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
- Visa Application, Travel Advisories and Student Insurance

University of Gothenburg Summer School for Sustainability


Programme Dates: 4 July – 7 August 2022

Application Deadline: 7 February 2022 (via EduRec)

Only students nominated by NUS will be invited by University of Gothenburg to apply online.

No. of Placements: 10 fee-waiver places

COVID-19 related updates:

Students’ ability to travel to a country for Summer 2022 will be determined by the host country’s travel policies as well as any updates to the latest travel advisory from Singapore authorities. Do factor in the need for quarantine in the host country and stay-home notice upon return to Singapore when considering the feasibility of participating in these programmes.

To be eligible for physical (on-site) summer programmes, students will need to:

1. complete the compulsory Overseas Travel Preparedness (OTP) module on LumiNUS;
2. submit a copy of their vaccination certificate and the completed Risk Acknowledgement and ConsentForm when applying on EduRec;
3. declare their travel plans on the NUS Overseas Travel Declaration Portal;
4. register with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs or your country’s diplomatic mission; and
5. attend a pre-departure briefing conducted by GRO.

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. Students are advised not to make any financial commitments particularly those which are non-refundable until they are certain that travel is possible. Students will be fully responsible for any and all travel expenses, quarantine accommodation costs, COVID-19 tests or other costs related to the measures imposed at that point of time, both in the host country and Singapore.
| 1 | Programme Fee | • No programme fee if nominated by NUS and subsequently successfully selected by University of Gothenburg (GU).  
• However, students are responsible for airfare, accommodation, insurance and other personal expenditure.  
• Accommodation will be guaranteed at one of GU’s centrally located student housing complexes. Prices range between £350 - £500 for the five weeks. |
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| 2 | Academic Content | University of Gothenburg has been highly ranked three years in a row in Times Higher Education’s ranking for its work towards achieving the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.  
The summer school offers courses will focus on the issues relating to the Sustainable Development Goals and will provide a challenging and rewarding academic atmosphere for students to develop knowledge around contemporary sustainability challenges within your own academic discipline as well as skills necessary to contribute towards fulfilling Agenda 2030.  
Students will choose 1 of the 5 offered courses (7.5 ECTS each):  
- Teaching Sustainable Development from a Global Perspective  
- Managing Migration  
- Biodiversity in Western Sweden  
- Documentation and Interpretation of Rock Art  
- The Digitalisation of a Changing World |
| 3 | Eligibility Requirements | NUS’ generic eligibility requirements apply, please see GRO website for details.  
University of Gothenburg hopes to achieve a good mix of students from different countries and universities. But the general requirements are:  
• good grades in the undergraduate studies  
• completed at least first year of study  
• proficient in English |
| 4 | Application Procedure | You are REQUIRED TO apply via NUS’ EduRec-GE. Nominated students will be invited by University of Gothenburg to apply with them.  
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.  
Please note that you must accept both internal offer from EduRec (to proceed with module mapping) and external offer from the host university for the summer programme before you can participate in the programme. |
| 5 | Module Mapping | You can start the module mapping process after you apply in EduRec and accept |
INTERNATIONAL SUMMER/WINTER PROGRAMMES (i-SP)

Click here for a step-by-step guide on applying for module mapping. For the most up-to-date advice on module mapping, please refer here: http://www.nus.edu.sg/gro/global-programmes/summer-and-winterprogrammes/i-sp-module-mapping-faq

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

6 Financial Aid

You should have enough monetary funds to last you throughout the whole i-SP. Your decision to go on i-SP should not be dependent upon the confirmation of a scholarship or bursary award. You can consider the following financial aid options to fund your i-SP:

For Singaporeans only:
- NUS Awards for Study Abroad (NASA) Enhancement Bursary
- Overseas Student Programme (OSP) Loan
- Post-Secondary Education Account (PSEA) Funds

Please note that if you are successful for any financial aid, the funds will only be disbursed to you after completion of the programme.

7 Contact Information

Questions about the programme?
> Contact the host university at: summerschool@gu.se

Questions about module mapping?
> Visit this webpage.

Questions specific to NUS GRO?
> Contact us at: askGRO

Information correct as of 10 January 2022. Please check University of Gothenburg’s website for the most updated information.