

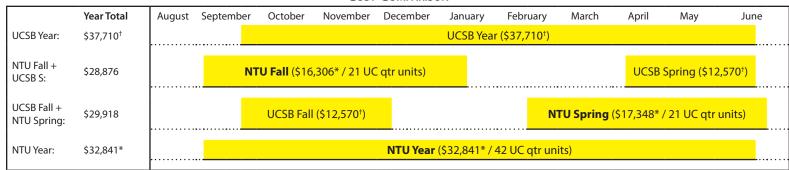
TAIWAN

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Located in the heart of Taipei, NTU is the country's oldest and most comprehensive university. Known locally as Taida, NTU is one of the top-ranked institutions in Asia and is considered one of the top 100 research universities worldwide, counting a strong network of influential social, business, academic, and political leaders as its alumni, including our very own Chancellor Yang!

Program	<u>Chinese in Taipei</u> , National Taiwan University - <i>NEW Program!</i>	<u>National Taiwan University</u> (NTU)	<u>Research in Taipei,</u> National Taiwan University
Requirements	2.50 cumulative GPA at the time of application and maintained through departure	3.00 cumulative GPA at the time of application and maintained through departure	2.70 cumulative GPA at the time of application and maintained through departure
	• Soph, Jr, Sr, or Grad	Soph, Jr, Sr, or Grad (must have completed at least 2 semesters/3 quarters of university coursework at the time of nomination)	• Jr, Sr, or Grad
Restrictions	None	Students who have only Taiwanese citizenship are not eligible for this program. PRC citizens may only apply for the fall or spring program.	None
Coursework	Coursework designed for students of all levels. Students enroll in two required courses: 1) Chinese Language: The curriculum provides opportunities for interaction and improving communication abilities. It includes different themes that tie together the daily language class, cultural activities, and interactions with locals. 2) Exploring Taiwan: This course offers a series of lectures and field trips that allow students to explore specific environmental and sociocultural aspects of Taiwan. All courses taught in Chinese as well as Chinese language classes use traditional Chinese (complex) characters.	Coursework taught in English related to business, economics, engineering, and political science, or Asian studies courses designed for international students. Students with native or near-native Chinese language ability may take courses from a broad range of offerings taught in Chinese. Chinese language study available from beginning to advanced levels. All courses taught in Chinese as well as Chinese language classes use traditional Chinese (complex) characters.	Students enroll in two required courses: 1) Lab Research: Lab time is generally 30 or more hours per week, including weekly team meetings. The time commitment varies depending on the project and your assigned lab team. 2) Exploring Taiwan: This course offers a series of lectures, cultural activities, and excursions to look at Taiwan's geography, society, and culture. Review the list of departments with available research opportunities (subject to change) here. Browse through leading professors' backgrounds and specialties here.
Units	12 UC quarter units	21-30 UC quarter units per term	9 UC quarter units
Calendar	Summer: early July to mid-August	 Fall: late August- late December Spring: mid-February - mid June Year: late August- mid June 	Summer: early July to mid-August
Housing	On- campus dorm with local and international students	Self arranged dorm or apartment - Due to a severe housing shortage, students should be prepared to make their own housing arrangements.	On-campus dorm with local and international students
Cost	Summer: \$10,339*	• Fall: \$16,306* • Spring: \$17,348* • Year: \$32,841*	Summer: \$9,502*
Application Deadline	Summer 2024: February 20,2024	• Fall & Year 2024-2025: March 1, 2024 • Spring 2024: Septemeber 1, 2024	Summer 2024: February 20, 2024

COST COMPARISON



†Based on the UCSB Financial Aid Office 2023-2024 cost of attendance for undergraduate California residents living off-campus, rounded to the nearest \$50.
*Estimate based on UCEAP 2023- 2024 cost includes: UC tuition for students who entered UC fall 2022 or earlier (other students must determine their costs based on the <u>cohort-based tuition</u> 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.