)	
20 Mar - 15 Apr	VISA Application (if applicable)	
16-30 Apr	Air Ticket & Insurance Purchase	
	Arrangement on Accommodation	
5 Jun	Pre-departure briefing Session	
Jun-Aug	Summer Programme Study Period	
31 Aug	Submission of Reflective Journals	
Sept	Sharing session on overseas learning experiences	

Scholarship Eligibility Requirements

- 1. Students are eligible to apply for CUSCS Outbound Learning Scholarship if he/she achieves minimum cGPA 2.3 or above. (*cGPA will be considered at the time of program application. i.e. Exam results in semester 1 of academic year 2016-17).
- 2. Offer of scholarships is on competitive basis and it depends on both academic and interview performance. Applicants may not be granted with scholarship even he/she achieves minimum cGPA 2.3 or above, but they may still be admitted to the program.
- 3. Scholarship will be reimbursed upon completion of the summer programme, related learning activities and receipts of reflective journals. Reimbursement will be made in Hong Kong dollar and therefore the amount of each scholarship may subject to change due to fluctuation in exchange rate.
- 4. At any time students indicate to withdraw the program or fail to complete the program, the eligibility to receive the scholarship will be lost at the same time.

NOTE TO APPLICANT

- 1. Applicant should note that program information provided below is for reference only, in particular the date and expenses on accommodation and airfare. Other expenses such as health insurance, admin fee and VISA application may incur. All prices are subject to changes
- 2. Applicant should refer to the programme website and related website for more accurate and detailed information.
- 3. Applicant is responsible for the arrangement of his/her own overseas study, including online programme application, flight, accommodation, VISA, insurance etc.

COURSE/ PROGRAM INFORMATION

AUSTRALIA - University of Queensland

University	THE UNIVERSITY OF QUEENSLAND AUSTRALIA			
City	Brisbane			
Course/Program	 General English English for International Business Communication English for Academic Purposes 			
Duration	5 weeks (12 Jun - 14 Jul 2017)			
	5 weeks (24 Jul - 25Aug 2017)			
Estimated Expenses#	<u>Items</u> <u>Estimated Amount</u>			
	Tuition Fee AUD \$2,000			
	Accommodation: Homestay			
	(AUD \$250-\$300/per week)			
	#Airfare HKD \$7,000-10,000			
Website	Course information: https://icte.uq.edu.au/english-courses Accommodation information: https://icte.uq.edu.au/student-life/accommodation/homestay			
Remarks	 Electron Travel Authority (ETA) is necessary Group application through CUSCS Payment through CUSCS Homestay arrangement by student 			

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AUSTRALIA - University of New South Wales

University	UNSW AUSTRALIA				
City	Sydney				
Course/Program	Essential English-General E	nglish			
Duration	5 weeks (26 Jun - 28 Jul 2017	()			
Estimated Expenses#	<u>Items</u> <u>Estimated Amount</u>				
	Tuition Fee AUD \$2,225				
	Accommodation: Campus				
	(AUD \$335 - \$444/per week)				
	Homestay				
	(AUD \$270-\$330/per week)				
	#Airfare HK \$7,000-10,000				
Website	Course information:				
	https://www.languages.unsw.edu.au/courses/general-				
	english/essential-english				
	Accommodation information:				
	http://www.languages.unsw.e				
D 1	students/before-you-arrive/your-accommodation				
Remarks	1) Electron Travel Authority (ETA) is necessary				
	2) Course Online application by student3) Course Online Payment by student				
	4) Homestay arrangement by student				
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Canada - University of British Columbia

University	UBC				
City	Vancouver				
Course/Program	Global Career Development	Program			
Duration	5 weeks (Date for 2017: TBC)			
Estimated Expenses#	<u>Items</u> <u>Estimated Amount</u>				
	Tuition Fee	CAD \$3,300			
	Accommodation Homestay				
	CAD \$ 250-350/week				
	#Airfare HKD\$7,000-10,000				
Website	Course information: https://cstudies.ubc.ca/programs/global-career-development-program				
Remarks	 Language requirement: Recommend IELTS 5.5 or above Electronic Travel Authorization (eTA) is necessary Course Online application by student Course Online Payment by student Homestay arrangement by student 				

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Canada - University of Toronto

University	UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO				
City	Toronto				
Course/Program	English PLUS				
Duration	4 weeks (4 Jul - 28 Jul,2017 o				
Estimated Expenses	Items Estimated Amount				
	Tuition Fee CAD \$1,885				
	(Plus CAD\$48.4 Health Insurance Fee)				
	Accommodation	Homestay			
		CAD \$ 250-350/week			
	#Airfare	HK\$8,000-10,000			
Website	Course Information: http://english.learn.utoronto.ca/dates-fees/ Accommodation Information: http://english.learn.utoronto.ca/before-you-arrive/accommodation/ http://www.homestayservices.ca/en-pricing.html				
Remarks	 Electronic Travel Authorization (eTA) is necessary Course Online application by student Course Online Payment by student Homestay arrangement by student 				

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United Kingdom - University of York University

