

INTERNATIONAL SUMMER/WINTER PROGRAMMES (i-SP)

IMPORTANT NOTE

Before applying for any summer/winter programme, read the <u>Global Relations Office (GRO) website</u> for important information on:

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

University of California Los Angeles (UCLA) Summer Sessions

Host University Website: https://summer.ucla.edu/
Programme Location: Los Angeles, California, USA

Programme Dates: UCLA Summer Sessions offers a few session dates for students to choose

from. The session letter indicates the start date and the number indicates the length of the course in weeks. Many of the sessions overlap too much with NUS Sem 1, therefore students may only choose options in **blue** below:

SESSION A	SESSION B	SESSION C
A3: 26 Jun to 14 Jul 2023	B3: 17 to 4 Aug 2023	C3: 7 to 25 Aug 2023
(3 weeks)	(3 weeks)	(3 weeks)
A6: 26 Jun to 4 Aug 2023 (6 weeks)		C6: 7 Aug to 15 Sept 2023 (6 weeks)
A8: 26 Jun to 18 Aug 2023 (8 weeks)*		
A9: 26 Jun to 25 Aug 2023 (9 weeks)		
A10: 26 Jun to 1 Sept 2023		
(10 weeks)		

^{*}For students embarking on Session A8, you will need to get approval from your home School or Faculty given the overlap with AY2023/24 Semester 1.

Application Deadline: <u>Sessions A & B deadlines:</u>

EduRec Deadline: 1 Apr 2023 | UCLA Deadline: 1 May 2023 (Session A & B)

ESTIMATED COST OF PARTICIPATION			
1	Programme Fee	For more information on UCLA Summer Sessions Fees, please click <u>here</u> .	
2	Projected	Item	Estimated Cost
	Expenditure	The registration fee is usually USD \$850, but this is	
		discounted to USD \$350 for NUS students due to our	
		partnership. Students must register using the link	USD 350.00
		provided by NUS GRO to get the USD 350 price).	
	(Please read Section 7 of this Info Sheet carefully)		
		Course Fee (based on 8-unit enrolment @ USD 360	USD 2,880.00
		per unit)	030 2,880.00
		<u>IEI Fee</u>	USD 61.00
		<u>Document Fee</u>	USD 50.00

Estimated Total	USD 5,755 to USD 10,405
Housing and Meal Plan (based on the number of weeks and meals)	USD 1,470.79 to 6,120.48
iStart	USD 59.00
Health Insurance	USD 384.00
Service Fee	USD 500.00

Please make sure your balance is paid in full according to the payment deadlines advised by UCLA to avoid enrollment cancellations, holds on student records, and collection actions. Please read the following page carefully to understand the refund policies and cancellation fees associated with UCLA Summer Session. NUS will not be able to intervene should students be subject to the fees/penalties stated here: https://summer.ucla.edu/calendar/key-academic-dates/

NUS Financial Aid

You should have enough monetary funds to last you throughout the whole i-SP programme. 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
- <u>Post-Secondary Education Account (PSEA) Funds</u>
- <u>US-Singapore Summer Exchange Scholarship Programme</u>

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

PROGRAMME DETAILS

4 Academic Content

The best way for students to find courses they are interested in would be to go to UCLA's online course schedule at: https://sa.ucla.edu/ro/public/soc. The classes can be filtered by session and subject area. Information for summer 2023 courses will be released in early to mid-January 2023.

Course Descriptions

You may visit the <u>UCLA Registrar's website</u> for course descriptions or view the description of a specific course you have selected on the <u>Schedule of Classes</u>. When viewing the desired course, select the "Section" number to access additional information about the class.

UCLA Course Numbering

Each UCLA course is numbered from 1-599 (e.g., English 101). Below is a description of the UCLA course numbering system. Please select courses that best meet your current academic standing.

- 1-99: Lower division courses designed for undergraduate freshmen and sophomores
- 100-199: Upper division courses designed for undergraduate juniors and

		seniors200-499: Graduate and professional courses
		• 500-599: Graduate courses - open ONLY to current UCLA graduate students Course Restrictions
		Although the majority of summer courses are open to visiting non-UCLA students, a select few summer courses are restricted to "UCLA students only". To view course restrictions, visit the Schedule of Classes , search for your desired course, then click on the "Section" number.
		Requisites Some courses may require you to have taken specific courses or fulfilled certain requirements to enroll. Transcripts or proof of completion of a requisite course is not required for visiting Summer Sessions students. Although proof of requisite completion is not required, visiting students should have experience comparable to the listed requisite.
		Please read the <u>description of the courses</u> you intend to take before enrolling to decide if they are right for you.
5	Eligibility Requirements	NUS' generic eligibility requirements apply, please see NUS GRO website for details.
6	Accommodation	UCLA offers furnished residence halls and residential suites within easy walking distance of classrooms, libraries, and recreational facilities for summer students who are 15 years of age or older by the first day of summer (i.e., 21 Jun 2023).
		Most students find living on campus to be a convenient and enjoyable option during Summer Sessions. Housing is available for periods of 6, 8, 9, 10, and 12 weeks.
		To learn more about on-campus campus living, students may refer to the following: https://portal.housing.ucla.edu/summer-housing/summer-sessions-housing
7	Application Procedure	Please apply for this programme via EduRec first and then wait for GRO to provide additional information on applying/registering at UCLA. This is to ensure you receive the Registration Fee discount. Students who do not wait for further instruction from GRO run the risk of accidentally being charged the full Registration Fee and GRO is not able to guarantee a refund from UCLA.
		UCLA Registration opens 15 February 2022. The USD 850 registration fee is discounted to USD 350.00 for NUS students*. After completing the registration, you will receive access to enrolment on MyUCLA .
		*If prompted to pay the USD 850 Registration Fee, please check with NUS GRO by writing to global@nus.edu.sg before proceeding with payment.
		Registration Deadlines for international students: Sessions A & B: 1 April 2023 (EduRec) Sessions A & B: 1 May 2023 (by UCLA)

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. For the most upto-date advice on module mapping, please refer here: http://www.nus.edu.sg/gro/global-programmes/summer-and-winter-programmes/i-sp-module-mapping-faq
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9	Visa Application	For more information, please refer here:
		https://summer.ucla.edu/international-student-info/#:~:text=visa%20application
10	Travel Advisories	For the latest advice for travel to the USA from Singapore's Ministry of Foreign Affairs, please refer here: https://www.mfa.gov.sg/countries-regions/u/united-states/travel-page
11	Insurance	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: https://nus.edu.sg/uhc/docs/default-source/insurance/frequently-asked-questions-on-covid-19.pdf Health insurance is a requirement by the US federal government for all international students – no exceptions . Due to the high cost of health care in the United States, international students who receive the Form I-20 from UCLA are automatically enrolled in a two-part health insurance plan - BruinCare and Blue Cross/Blue Shield (PPO). Health insurance cannot be waived. A service fee (co-pay) may be charged before services are provided. It is important that students inform him/herself of all charges BEFORE obtaining treatment. For more information, please refer here: https://summer.ucla.edu/international-student-info/#:~:text=insurance
12	Contact Information	Questions about the programme? Contact the host university at: https://summer.ucla.edu/contact-us/ or international@summer.ucla.edu
		Questions about module mapping? Please check with your home faculty.
		Questions specific to NUS GRO? Contact us at global@nus.edu.sg.

Info correct as of 24 Feb 2023. Please check the UCLA's Summer Session links for the most up-to-date info.