

INTERNATIONAL SUMMER/WINTER PROGRAMMES (i-SP)

IMPORTANT NOTE

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

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

National Taiwan University: 2023 Biodiversity, Agriculture & Culture of Taiwan Summer Program (BACT)

(Updated as of 4 February 2023; due to the evolving COVID-19 situation, please check the official host university website for the most updated information before applying for the programme)

Host University Website: <https://oia.ntu.edu.tw/short-term-programs/courses/e005aAD9fa89>
 Programme Location: Taipei and Tainan, Taiwan
 Programme Dates: 26 Jun to 25 Jul 2023 (4 weeks)
 Application Deadline: **31 Mar 2023**
 No. of Placements: To be determined by host university

ESTIMATED COST OF PARTICIPATION										
1	Programme Fee	US\$3,700, inclusive of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Application fee • Accommodation • Course materials • Three fifths of meals • Transportation in Taiwan (for programme related travels) 								
2	Projected Expenditure	Click here to find additional estimates for airfare, private accommodation and personal expenses for various cities.								
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3	Financial Aid Available	<p>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.</p> <p>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:</p> <p>For Singaporeans only:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NUS Awards for Study Abroad (NASA) Enhancement Bursary 								

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overseas Student Programme (OSP) Loan • Post-Secondary Education Account (PSEA) Funds <p>Please note that if you are successful for any financial aid, the funds will only be disbursed to you after completion of the programme.</p>
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PROGRAMME DETAILS	
4	<p>Academic Content</p> <p>Please refer to https://oia.ntu.edu.tw/short-term-programs/courses/e005aAD9fa89</p>
5	<p>Eligibility Requirements</p> <p>NUS' generic eligibility requirements apply, please see GRO website for details.</p> <p>All applications are subject to the host university's review. Final selection is by NTU.</p>
6	<p>Accommodation</p> <p>Refer to the host university website for the accommodation arrangements https://oia.ntu.edu.tw/short-term-programs/courses/e005aAD9fa89</p> <p>Should university-arranged accommodation not be available, you will be responsible for securing your own accommodation.</p>
7	<p>Application Procedure</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. You must apply concurrently via <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) EduRec (in order to be able to proceed with module mapping and submission of financial aids application) and b) host university online application website 2. You must accept both the <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) EduRec offer and b) host university offer in order to confirm your participation in this programme. <p>✓ Only upon acceptance of the EduRec offer can you proceed with module mapping and apply for financial aid.</p> <p>✓ Applying on EduRec will allow GRO to contact and assist you in times of crisis/emergency while you are overseas. With an official application through EduRec, you will also be able to request GRO for supporting letters for visa application and NS deferment (for NSmen).</p> <p>✓ Please read the application guide before applying for the programme with NUS.</p>

8	Module Mapping	<p>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.</p> <p>For clarification, students may contact the SEP administrators/coordinators at their respective home Faculty/School Dean's Office or the academic department before applying for the programme.</p> <p>Students may map up to a maximum of 10 MCs for each Summer Programme. Over the course of study in NUS, students may map up to a total of 12 MCs for summer programmes. Beyond 12MCs, NUS Special Term tuition fees will apply, in addition to Summer/Winter Programme fees paid to the host university. For details, visit the Registrar's Office website.</p> <p>Module mapping request is subjected to approval from the Faculties.</p>
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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		
9	Visa Application	<p>Students of Singapore nationalities are eligible for the visa exemption program, with a stay of up to 30 days. For stay beyond 30 days, please apply for the visitor visa.</p> <p>Students of other nationalities and for more information on visa application procedures, please refer to: http://www.roc-taiwan.org/sg_en/post/34.html</p>
10	Travel Advisories	<p>Visit the MFA website for travel advisories on various countries from the Singapore government.</p>
11	Student Insurance	<p>NUS will continue to offer NUS Travel Insurance for approved study abroad programmes including international Summer Programmes (i-SP). For more information on COVID-related coverage under the NUS Student Insurance Scheme, please refer to the following link: http://nus.edu.sg/uhc/docs/defaultsource/insurance/frequently-asked-questions-on-covid-19.pdf</p>
12	Contact Information	<p>Questions about the programme? Contact Mr Jack Hsu at ntuciaee@ntu.edu.tw</p> <p>Questions specific to NUS GRO? Contact us at: global@nus.edu.sg</p>