University					
City	York				
Course/Program	English for International Co	mmunication (Closed Group)			
Duration	4 weeks (3-30 Jul, 2017)				
Estimated Expenses#	<u>Items</u> <u>Estimated Amount</u>				
	Tuition Fee	GBP \$1,430			
	Accommo#dation	Host Family (half-board): GBP \$177/ week			
	Campus: GBP \$20/ night				
	Airfare HK \$7,500-12,000				
Website	http://www.york.ac.uk/study/international/visiting- students/summer-schools-and-short-courses/#tab-2				
Remarks	 Language Requirement: IELTS 6.0 Group application through CUSCS Payment Through CUSCS Homestay arrangement by student / Campus accommodation through CUSCS **The minimum number for a closed group is 10 				

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United Kingdom - University of Cambridge

University	UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE				
City	Cambridge				
Course/Program		mer Programme ng Summer Programme y Summer Programme			
Duration	2-4 weeks, (Jul, 2017- Aug	g, 2017)			
Expenses in 2015	<u>Items</u> <u>Estimated Amount</u>				
	Tuition Fee	Tuition Fee Literature & Interdisciplinary: GBP \$1250/ two week Creative Writing: GBP \$1685/ two week			
	Accommodation: Campus: GBP \$865 - \$1335/two weeks				
	#Airfare HK \$10,000-13,000				
Website	Course Information: http://www.ice.cam.ac.uk/courses/international-summer-programmes/programmes-and-courses Accommodation Information: http://www.ice.cam.ac.uk/international-summer-schools/information-for-applicants/tuition-and-accommodation-fees				
Remarks	 Language Requirement: IELTS 6.5(7.0 for creative writing) Course Online application by student Course Online Payment by student Homestay arrangement by student 				

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United States - University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA)

University	TO LIGHT OF COLUMN TO THE STATE OF COLUMN TO					
City	Los Angeles					
Course/Program	Intensive English Communica	tion Program				
Duration	4 weeks (3-27 Jul 2017 or 31 Jul	ul – 24 Aug 2017)				
Estimated Expenses	<u>Items</u> <u>Estimated Amount</u>					
	Tuition Fee US \$1985					
		(plus Service fee US \$595)				
	Accommodation US \$1362 - \$2519/ 4 weeks					
	#Airfare HK \$5,000-8,000					
Website	Course Information: http://international.uclaextension.edu/iecp/ http://international.uclaextension.edu/alc/iecp-dates-fees/ http://international.uclaextension.edu/wp-content/uploads/2016/04/ALC-Summer-Housing.pdf					
Remarks	 F1 VISA is required Group application through CUSCS Payment Through CUSCS Homestay arrangement by student / Campus accommodation through CUSCS 					

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United States - Columbia University

University	COLUMBIA UNIVERSITA					
City	New York					
Program	Intensive English Communica	tion Program				
Duration	4 weeks (19 Jun – 14 Jul 2017 or 17 Jul – 11 Aug 2017)					
Estimated Expenses#	<u>Items</u> <u>Estimated Amount</u>					
	Tuition Fee	US \$3688				
	Accommodation	Campus:				
		US\$1,288-1,500				
	#Airfare	#Airfare HK \$8,000-10,000				
Website	Course information:					
	http://sps.columbia.edu/alp/pro					
Remarks	1) F1 VISA is required					
	2) Course Online application by student					
	3) Course Online Payment by student					
	4) Homestay arrangement by student					

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United States - Lehigh University Global Village Program

University	LEHIGH UNIVERSITY					
City	Bethlehem, Pennsylvania					
Course/Program	The Global Village, for future	leaders of business and industry				
Duration	5 weeks (24 Jun - 29 Jul 2017)					
Estimated Expenses	<u>Items</u> <u>Estimated Amount</u>					
	Tuition Fee	US \$5,000				
	Accommodation Included in Tuition Fee					
	#Airfare	#Airfare HK \$7,000-12,000				
Website	http://global.lehigh.edu/sites/glo	rse Information: ://global.lehigh.edu/iacocca/globalvillage ://global.lehigh.edu/sites/global.lehigh.edu/files/lacocca- tute/Global_Village/GVBrochure2017_Final.pdf				
Remarks	 F1 VISA is required Group application through CUSCS Payment Through CUSCS Campus accommodation by Lehigh University 					

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No.	Country	University	Programmes	Duration	Tuition fee	Proposed amount of Scholarship (~ 50% of tuition fee)
1	Australia	University of Queensland	General English	5 weeks	AUD \$2000	HK\$5,800
		University of New South Wales	General English	5 weeks	AUD \$2225	HK\$6,400
2	Canada	University of Toronto	English PLUS	4 weeks	CAD \$1885	HK\$5,500
		University of British Columbia	Global Career Development Program	5 weeks	CAD \$3,300	HK\$9,700
3	United Kingdom	University of York	English for International Communication	4 weeks	GBP1,430	HK\$6,700
		University of Cambridge	Literature, Creative Writing, interdisciplinary	4 weeks	GBP2,500/ GBP2,935	HK\$11,800 HK\$13,800
4	United States	University of California, Los Angeles	Intensive English Communication Program	4 weeks	US \$1,985	HK\$7,600
		Columbia University	Intensive English Language Program	4 weeks	US \$3,688	HK\$14,000
		Lehigh University	The Global Village Program	5 weeks	US\$5,000	HK\$19,000

^{*}Programme details and tuition fee are tentative and are subject to change