IMMERSE YOURSELF IN A NEW CULTURE. NYU Shanghai students have a genuine interest in China and beyond and an openness to experience new cultures. From food and language learning to China’s role in the global economy, as a student here, you’ll be immersed in Chinese culture during your everyday life.

DARE TO EXPLORE. NYU Shanghai students share the desire to discover—in terms of both their academic programs and the world around them. All students arrive “undecided.” You’ll have the opportunity to take courses in a variety of disciplines before declaring a major at the end of your sophomore year. You’ll also learn new things every day as you engage with the city and its surrounding communities.

EMBRACE AN INTERNATIONAL MIND-SET. Each incoming class is half Chinese and half international. All international students are paired with Chinese roommates during their first year. This means you’ll engage with peers from an incredible range of cultures and backgrounds, including China and more than 70 other countries.

NYU Shanghai is the first undergraduate university in China to award both US and Chinese degrees.

“I liked the idea of NYU Shanghai and its vision of intercultural dialogue. It was the only school where I thought if I didn’t go here, I’d be missing out.”

—Anthony Comeau, Class of 2019

STUDENT BODY

- 44 US states represented
- 70+ countries represented
- 30+ languages spoken
- 6:1 student-faculty ratio
- 1,600+ students currently enrolled
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- 30 provinces of China represented
- 30% of students are from the US
WHERE GREAT MINDS CONVENE

From its unique location in China’s largest city, a hub for 21st-century advancements in technology, business, finance, and the arts, NYU Shanghai offers world-class academics and research, faculty who are invested in your success, and a student body whose cultural diversity is unmatched. Rooted in the liberal arts and sciences, NYU Shanghai’s curriculum gives you the chance to explore your interests before deciding on a major. Whether you choose to focus on the humanities, science, or business, you gain an education that will set you apart and make you a highly desirable candidate in the workforce of tomorrow.

DELVE INTO THE CORE

NYU Shanghai’s Core Curriculum has seven components that give you a strong foundation in the liberal arts and sciences. They are:

- ALGORITHMIC THINKING
- CULTURAL FOUNDATIONS
- LANGUAGE
- MATHEMATICS
- SCIENCE
- SOCIAL FOUNDATIONS
- WRITING

Top 4 majors in the Class of 2019 were Business and Finance, Computer Science, Data Science, and Social Science

61% of the Class of 2019 completed a second major or minor

WEAVE TOGETHER YOUR ACADEMIC INTERESTS

These students used the opportunities available to them through NYU Shanghai to forge an academic path all their own.

Lauren Benedict came to NYU Shanghai planning to focus on Business and Finance, but after taking a course called The Concept of China and learning about the country from multiple perspectives, she was inspired to add a second major: Global China Studies.

Eszter Vigh, an Interactive Media and Business major and Social Science minor with a concentration in global public health, studied at NYU Accra in Ghana where she interned at a hospital and took a course called Mass Communications in Public Health and Health Education to further explore her interest in media and health care.

With support from the Deans’ Undergraduate Research Fund, Computer Science major Sevi Reyes worked with classmates to create a robotic arm to aid those with disabilities. He also studied at NYU London and New York City and interned at banks in each city, as well as in Shanghai, leading to a job opportunity at Morgan Stanley.

AREAS OF STUDY

Once you have completed your core courses, you may declare a major from among 19 options, including a Self-Designed Honors Major.

ACADEMIC MAJORS

- Biology
- Business and Finance
- Business and Marketing
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Computer Systems Engineering
- Data Science
- Economics
- Electrical and Systems Engineering
- Global China Studies
- Honors Mathematics
- Humanities (creative writing, history, literature, philosophy)
- Interactive Media and Business
- Interactive Media Arts
- Mathematics
- Neural Science
- Physics
- Self-Designed Honors Major (merge courses from multiple departments to create your own academic plan)
- Social Science (anthropology, environmental studies, global public health, international relations, political economy, political science, psychology, sociology)

ACADEMIC MINORS

- Business
- Chinese
- Creative Writing
- Genomics and Bioinformatics
- History
- Literature
- Molecular and Cell Biology
- Philosophy

GLOBAL NETWORK MINORS

- Art History Studies
- Art Studies
- Australian Culture and Society
- British Culture and Society
- Central European Culture and Society
- Cultural Studies
- Entrepreneurship and Innovation
- European Culture and Society
- Fashion Studies
- French Culture and Society
- German Culture and Society
- Global Cities Studies
- Global Public Health Studies
- Globalization Studies
- Italian Culture and Society
- Journalism Studies
- Latin American Culture and Society
- Middle Eastern Culture and Society
- Pan African Culture and Society
- Photographic Studies
- Political Studies
- Psychological Studies
- Sociological Studies
- Spanish Culture and Society
- Sustainability Studies
- West African Culture and Society

A NOTE FOR STUDENTS INTERESTED IN PREMED AND PRELAW:

NYU Shanghai provides preprofessional advising in prehealth and prelaw for students who wish to pursue further education in preparation for careers in health and legal professions.
NYU Shanghai is the intellectual home of 234 of the world’s best teachers, scholars, researchers, and mentors. And because class sizes are small (the student-to-faculty ratio is 6-to-1), your professors are able to provide you with individualized academic guidance, advise you on research projects, help you connect with professionals in your field, and serve as career mentors in the future.

