



**Immersion Programs**

Program	<a href="#">National University of Singapore (NUS)</a>	<a href="#">Singapore University of Technology and Design (SUTD)</a>	Nanyang Technological University (NTU)
Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2.85 cumulative GPA at the time of application &amp; maintained through departure</li> <li>• Soph, Jr, Sr</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2.85 cumulative GPA at the time of application &amp; maintained through departure</li> <li>• Soph, Jr, or Sr - Must be an Engineering or Computer Science major</li> <li>• <i>Limited spaces available!</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2.85 cumulative GPA at the time of application &amp; maintained through departure</li> <li>• Soph, Jr, or Sr</li> </ul>
Coursework	<p>Rigorous classes taught in English in most UC majors. Fields include engineering, biological sciences, environmental studies, social sciences, &amp; South/ Southeast Asian studies.</p> <p>Students can only take one business/economics course and computer science majors will only be able to enroll in 1-2 computer science courses</p>	<p>SUTD offers an innovative design-centric and multi-disciplinary education for engineering students.</p> <p>Students must select one pillar (department):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) <a href="#">Engineering Product Development (EPD)</a></li> <li>2) <a href="#">Engineering Systems and Design (ESD)</a></li> <li>3) <a href="#">Information Systems Technology and Design (ISTD)</a></li> </ol>	Reference UCEAP Academics page for coursework information.
Units	24 UC quarter units per term	21-24 UC quarter units per term	24 UC quarter units per term
Calendar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fall: early-August to early-December</li> <li>• Spring: early- January to mid-May</li> <li>• Year: early-August to mid-May</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fall: early- September to late- December</li> <li>• Spring: mid-January to early- May</li> <li>• Year: early -September to early- May</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fall: late -July to early -Decemeber</li> <li>• Spring: early- January to early- May</li> <li>• Year: late- July to early -May</li> </ul>
Housing	On-campus dormitory residences or arrange own housing	On-campus dormitory	On-campus dormitory: students must apply by deadline to have guranteed on-campus housing
Cost	Fall: \$16,336* Spring: \$16,287* Year: \$31,108*	Fall: \$15,795* Spring: \$15,650* Year: \$29,368*	Fall: \$ 14,347 Spring: \$14,347 Year: \$15,194
<a href="#">Application Deadline</a>	Fall & Year 2024-25: February 22, 2024 Spring 2025: May 7, 2024	Fall & Year 2024-25: February 15,2024 (first-come, first-served) Spring 2025: July 1, 2024	Fall & Year 2024-2025: February 2, 2024 Spring 2025: May 7, 2024

**COST COMPARISON**

Year Total	July	August	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June
UCSB Year: \$37,710 <sup>†</sup>	UCSB Year (\$37,710 <sup>†</sup> )											
Option 1 \$41,476	NUS Fall (\$16,336* / 24 UC qtr units)			UCSB Winter (\$12,570 <sup>†</sup> )			UCSB Spring (\$12,570 <sup>†</sup> )					
Option 2 \$39,487	NTU Fall (\$14,347* / 24 UC qtr units)			UCSB Winter (\$12,570 <sup>†</sup> )			UCSB Spring (\$12,570 <sup>†</sup> )					
Option 3 \$40,935	SUTD Fall (\$15,795 / 21-24 UC qtr units)			UCSB Winter (\$12,570 <sup>†</sup> )			UCSB Spring (\$12,570 <sup>†</sup> )					
Option 4 \$28,857	UCSB Fall (\$12,570 <sup>†</sup> )			NUS Spring (\$16,287* / 24 UC qtr units)								
Option 5 \$26,400	UCSB Fall (\$12,570 <sup>†</sup> )			SUTD Spring (\$14,550 / 21-24 UC qtr units)								
Option 6 \$26,917	UCSB Fall (\$12,570 <sup>†</sup> )			NTU Spring (\$14,347 / 24 UC qtr units)								
Option 7 \$15,194	Nanyang Technological University Year (\$15,194 / 24 UC qtr units)											
Option 8 \$31,108*	NUS Year (\$31,108* / 48 UC qtr units)											
Option 9 \$29,368	SUTD Year (\$29,368 / 42-48 UC qtr units)											

<sup>†</sup>Based on the UCSB Financial Aid Office 2023-24 cost of attendance for undergraduate California residents living off-campus, rounded to the nearest \$50.

