

Exchange Student Program



上海外国语大学
SHANGHAI INTERNATIONAL STUDIES UNIVERSITY

Shanghai International Studies University





WELCOME TO SISU

Upholding the motto of “Integrity, Vision and Academic Excellence”, Shanghai International Studies University (SISU) is an internationally recognized, prestigious academic institution distinctive for its multidisciplinary and multicultural nature, committed to preparing innovative professionals and future global leaders for a wide range of international expertise to address the critical challenges of our times.

We have made it a strategic priority in our development planning to go global and actively encourage a global vision by providing unique and valuable experience for students and researchers from all over the world to interact across national, cultural and linguistic borders. SISU established partnerships with more than 420 universities and institutions from 63 countries and regions, and have maintained close connection with international organizations, including the United Nations and the European Union. More than 4,600 international students have been enrolled each year over the past five years in our Chinese language programs or other degree schemes, and 10 Confucius Institutes have been established in Asia, Africa, Europe, North and South America.

Over the past seven decades, our graduates have been contributing to the economic, cultural and social development of China and to the promotion of friendly exchange with people around the world.





STUDY IN THE HEART OF SHANGHAI

The city of Shanghai is one of the world's most vibrant cities, a place blooming with so much life and diversity, making a visitor's stay truly memorable. It is a city where the traditions of the east blend perfectly with those of the west, where the old Shikumen buildings proudly stand side by side with the new skyscrapers of the modern world.

Here are some fun facts about Shanghai:

- 1 With nearly 25 million, Shanghai is China's largest city in terms of its population. Nearly 9 million international tourists enjoying Shanghai's top sights each year;
- 2 Shanghai literally means "Above/Upon the Sea," which alludes to the city's location along the Yangtze River Delta near the South China Sea. As an excellent sea and river port, it boasts easy access to the vast hinterland of China;
- 3 Shanghai aims to become an international center for economics, finance, trade, shipping, technology and innovation by the year of 2035;
- 4 The city is divided into two parts by the Huangpu River: Puxi is the older part of the city and hosts the majority of shops and museums; Pudong is the modern part, and is recognized for its extremely impressive high-rises;
- 5 Shanghai has become a gastronomic center of all the major cuisine of China. The downtown area also has a plethora of glitzy foreign restaurants to suit the palate of international tourists.



PROGRAMS

Campus	Programs	Level	Teaching Language
Hongkou Campus	Chinese Language Program	Bachelor	Chinese
	Master of Business Administration (MBA)	Master	English
	China Studies		
Songjiang Campus	International Relations		
	English Language and Literature (the Intercultural Communication [IC] direction)		
	Journalism (Chinese Media and Global Journalism)		
	Communication (Global Communication)		
	Finance		

★ For more information about the programs, please visit our website: <http://oisa.shisu.edu.cn>

REQUIREMENTS FOR ENGLISH-TAUGHT PROGRAMS

- 1) Applicant must currently be enrolled as a post-graduate student or third/fourth-year undergraduate student;
- 2) Non-native English speakers must have one of the following:
 - > TOEFL score of 92iBT
 - > IELTS score 6.5
 - > Certificates that prove student who has studied for at least two years at, or received a degree from an English speaking high school, college, or university

APPLICATION DOCUMENTS

- 1) SISU Application Form for Exchange Students
- 2) Certification of study at home university
- 3) Motivation letter/ Study plan
- 4) Letter of nomination by the international office of home university
- 5) Photocopy of passport
- 6) Two passport photos (size: 5cm*4cm)
- 7) Photocopy of English proficiency certificate (for English-taught programs)





DURATION AND APPLICATION DEADLINE

The program lasts one or two semesters. The Fall semester starts in early September, while the Spring semester starts in late February.

Spring Semester	Late February - Early July
Application Deadline	November 15
Fall Semester	Early September - Mid January
Application Deadline	May 15

★ The exact registration dates will be announced in the acceptance letter.

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ADMISSION

Once accepted, applicants will receive an admission package including an acceptance letter, visa application form (JW202 form) and registration information.

Applicants who wish to study for more than one semester are required to do a physical examination in advance. It should be done in a national or public hospital in their home country within 4 months prior to the registration date at SISU. If the applicant is in China, he/she should do it at the local Entry-Exit Inspection and Quarantine Bureau.

★Please keep all the application documents (original and photocopy) after the visa application.





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