40% are international
60% are Chinese
33 nationalities represented
234 full-time faculty members

Here are a just few examples of how NYU Shanghai students have partnered with faculty to carry out cutting-edge research:

→ Under the mentorship of Professor Keith Ross, Computer Science major Alexandru Grigoras laid the groundwork for a virtual assistant software that interacts with other software using emulated human actions and gestures, rather than relying on specific software integration, to perform any technological task a human being can achieve using software.

→ With the help of Professor Pekka Santtila, Suncica Bruck, a Social Science major, conducted meta-analysis to determine how support from a service dog can improve various areas of difficulty associated with autism spectrum disorder (ASD), including impairments in social interaction and communication, limiting stereotypical behaviors, and the stress and anxiety that families of children who have ASD experience.

→ Business and Finance major Wanning Fu, mentored by Professor Tatiana Linkhoeva, conducted a study showing how Japan implemented both Western and Chinese ideas during the Meiji Restoration to modernize its society, abolish the old ruling class, and turn Japan into a rich nation with a strong army.

As a student at NYU Shanghai, you have the ability to do your own research and find solutions to today’s greatest challenges. Research-related opportunities include:

→ Deans’ Undergraduate Research Fund, which awards funding to undergraduates at NYU Shanghai for summer research in any field of study. You can work alone or in a group, in a traditional or interdisciplinary field, in a professor’s lab or in a studio—it’s up to you.

→ Undergraduate Research Symposium, a university-wide celebration of research conducted by graduating seniors spanning the arts, sciences, engineering, and business fields.

→ NYU Shanghai/East China Normal University research institutes, which sponsor world-class research in mathematical sciences, computational chemistry, data science and analytics, physics, and more.
LEARN CHINESE... IN CHINA

Language learning is an integral part of the NYU Shanghai experience. While the primary language of instruction is English, all students participate in Chinese language courses, and no previous knowledge of Chinese is required. Outside of the classroom, you’ll be immersed in the culture of China, offering no better way to learn the language.

**IMMERSIVE LANGUAGE OPPORTUNITIES**, including field trips to cultural sites, optional summer study, and Chinese language clinics, present valuable ways for you to master the language in addition to your required coursework.

**ADVANCED LANGUAGE OPTIONS** let you go beyond the basics. You can take courses such as Chinese Literature, Introduction to Business Chinese and Culture, and Contemporary History of China Through Documentaries—or earn credits through accelerated summer immersion programs in which you cover two semesters of material in just nine weeks.

**INTERNSHIPS AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT** give students the chance to practice their language skills in a professional environment and open up job prospects for after graduation. NYU Shanghai offers test prep for HSK mastery, used by international students to prove proficiency in Mandarin when applying for jobs.

100% of NYU Shanghai students attain proficiency in Mandarin by graduation.
NO MATTER WHERE YOU GO, YOU’RE STILL AT NYU

WHEREVER YOU CHOOSE TO STUDY, YOU GET AN NYU EDUCATION because the coursework at the global academic centers and programs is developed in consultation with NYU’s three degree-granting campuses. At NYU Shanghai, you have the opportunity to spend as many as two semesters studying abroad in NYU’s global network.

NYU IS RANKED #1 in both the number of students who study abroad and the number of international students hosted, according to the Institute of International Education.
From the moment you step foot on our Century Avenue campus, you become part of a student body composed of some of the most interesting and unique people you will ever have the privilege to meet. They come from every corner of the world and speak more than 30 languages, but once they reach Shanghai, they become one close-knit community, relying on one another for friendship and support. Here’s some more about student life at NYU Shanghai:

**LIFE AT NYU SHANGHAI**

**24小时的国际化校园环境**

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**RESIDENCE HALLS** are where community begins. Housing for all four years is guaranteed; first-year Chinese students and international students room together, building lifelong friendships.

**30-PLUS CLUBS** keep campus life interesting. From environmental clubs like Green Shanghai to dance clubs like the Xiao Long Shakers, to clubs catering to special interests like restaurants or board games, there’s a club or group for every student.

**ANNUAL TRADITIONS** encourage Violet pride. The Dumpling Festival, Orientation Week, and Ally Week give students a chance to sample new foods, make new friends, and acquire new perspectives.

