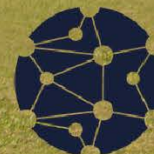


# Worldwide Universities Network Virtual Summer School

Act for Sustainability  
Aug. 8<sup>th</sup> - Aug. 18<sup>th</sup>, 2022



**WUN**  
WORLDWIDE  
UNIVERSITIES  
NETWORK







# 台南 Tainan



TAINAN,  
THE OLDEST  
CAPITAL CITY...

Tainan is the ancient capital of Taiwan. This city continues to host a variety of cultural festivities and religious ceremonies all year round. Traditions have been well sustained in this modernized city. The city's gourmet food culture guarantees one can find delicious food of every kind. Life in Tainan has a charming balance between the new and the old, and the fast and the slow.

# NCKU

## THE TOP UNIVERSITY IN TAIWAN

National Cheng Kung University (NCKU), being established as “Tainan Technical College” in 1931, has transformed into one of the most established, comprehensive universities in Taiwan. With about 21,000 students and 2,000 faculty members in total, NCKU has continued as a leader in the fields of engineering, science, management and medicine. NCKU has always been dedicated to promoting student mobility and welcomes international exchange students from partner universities worldwide every year.





# NCKU IS YOUR TOP CHOICE!

What does algae have to do with water quality? How can cities become more sustainable? You can learn the answers to these questions and more at the 2022 Worldwide Universities Network Virtual Summer School. Leading academics will offer interactive classes, exploring sustainability issues, offering hands on learning to address the challenges, opportunities and solutions to Sustainable Development. Under the theme of “Act for Sustainability,” classes will address issues which correlate to specific UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Experts will equip students with the skills necessary to navigate the complex global challenges of today’s world. Students will work closely in a diverse cohort comprised of students from around the world, through project-based activities, highlighting the importance of collaboration, creativity, storytelling and critical thinking skills. Join us for eight days of innovative, practical and exciting learning! Get involved and be a part of the change!



# RANKING & PERFORMANCE



2022 QS World Ranking  
**252**



GLOBAL SCORE  
**48.4**



2021 Impact Rankings in Taiwan  
**Top One**



2017 CEO of NCKU  
**48**



## PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Date: August 8<sup>th</sup> – August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Application Deadline: June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022

Language: All courses are offered in English

Number of Participants: Maximum of 50 students

Format: Virtual

- **Core Course (2 credits)**

Introduction to Sustainable Development Goals and Act for Sustainability.

- **Workshop**

Improve your presentation, leadership, sustainable project management and proposal writing skills.

- **Chinese Class (Optional)**

Useful Survival Chinese for daily use to enable students to communicate in Chinese.

- **Exploring Tainan (0.5 credits, Optional)**

Explore the most historical city of Taiwan to witness the beauty of it.

2022 WORLDWIDE  
UNIVERSITIES NETWORK  
VIRTUAL SUMMER SCHOOL



# ACT FOR SUSTAINABILITY

## Core Course (2 credits)

Under the theme of “Act for Sustainability,” nine sessions will address issues which correlate to specific UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Experts in each field will host the sessions to address the challenges, opportunities and solutions to sustainable development. The session topics include, but are not limited to, Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure, Affordable and Clean Energy, Sustainable Cities and Communities, Life on Land, Health, Clean Water and Sanitation, Responsible Consumption, and Climate Action. The courses aim to be interactive sessions of project-based activities showcasing the need for students to collaborate, create and solve problems.

## Brainstorming for Sustainability!

After collaborating with classmates, students will have opportunities to share their knowledge gained by presenting on sustainability topics of their choice.

## Show Us Your Skills!

Prizes will be awarded for groups showing collaboration, creativity, critical thinking and communication just to name a few!



# AREAS OF SDGS INVOLVED IN THE CORE COURSES



# CRASH COURSE IN CHINESE (OPTIONAL)

## Great for All Levels!

Learn the basics from NCKU's top Mandarin instructors, communicate in basic Chinese, and experience Chinese culture firsthand.

## Speak Up!

Learn all basic rules of pronunciation and tones.

## Give It a Try and “Survive”!

Students will have the chance to learn useful everyday phrases.