\*Estimate based on UCEAP 2023-24 cost includes: UC tuition for students who entered UC fall 2022 or earlier (other students must determine their costs based on the [cohort-based tuition](#) for the year they entered UC), program fees, pre-departure expenses (visa, etc.), travel insurance, round trip airfare, room & board, books, and other incidental expenses. **Not included:** Non-resident fees and \$363/quarter UC Student Health Insurance Plan (UC SHIP) if you have UC SHIP at UCSB. Fees listed are estimates and subject to change.

## SINGAPORE

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### Summer Programs

Program	<a href="#">Biodiversity</a> , National University of Singapore (NUS)	<a href="#">STEM Research in Singapore</a> , Singapore University of Technology and Design (SUTD)	<a href="#">Summer Global Internship, Singapore</a> , Council on International Education Exchange (CIEE)
Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2.85 cumulative GPA at the time of application and maintained through departure</li> <li>• Soph, Jr, Sr, or Grad</li> <li>• Prior study of Biology/Environmental Studies preferred</li> <li>• <i>Limited spaces available!</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2.85 cumulative GPA at the time of application and maintained through departure</li> <li>• Soph, Jr, or Sr</li> <li>• <i>Limited spaces available!</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2.50 cumulative GPA at the time of application and maintained through departure</li> <li>• Soph, Jr, or Sr</li> <li>• Must be between the age of 18 and 25 for duration of the program</li> <li>• Political Science majors are <u>NOT</u> eligible</li> </ul>
Coursework	Students enroll in two required courses: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Field Studies in Biodiversity (includes a week-long fieldtrip to Pulau Tioman, an island off the coast of Malaysia)</li> <li>2) Beginning Chinese or Bahasa Indonesian Language</li> </ol> See <a href="#">here</a> for descriptions of the program courses.	Students work full-time on research projects alongside SUTD students and under the supervision of SUTD faculty.           -Project Examples: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3D Printed Holograms</li> <li>• Smart Knee Brace</li> <li>• Data Analytics/ Machine Learning for Continuous Glucose Monitoring for Diabetics</li> <li>• Exploring the Effects of Aging on Understanding Others' Minds</li> </ul>	Eight-week full-time internship (200-240 hours) program including an integrated academic hybrid course, both online and in-person, that meets once a week and has weekly readings and assignments and a final capstone paper.           CIEE coordinates internship placements in a variety of industry sectors, such as Communications, Life Sciences, Technology, Business, Community Development, Health Sciences, and Policy and Law.
Units	12 UC quarter units	10 UC quarter units	9 UC quarter units
Calendar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Summer: mid-June to late- July</li> <li>• Plus one additional week after the program ends to complete and submit a required research report</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Summer: mid-June to mid-August</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Summer: mid-June to mid-August</li> </ul>
Housing	Students stay in an on-campus dormitory residence for the first part of the program. During the week-long field trip in Malaysia, students stay in hotel.	On-campus dormitory	International student hostel or hotel
Restrictions	If you currently hold or have ever held Singaporean citizenship, there are important considerations for studying abroad in these programs. The Singaporean government requires all male citizens and permanent residents over the age of 16 to register for military training. You may also be required to submit additional paperwork. Consult the Singaporean Embassy for more information.		
Cost	Summer: \$10,157*	Summer: \$9,357*	Summer: \$12,689*
<a href="#">Application Deadline</a>	Summer 2024: January 5, 2024	Summer 2024: January 5, 2024 (first-come, first-served)	Summer 2023: December 12, 2023

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**National University of Singapore (NUS)** is an innovative global university with modern facilities and top-ranked academic programs. NUS is a leading center for Southeast Asian studies and is distinguished in engineering, business, and the biological sciences. NUS is equally strong in systems science, information technology, social sciences, and humanities. Located at the tip of the Malaysian Peninsula on the Indian Ocean, NUS offers strengths in the marine sciences as well. Its main Kent Ridge campus is situated on a spacious area about 20 minutes from the city center, easily accessible by public transportation. A circle of science and technology research parks border the campus and collaborate with NUS in promoting research, education, and enterprise.

**Singapore University of Technology and Design (SUTD)**'s mission is to advance knowledge and nurture technically-grounded leaders and innovators to serve societal needs, with a focus on Design, through an integrated multi-disciplinary curriculum and multi-disciplinary research.

**CIEE** was founded in 1947 as a nonprofit, non-governmental organization with the mission "to help people gain the understanding, acquire knowledge, and develop skills for living in a globally interdependent and culturally diverse world."