**COMPETITIVE SPORTS** are an energizing influence. Student athletes can join teams like the championship-winning women’s soccer team as well as volleyball, basketball, tennis, and badminton teams and play against other Chinese universities.

**OUR NEW CAMPUS**, due to open in 2022, will feature a 10-story building and a two-acre interior “quad” surrounded by four separate buildings that will add enough classroom space to accommodate 4,000 students.

**THE BEST OF BOTH WORLDS** is yours at NYU Shanghai. You are part of a close-knit cohort but also part of the larger University, with full access to its state-of-the-art facilities and resources.

**SHANGHAI SEAMlessly MIXES THE ANCIENT AND THE MODERN.** Gardens and temples that have existed for hundreds of years stand shoulder to shoulder with towering glass skyscrapers and neon-lit shopping malls. But there’s another Shanghai, one with the charm of small neighborhoods and local businesses that thrive amid the hustle and bustle of the big city, and you can explore it all with confidence because Shanghai is safe and welcoming.

**CAFES LINE THE STREETS** of almost every sector of the city, and many are themed. There’s even a *Friends*-inspired cafe called Central Perk.

**RESTAURANTS OF EVERY KIND**, like the classroom-themed 1990s Memory Museum and the quirky Hello Kitty Hotpot offer dining experiences unique to Shanghai, while brunch spots like Al’s Diner and Liquid Laundry Kitchen provide those familiar flavors of home.

**SHOPS SELLING ONE-OF-A-KIND HANDICRAFTS** are mixed in with stores selling international brands and are a great place to snag unique dorm room decor or unusual gifts to send home to the family.

**EXPLORE ONE OF THE WORLD’S RICHEST CULINARY TRADITIONS** with favorites from every corner of China available, from Shanghai staples, such as fried pork buns and spring rolls, to Peking duck, halal Lanzhou beef noodles, and eye-wateringly spicy Sichuan tofu.

“Cafes are located in almost every district with most being in Xuhui, Jing’an, and Pudong. The styles of the cafes all vary with different themes and types. There are book cafes, concept cafes, and exotic ones like cat cafes. All of them are worth the trip, and one of them may remind you of your favorite cafe back home.”

—Shy Mitchell, Class of 2020
JOIN THE BEST AND BRIGHTEST
优异学子  携手同行

HERE ARE THE DATES AND DETAILS YOU'LL NEED TO APPLY

SUBMITTING YOUR APPLICATION

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*When submitting the FAFSA, be sure to use NYU’s school code: 002785. For more information on filing the FAFSA as well as aid and scholarships, visit nyu.edu/financial.aid.

FORMS REQUIRED FOR FINANCIAL AID CONSIDERATION

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**Chinese citizens applying to NYU Shanghai should not submit either the CSS Profile or the FAFSA.

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IN LIGHT OF COVID-19, students applying to the Class of 2025 are not required to submit standardized testing. Visit admissions.nyu.edu to learn more about our flexible testing policies.

SUPPORTING OUR STUDENTS

NYU Shanghai is committed to providing educational opportunities to all talented students. We encourage all applicants to apply for financial aid (regardless of citizenship).

THREE TYPES OF FINANCIAL AID: Grants, Loans, and Work-Study

Financial aid may take the form of university scholarships and/or grants, federal aid (for US citizens/offical permanent residents of the United States), or outside scholarships.

Eligibility for need- and merit-based scholarships and grants are determined based on your academic strength and demonstrated financial need.

If you wish to be reviewed for institutional funding, you will need to file the CSS Profile online by our required deadlines. US citizens, permanent residents, and eligible noncitizens also need to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) for aid consideration by the required deadline.

IB SCORE RANGE

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NYU SHANGHAI STUDENTS ARE A STEP AHEAD WHEN THEY ENTER THE JOB MARKET, thanks to NYU Shanghai’s focus on graduating students who are experts on China as well as in their field of study. While they are in school, the University’s Career Development Center (CDC) helps them find internships, develop professional-level skills, and connect them with alumni in their field through the Alumni Executive Mentor Program. When they graduate, they will have access to both NYU and NYU Shanghai alumni around the world.

A NETWORK OF OPPORTUNITY

43% have jobs at companies like

Amazon

Bank of America

IBM

JPMorgan

PwC

48% are pursuing graduate education in the following fields at schools like

University of California, Berkeley, doctoral program in Computer Science

Chinese University of Hong Kong, doctoral program in Law

Cambridge University, master’s program in Criminology

Peking University, master’s program in Chinese Studies

Harvard University, master’s program in Computational Science and Engineering

Johns Hopkins University, master’s program in Electrical and Computer Engineering

CLASS OF 2019

19

The number of countries and regions where graduates hold jobs

65%

are living outside their home country

14%

of international graduates remained in China

91%

took jobs in finance, tech, education, consulting, and the social services

44%

of graduates working in the US earn between $90,000 and $110,000 annually

Financial Aid
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