# EXPLORING TAINAN! (OPTIONAL)

## 300 Years of History!

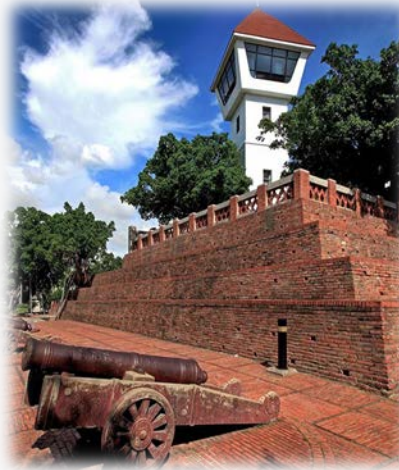
From Fort Zeelandia to the Eternal Golden Castle!  
Experience the rich history of Tainan in a fun-filled day tour!

## Remote Learning Opportunity!

Online-learning is provided for overseas students. It's just one screen away. Explore Taiwan's "Ancient Capital" like never before!

## Credit Value

0.5 credits



# TIMETABLE

Time Interval (GMT+8)	Mon. Aug.8	Tue. Aug. 9	Wed. Aug. 10	Thur. Aug. 11	Fri. Aug. 12	Sat. Aug. 13	Sun. Aug. 14
14:10-15:00	Open Ceremony	Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure	Life on Land	Energy	Cyanobacteria and Drinking Water	Exploring Tainan Video + Live (optional)	Free
15:10-16:00							
16:10-17:00	Intro of NCKU						
17:10-18:00		Break					
18:10-19:00	Break	Health, Clean Water and Sanitation	Conflict of Greens	Sustainable Cities	Responsible Consumption		
19:10-20:00	Course Introduction						
20:10-21:00							
Time Interval (GMT+8)	Mon. Aug. 15	Tue. Aug. 16	Wed. Aug. 17	Thur. Aug. 18			
14:10-15:00	Workshop: Presentation Skills	Workshop: Water Education	Presentation Prep	Farewell Ceremony			
15:10-16:00							
16:10-17:00			Break				
17:10-18:00	Break		Presentations				
18:10-19:00	Workshop: Limits to Growth/ Tragedy of the Commons	Workshop: Water Education					
19:10-20:00							
20:10-21:00							

Noted:

1. The above courses/schedules are subject to change.
2. The courses start in GMT+8, please notice the corresponding time in your country/ region.



# FEES

non-partner schools	NCKU/WUN/SATU/TCUS/partner schools
USD 250 (TWD 7000)	USD 125 (TWD 3500)

Please note that:

- 1) Core courses, workshops, Chinese class and Exploring Tainan are included in fees.  
**For those who don't participate in optional courses (Chinese class and Exploring Tainan) won't get discounts on fees.**
- 2) For NCKU graduate students, credit fees are not included in fees.
- 3) Participants will be able to download the participation certificate through ISA system after the completion of the program , and the transcript (including class title, credits, letter grade and scores based on 100-point scale) around **February 2023**. For those who need credit recognition, please consult the office of academic affairs of your university before your application. The recognition of credits received isn't determined by NCKU.
- 4) Applicants need to cover bank fees for the transaction.
- 5) Applicants from partner schools need to be nominated by school coordinator.
- 6) Lists of eligible WUN/SATU/TCUS/partner schools:
  - \*WUN: <https://wun.ac.uk/wun/members/>
  - \*SATU: <https://satu.ncku.edu.tw/p/412-1036-82.php?Lang=en>  
(There are 54 universities in Taiwan are members of SATU)
  - \*TCUS: <https://www.tcus.edu.tw/TradChinese>  
(NCKU, NSYU, NCHU, CCU)
  - \*NCKU Partner Schools: <https://oia.ncku.edu.tw/p/412-1032-27650.php?Lang=en>

**- REFUND -**

**For virtual participants: Non-refundable**

# FUNDING

There is limited funding available from the WUN and NCKU for applicants with particular financial needs or have difficulties to fund their participation in the program. Applicants who want to award funding could fill out the funding form on [2022 NCKU International Summer School Official Website](#).

Each applicant will be assessed on a case-by-case basis, and the WUN and NCKU will allocate funding based on the information applicants provide and inform results to selected applicants before they make payment.



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