



香港科技大學
THE HONG KONG UNIVERSITY OF
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY



June 18 – July 13, 2012

The Hong Kong University of
Science and Technology

International Summer Program **2012**

A summer of excellence

For Exchange Students

The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

As one of Asia's most successful universities, HKUST is a brilliant place for you to spend the summer of 2012.

A world-class university in an international city, HKUST has excellent faculty and great facilities. Our campus is situated on a hillside with a spectacular view of the South China Sea, only 30 minutes away from downtown Hong Kong. With the best mass transit system in the world you can explore all of Hong Kong conveniently and fully discover its unique culture.



The HKUST International Summer Program

The HKUST International Summer Program comprises high-quality education and enriching cultural activities that will give you the most enjoyable summer experience.

Our courses cover business, engineering, humanities and social sciences. All courses are taught in English. Mandarin (Putonghua) language courses are offered for beginners and more advanced speakers. Step outside and you can practice your language skills.

As part of your experience we will take you to visit old and new Hong Kong and open your eyes to the Asian experience. It's a chance to learn about Chinese culture and to meet and mingle with other international students.

An optional study trip at the end of classes will take you up into Mainland China to Xi'an in Shaanxi Province. Once an ancient capital of China and the end of the Silk Road, Xi'an is now famous for the terracotta army of Qin Shi Huang, the first Emperor of China.



Courses

Courses covering various disciplines are offered. To complete the program, each student will study up to 6 credits (equivalent to 2 courses). All courses are conducted in English. Each course bears 3 credits and the minimum number of contact hours is 42.

Enrichment Activities

A series of enrichment activities will take place throughout the program including the welcome and farewell banquets, local tours, workshops and performances.

Study Tour (optional)

An optional study tour to Xi'an, China will be held after the program.

Students will enjoy a great time traveling through the city's famous cultural and historical spots, such as the Museum of Terra-cotta Warriors.



Course List

All courses listed are regular undergraduate courses of HKUST and are conducted in English.

Each course bears 3 credits and the minimum number of contact hours is 42. Each student can study a maximum of 6 credits (equivalent to 2 courses). For credit transferability, students should obtain pre-approval from their home institution before applying for the program.

Courses normally span over 4 weeks throughout the entire program period. Some will have additional class time in the evening and only span over 2 weeks. Classes are scheduled on Monday through Thursday only. Local tours and/or enrichment activities will take place on Fridays and/or other weekday evenings.

Courses are subject to change. For the most updated information and class schedule, please visit our official website: <http://isp.ust.hk/>.

Business and Management

ISOM1700	Operations Management
MGMT4000	Managing Across Culture
RMBI1010	Risk Management in Society

Chinese Language

LANG1120 Putonghua for Non-Chinese language background students I
More advanced Putonghua courses will also be available.

Environment

ENVR1020	Urban Air Pollution
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Humanities and Social Science

HUMA1120	Film Art and Cinema Culture
HUMA1410	General Chinese History: Pre-modern
HUMA2101	Enjoyment of Western Music
SOSC1440	Introduction to Economics
SOSC1850	Understanding Society
SOSC1980	Psychology and Personal Growth

Science and Engineering

ENGG1150	IT Revolution: Past, Present and Future
MATH1713	Flattening the Earth: Maps and Map Projections

Admission

The International Summer Program is open to all undergraduate students in good standing from around the world.

You can join as an exchange student if you are studying at one of HKUST's 173 Exchange Partner universities. Tuition is paid to your home university.

Fees

Exchange Student	
Program Fee	USD\$400
Program Fee Breakdown	
Application Fee	-
Tuition Fee (6 credits)	fees payable to home institution only
International Student Fee	-
Accommodation Fee	USD 400
Caution Money (refundable)	HKD 400 (USD 50)
Tour fee for China study tour (optional)	USD 800



Program Schedule

Application Deadline

application form
(with complete set of supporting documents) 23 March, 2012

Notification of offer of admission Rolling

Arrivals (student halls check-in) 16 and 17 June, 2012

Orientation / Welcome Dinner 17 June, 2012

Classes begin 18 June, 2012

Classes and examinations end 12 July, 2012

Program ends / Farewell Banquet 13 July, 2012

Optional China study tour 15 – 22 July, 2012*

Departures (student halls check-out)

for students not joining the China tour 14 July, 2012

for students joining the China tour 21 July, 2012

* The optional China study tour will take place after the program. Confirmed tour dates will be announced later on our website.

Visit <http://isp.ust.hk/> for application instructions

Application deadline for all students: **23 March 2012**





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