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 and Financial Aid
- Visa Application, Travel Advisories and Student Insurance

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB): Barcelona Summer School 2021
(Updated as of 16 March 2021)

Programme Website: https://www.uab.cat/barcelona-summer-school/
Programme Location: Barcelona, Spain

Programme Dates:
Session 1: 21 June - 9 July 2021
Session 2: 12 July – 30 July 2021

Application Deadline: 14 May 2021
No. of Placements: To be determined by the host university

COVID-19 related updates:

In Summer 2021, UAB will be adopting a hybrid format for the summer programme. Some courses in the programme may be offered on-site or online.

Due to the fluid situation of the COVID-19 pandemic and uncertainty regarding international travel in the months ahead, students are strongly encouraged to choose the online option for Summer 2021. For online options, students may apply for module mapping and transfer a maximum of 8 MCs (this is applicable only to online summer programmes 2021). Some Faculties/Schools (including School of Computing) will not approve module mapping for online courses. Please check with your home faculty’s Dean’s Office to determine if module mapping can be approved for online courses before applying to the partner university.

Students’ ability to travel to Spain for summer 2021 will be determined by the host country’s travel policies as well as the latest travel advice from Singapore authorities. In the event that Singapore authorities advise against non-essential travel to Spain for summer 2021, students will not be able to travel to Spain for their summer programmes.

Students who proceed with the physical (on-site) option acknowledge the risks associated. NUS will not be responsible for any lost deposits or expenses (including but not limited to programme/tuition fees, air tickets, housing deposits, meal plans and/or non-academic student fees) associated with travel disruptions. You are advised NOT to make any financial commitments particularly those which are non-refundable until you are certain that travel is possible. You will be fully responsible for any travel expenses, quarantine accommodation costs, COVID-19 tests or other costs related to the measures imposed at that point of time, both in Spain and Singapore.
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ESTIMATED COST OF PARTICIPATION

1 Programme Fee
Cost for each session is at €850.

(Student who enroll before 30 April 2021 will receive a 20% discount over the official price.)

2 Projected Expenditure
Please note that below are estimates for reference only. The actual costs of living will depend on personal lifestyles and preferences, as well as the leisure travelling.

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<td>Accommodation (per month)</td>
<td>€250-€500</td>
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<td>Transportation (per month)</td>
<td>€60-€80</td>
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<td>Meals (per month)</td>
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<td>Miscellaneous (e.g. data, groceries, shopping, cultural visits, etc)</td>
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3 Financial Aid Available Through NUS GRO
As a participants 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)

*Financial Aid options will not be available for programmes/classes that are conducted fully online. If programmes are hybrid, only on-site participation would qualify a student for financial aid. If a physical/on-site programme switches to fully online before the commencement of the programme, NUS reserves the right to adjust or retract the financial aid package.

PROGRAMME DETAILS

4 Academic Content
UAB Barcelona Summer School comprises a training offer of undergraduate subjects in a range of fields, and takes place at the UAB Campus from late June to late July once the ordinary academic year is over. The courses are mostly taught in English, being intensive programmes consisting of at least 60 contact hours over a three-week period.

Classes take place in the mornings from 9 am – 12.30pm and students are recommended to spend between two and three hours per day on self-guided study.

Each session is worth 6 ECTS credits (European Credit Transfer System).

Below is the list of courses for quick reference:

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<td>Session 1 21 June to 9 July 2021 9am – 12.30pm (€ 850 Course Fee)</td>
<td>• Bioethics • Contemporary Challenges in International Relations • Diseases of Marine Mammals NEW • Ecological Economics and Degrowth</td>
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*Thursday 24 June is a regional holiday.

