THE CHINESE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG Office of Academic Links

Let's Go Summer! Summer Programmes 2025

1) Eligibility

- All <u>local</u> CUHK full-time undergraduate students are welcome to apply for the summer programmes, except for students who have accepted an exchange offer for 2025-26 from any CUHK units.
- Students are only eligible for summer programmes which take place and end on or before their expected graduation date.
- Participation in a summer programme offered through this exercise will not affect students' future application(s) to the outgoing exchange selection organized by Office of Academic Links (OAL).
- If eligible, students can apply for the <u>2nd round of CUHK Outgoing Exchange Programmes selection 2025-26</u> and Let's Go Summer at the same time.
 However, students who have accepted an exchange offer for 2025-26 from the 2nd round would not be given an offer of Let's Go Summer.

2) Application Procedures and Selection Schedule

Date & Time (2025)	Deadline/Activity
17 February (Mon) (09:00)	Webform available for application
23 March (Sun) (23:59)	Deadline for application
26 March (Wed) (17:00)	Announcement of application results via email (students without an offer will be put on a waitlist)
27 – 28 March (Thu – Fri)	Acceptance of offer and submission of offer acceptance documents and deposit (to i-Centre*) by students, if applicable
31 March (Mon)	Announcement of waitlist results via phone call
2 – 3 April (Wed – Thu)	Acceptance of offer and submission of offer acceptance documents and deposit (to i-Centre*) by waitlisted students, if applicable

^{*}i-Centre

Address: 1/F, Yasumoto International Academic Park Opening Hours: Monday – Friday, 09:00 – 17:30

3) Available Programmes

Click <u>here</u> for the list of selected summer programmes for application.

- Students should pay attention to the following when applying for the programmes:
 - Eligibility to join the programme(s), i.e. whether you meet the admission requirements specified by host institution(s) and if the programme(s) takes place and ends on or before your expected graduation date (as of 24 March 2025 on CUSIS);
 - Interests in the courses offered by the programmes.

4) Submitting an Online Application

- Interested students must complete and submit an <u>online application form</u> from 17 February 2025 (09:00) to 23 March 2025 (23:59).
- For programmes having a minimum TOEFL/IELTS score requirement, students must upload a copy of score report from a TOEFL/IELTS test taken on or after 1 September 2023 to the online application form for verification. TOEFL MyBest Scores and the result from IELTS One Skill Retake are not accepted.

5) Placement Allocation

- Applications submitted according to the instructions will be processed by OAL.
 Incomplete and/or late applications will not be considered.
- Each programme has a limited enrolment quota. Eligible students would be provided an offer, if any, according to their choice of programmes and quota availability. Student's expected graduation date, previous participation in exchange programmes offered by CUHK and cumulative GPA (CGPA) as of 24 March 2025 will also be taken into consideration.
- Students meeting the following criteria¹ will be given priority in placement allocation.
 - 1. Have not participated in any exchange programmes offered by CUHK units (as of 24 March 2025);
 - 2. Have an earlier expected graduation date (as of 24 March 2025) on CUSIS: and
 - 3. Have a higher CGPA as of 24 March 2025.

Should there be limited quota for a programme and multiple eligible applicants with the same expected graduation date, previous exchange experience and CGPA, OAL will draw lots to provide offers among those students.

Application results will be announced on 26 March 2025 (17:00) via email.

6) Deposit and Fees

 Successful applicants will be sponsored to participate in one of the selected summer programmes. OAL will, as specified in the programme list, pay the tuition/programme fee to the host institutions directly or reimburse the tuition/programme fee to students after completion of the summer programme.

 Students have to pay other fees such as accommodation, flight tickets, insurance. A deposit of HK\$2,000 is also required by OAL which will be refunded

¹ Sequence of the listed criteria matters.

- upon successful completion of the programmes. Eligible students can apply for subsidy under Education Bureau (EDB) subsidy scheme.
- For processing of the deposit refund and/or the reimbursement of the tuition/programme fee, students must submit to OAL a transcript with passing grade(s) and/or certificate of completion issued by the host institutions by 12 September 2025; otherwise, no refund will be arranged.
- If students fail to complete the programme, i.e. attending classes and activities, completing assignments and passing assessments of the programme, they must repay the tuition/programme fee to OAL and the deposit of HK\$2,000 will not be refunded.
- Students may apply to the host institutions directly, i.e. not applying through OAL.
 However, they will be required to pay to the host institutions the programme fee or tuition.

7) Enquiry

 Students are welcome to approach the Student Advisors at OAL for information/advice on the summer programmes.

Programme Location	Student Advisor
Americas	Mr. Ron PANG
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Asia	Ms. Jessica POON
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Europe	Ms. Natalia CHAN
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• For enquiry for application procedures, please contact Ms. Elaine Poon at elainepoon@cuhk.edu.hk.

OAL reserves all rights to change the application arrangements (including programme availability) and make final decisions on student's eligibility and placement allocation.

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