



Faculty of

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The University of Hong Kong

香港大學社會科學學院

# First-year Experience **Briefing on Outgoing Exchange and Overseas Summer Programmes** Thursday October 27, 2016 | 4:30pm Social Sciences Chamber, 11/F, The Jockey Club Tower, Centennial Campus, HKU

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#### Partner Universities (Faculty-level Exchange Programmes)

- 1. Fudan University, China
- 2. IE University, Spain
- 3. Lomonosov Moscow State University, Russia
- 4. National Chengchi University, Taiwan
- 5. National Taiwan University, Taiwan
- 6. National University of Singapore, Singapore
- 7. The University of Warwick, the U.K.
- 8. Tsinghua University, China
- 9. Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi Milano, Italy
- 10. University of Essex, the U.K.
- 11. University of Kent, the U.K.
- 12. University of St Andrews, the U.K.
- 13. Waseda University, Japan











- > One year of exchange studies in Japan, South Korea and Hong Kong
- Autumn semester in Tokyo (Keio); Spring semester in Seoul (Yonsei); Summer in HK (HKU)
- Medium of instruction: English
- Quotas: 10 students from HKU







## 3 CAMPUS East Asia Keio · Yonsei · HKU







- Study together with students from the following renowned overseas universities in South Korea and Hong Kong
  - ✓ Cornell University
  - ✓ Princeton University
  - √ King's College London
  - ✓ Georgetown University
  - ✓ University of Geneva
  - ✓ University of Southern California
- Website: www.socsc.hku.hk/3campus/













#### > Scholarships

All accepted students reach the academic standard are eligible for HKUWW scholarship (subject to approval by IAO) All accepted FOSS students will be offered **an additional** HK\$15,000 scholarship

- Pay HKU tuition fee + travel and living expenses
- Keio and Yonsei will assist in finding accommodation in Japan and South Korea

Fulfill the Global Citizenship
requirement by transferring course
credits of advanced courses from Keio
University and Yonsei University

Fulfill the <u>Social Innovation</u>
requirement by undertaking a taught course and a 6-week internship in Summer in Hong Kong





## (dual degree)

First 3 years at HKU



Final
2 years
at Geneva



BSocSc (HKU)
+
MA degree (Geneva)

- MA programmes include International Relations, International Economics and International Law, etc.
- ➤ Learning experience will include an internship in one of the 40 international organisations based in Geneva, such as various UN Offices, WTO, and organisations in labour, telecommunications, human rights, HIV/AIDS etc.
- > Students in the third year are eligible
- Website: <a href="http://www.socsc.hku.hk/programmes.html?iframesrc=programmes/hku-geneva.html">http://www.socsc.hku.hk/programmes.html?iframesrc=programmes/hku-geneva.html</a>



## When you plan for Exchange

- 1) Take time and do research on host institutions' requirements
- 2) Get yourself prepared for fulfilling the specific requirements
- 3) Research on the major or courses from preferred host institutions







## When you get an offer

BEFORE departure, you are required to:

- □ complete application procedures including the following through the Outgoing Exchange Study Application System (OES)
  - apply for Leave of Absence with/without Credit Transfer through
  - submit the academic calendar of the host institution to FOSS via the OES
  - submit relevant course outlines/descriptions for the planned courses



#### Workflow for Applying Credit Transfer

# Phase 1: Before Departure Phase 2: On Exchange 1. Submit Application 2. Result Announcement 1. Submit and Add New Courses 2. Result Announcement 1. Confirm Study Plan

► For the period of 2016/17 (First Semester and Full Year)

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Phase 1: Before Departure

Application Period: 05/09/2016 - 10/09/2016 (Hong Kong Time 12:00 noon)

Result Announcement: 16/08/2016

Phase 2: On Exchange

**Application Number** 

Application Period: Within 21 days upon commencement of a semester

Result Announcement: Within 35 days upon commencement of a semester

Confirm Study Plan: Within 42 days upon commencement of a semester



201610031	Faculty of Social Sciences Exchange Programme (University of Warwick)

**Exchange Programme** 

#### Important notes:

- 1) The Faculty Office will send out notification email announcing the commencement of the application period for the OES.
- Select not fewer than 24 nor more than 36 HKU-equivalent credits of courses in any one semester.
- 3) Leave of absence and credit transfer must be applied BEFORE DEPARTURE.
- 4) At least 50% of the credits for fulfilling a major (excluding the fulfilment of Social Innovation and Global Citizenship)/ minor programme requirement must be taken at HKU.



#### When you return to HK

The official transcript issued by the host institution is required in order to complete the credit transfer process and the transcript shall be sent by the host institution to HKU 1 to 2 month(s) after your exchange studies.

Only the credits of successfully completed courses at the host institution can be transferred to HKU.

> The host institution will send the transcripts to the organizers of exchange programmes (e.g. IAO) and the transcripts will be forwarded to the Faculty Office for credit transfer.

> However, if you wish to obtain a copy of transcript for your good self, you should apply it from the host institution direct.





#### Outgoing Exchange Study Application System



#### Hong Kong Time:

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Oct 25, 2016 10:01

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#### Credit Transfer Result

Course Code/Title

Student Name:

University No.:

Course

After reviewing your assessment results attained at **the National University of Singapore** during your exchange studies in the second semester of the 2015-2016 academic year, please be confirmed that the following credits of courses be transferred to your study at this University:

HKU-equivalent Credit

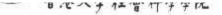
Prefix	course code, ride	(adjusted*)	Course	(Introductory/ Advanced)	requirement
GRMN	/ German 4	6	t GRMN3002	Advanced	Minor in German-Disciplinary Elective
	Learning and Conditioning	6	TFSS9000	Advanced	Major in Psychology-Core/Compulsory
Researc	ch and Statistical Methods II	6	PSYC2060	Advanced	Major in <u>Psychology-Disciplinary</u> Elective

HKU-equivalent

Level

Fulfilling major/ minor/ Global Citizenship

Total number of Credit: 18



## **Exchange Application**

	University-level	Faculty-level	Departmental-level
Coordinator	International Affairs Office	Faculty of Social Sciences	Journalism and Media Studies Centre
Application Period	September 5 – December 1, 2016	November 1 – December 1, 2016	November 23 – December 11, 2016
Website	http://www.als.hku.hk/ad mission/exchange/outgoi ng-students	http://www.socsc.hku.hk/exchange	http://jmsc.hku.hk/2010/01/international-student-exchanges/



## **FAQ**

- Who is eligible to apply for exchange?
   You are eligible to apply if you are non-final year full time HKU undergraduate students.
- 2) I am a Year 1 student and I don't have my CGPA now. Can I apply for exchange programme?
  - Yes, you can. We will refer to your CGPA after 2016/17 Semester 1 results have been announced.
- 3) What is the difference between Faculty-level exchange and HKUWW exchange from IAO?
  - More partner institutions are available for selection under HKUWW. However, it is more competitive than Faculty-level exchange. After your get the offer, all the processes will be similar.



## **Q&A Session**