### Principles
- European Economic Integration
- Spanish as a Foreign Language (A1 CEFR) (in Spanish)
- Gastronomy and Enology
- Geography of Global Change
- How the Brain Works
- Leadership, Negotiation Techniques
- Project Design Based on Mediterranean Biodiversity \(^{NEW}\)
- Psychological First Aid
- Resources for Teaching and Learning English in Infant and Primary Education
- Urban Performing Arts
- Contemporary Spain through the Eye of the Movie Camera (in Spanish)

### Session 2
13 July to 30 July 2020
9am – 12.30pm
(€ 850 Course Fee)

- Advanced Programming
- Building Resilience in Times of Coronavirus: a guide for individuals, organisation and communities \(^{NEW}\)
- Critical Thinking
- Discovering the Fascinating World of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology
- E-Marketing for Tourism \(^{NEW}\)
- Geography of East Asia
- Good Journalism is Alive
- Healthcare, Culture and Society \(^{NEW}\)
- Innovation & Entrepreneurship \(^{NEW}\)
- Public Participation in the Institutions of the European Union \(^{NEW}\)
- Spanish as a Foreign Language (A2 CEFR) (in Spanish)
- Spanish Politics
- Contemporary Spain through the Eye of the Movie Camera (in Spanish)

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Students should refer to the website for the latest list of courses available and its descriptions. Please note that participants should only enrol 1 course per session. Courses are subject to change.

UAB Barcelona Summer School also offers the Buddy Programme that allow international students who participate in the Summer School to meet UAB students, get to know their culture and participate in university activities.

Students of the programme will have to attend at least the 80% of the classes in order to get the transcript of records, otherwise they will not get any transcript.
| 5 | Eligibility Requirements | NUS’ generic eligibility requirements apply, please see GRO website for details.

The UAB Barcelona Summer School is open to undergraduate and postgraduate students, both local and international. All undergraduates must already have taken at least half of their first-year courses. They should also have a good knowledge of the working language. |
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<td>UAB provides accommodation options to participants. Please refer to <a href="https://www.uab.cat/web/study/summer-uab-courses/accommodation-1345694857199.html">https://www.uab.cat/web/study/summer-uab-courses/accommodation-1345694857199.html</a> for details.</td>
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| 7 | Application Procedure | You are REQUIRED TO apply via NUS’ EduRec-GE AND the host university’s website concurrently.

Please refer to http://www.nus.edu.sg/gro/global-programmes/summer-and-winter-programmes/i-sp-application-guide (i-SP application guide) for details of the application process.

Application to UAB International Summer Term Programme is open from mid-January till 14 May 2021. Interested students should start the application by clicking “Enrol Now” button on UAB’s website.

Students who require visa for entry/stay in Spain should apply to the programme early enough to allow time for the visa to be processed and granted before the programme starts. As soon as you have completed the online application form and made payment by credit card successfully, you will receive a confirmation message from UAB and it means you are already accepted.

Please note that you must accept both NUS EduRec offer as well as the host university offer in order to confirm your participation in this programme. |
| 8 | Module Mapping | You can start the module mapping process after you apply in EduRec and accept the offer for the programme. Click here for a step-by-step guide on applying for module mapping.

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.

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.

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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<th>Students from countries on <a href="#">section 1 of the list</a> need to apply for a visa for a stay in Spain of over three months to get their visas on time they should make their applications two months before the course starts, by writing to the appropriate <a href="#">Spain consular office</a>, depending on where they live. Students are reminded to check the Spain Consular Office in Singapore/home country for updates of the latest immigration policies via the website of the Embassy/Consulate and the information from the host university.</th>
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<td>All foreign students at a Catalan university must have medical insurance coverage. The procedures for obtaining this coverage vary from country to country. Please check the requirements and information on medical insurance for non-EU students <a href="#">here</a>. NUS students are covered under the NUS Students Travel Insurance scheme for official NUS trips. Please refer to <a href="https://myportal.nus.edu.sg/studentportal/student-insurance/all/">https://myportal.nus.edu.sg/studentportal/student-insurance/all/</a> for details. However, students are advised to read through and understand its policy (coverage) and to review whether the terms and conditions as well as the duration of coverage are sufficient to suit their needs and to cover their entire journey abroad. If necessary, students may consider topping up for international coverage of their own health insurance or taking out a suitable travel insurance for themselves. If a proof of insurance (Insurance Cover for Official NUS Trips) is required at anytime, students may download the Certificate of Insurance at <a href="https://myportal.nus.edu.sg/studentportal/student-insurance/all/">https://myportal.nus.edu.sg/studentportal/student-insurance/all/</a></td>
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