



APRU Undergraduate Leaders' Program 2018

Leadership for Good: Forging a Vision and Changing Lives for the Better

Venue: The University of Sydney, Camperdown Campus

Dates: July 9-19, 2018

About the Program

The 10-day program will enable students from diverse backgrounds and cultures to enhance their leadership skills and cross-cultural competency through a series of workshops, discussions, field trips and cultural activities.

Participants will learn critical problem-solving skills through design thinking, a concept developed at the University of Sydney to solve complex problems across many disciplines.

The program also includes sessions on the new area of Planetary Health, focusing on sustainable and ethical food systems, and Innovation and Entrepreneurship.

Group projects will allow students to work together to propose solutions to real world problems currently affecting the Asia Pacific region.

Program Fee

USD: \$550

Includes:

- Twin share accommodation at nearby hotel from July 9-19, 2018
- Airport Transfers on July 9 and 19 (Participants will need to schedule their arrival and departure times to align with the group pickup times – those arriving outside of these times will need to make their own way to and from the accommodation.). Please see program schedule for group pick up times.
- Meals as indicated in the program
- Program materials
- Certificate of participation
- Field trips and activities

Excludes:

- Travel between home country and Sydney

Application Deadline: April 3, 2018

Application Procedure

Step 1: Students are selected by APRU member universities to apply for the program

Step 2: Fill in the online application form then email a scan of your passport and a profile photo to the University of Sydney Office of Global Engagement

Step 3: Successful applicants will be notified via email and be sent an invitation letter and information on how to make payment

Step 4: Apply for your visa, if required, and send confirmation once you have received it

Step 5: Make payment

Step 6: Complete the arrival form with details of your flight and arrival time on July 9 and departure time on July 19

Contacts

For ULP application and general information, please email Ms. Victoria Romaniuk or Ms. Rebecca Whitcomb: ip.admin@sydney.edu.au

For more information and registration form, please visit: <https://sydneyapru2018.eventbrite.com.au>

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Program Schedule

Monday 9 July – Arrivals	
Arrival in Sydney	Please arrange your flight to arrive in time for one of the group pickup times below. If you are unable to be there in time for these, then you will need to make your own way to the accommodation (instructions in pre-departure briefing booklet).
10.30	Group Pickup (1) Meet at “Meeting Point” at Sydney International Airport between exits A & B (next to car rental counters)
16.30	Group Pickup (2) Meet at “Meeting Point” at Sydney International Airport between exits A & B (next to car rental counters)
	Check in to accommodation and explore local area
Tuesday 10 July – Welcome Day and Introduction Venue: Charles Perkins Centre Seminar Room 2.1&2.2	
9.00	Meet in Hotel Lobby to walk as group to University (optional to bring traditional dress for opening ceremony)
09.30 – 10.30	Arrival and Program Orientation
10.30 – 12.30	Welcome Session: Introduction to Australian History, Culture and Politics Dr Justine Greenwood
12.30 – 13.30	Welcome Lunch
13.30 – 14.30	Campus tour with University of Sydney student ambassadors
14.30 – 15.30	Preparations for Opening Ceremony (changing into traditional costumes optional)
15.30 – 19.00	Opening Ceremony followed by Welcome Reception
19:00 – 19.30	Closing and return to accommodation
Wednesday 11 July – Leadership Development – Cultural Competence Venue: National Centre for Cultural Competence, The University of Sydney	
8:30- 17:00 All day	Workshop– What does it mean to be a culturally competent leader? (All participants to undertake the University of Sydney MOOCs, modules 1,2 and 5 on Aboriginal Sydney and the Journey of Self- discovery in advance) (See separate workshop program)

Thursday 12 July – Leadership Development – Cultural Competence	
Venue: National Centre for Cultural Competence , University of Sydney	
09.30 – 15.00	Walking tour of Redfern, community program followed by completion of day 2 of workshop
15.00 – 17.00	Introduction to projects and team assignment
Friday 13 July - Leadership Development – Field Trip	
Venue: Taronga Zoo	
09.00	Bus pickup from Accommodation
10.00 – 12.30	Taronga Zoo educational program
12.30 – 16.00	Lunch break , guest lecture and self-guided Taronga Zoo tour
16:00	Return via ferry to city for self-guided tour

Saturday 14 July	
Explore Sydney City and group project work	
Sunday 15 July	
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Monday 16 July - Leadership Development – Creativity and Innovation	
Venue: Sydney Design Lab	
9:00-12:30	Sydney Design Lab- Professor Martin Tomitsch Innovating through design: understanding problems and finding solutions Design is no longer limited to design professionals but can provide a strategic advantage across many disciplines. As a framework, design offers methods and an approach for dealing with complexity and being comfortable with ambiguity. This framework, also referred to as design thinking, allows us to systematically understand problems and to turn insights into ideas and solutions. This session will provide an overview of design thinking as a capability enhancing skill. Through short talks and hands-on activities from a design thinking toolkit developed at the University of Sydney, you will learn about the different stages of a design project and apply some of the methods used to solve design challenges.
12.30 –13.30	LUNCH BREAK
13:30 - 15:30	Afternoon Session Planetary Health - Sustainable and ethical food systems through a Planetary Health lens - Professor Robyn Alders
15.30 – 17.00	Project work in groups and project mentoring session

Tuesday 17 July Leadership Development- Innovation and Entrepreneurship	
Venue: TBC, Sydney Innovation Hub	
9:30-12:30	Workshop – Innovation and Entrepreneurship, Sydney Innovation Hub
12.30 – 13.30	LUNCH BREAK
13.30 – 15.30	Leadership for Good- Influencing the micro to the macro level Faculty guest Lectures –Social Enterprise and Innovation from Schools (Agriculture/ Science/Health)
15.30 – 17.00	Project work in groups and project mentoring session
Wednesday 18 July	
Venue: Charles Perkins Centre Seminar room 1.1&1.3	
09.00 – 12.30	Group Presentations
12.30 – 14.00	Farewell Lunch
14.30 – 15.30	Closing Ceremony
Thursday 19 July - Departures	
AM	Check out of Accommodation
5.30am	Coach (1) for International Airport (arr. 6.15am approx.)
8.00am	Coach (2) for International Airport (arr. 9.00am approx.)
	You must arrive at the International Airport 3 hours prior to your departure – if you flight is earlier or later than these times you will need to arrange your own transport to the airport.

*Please note that this is a draft schedule only and is subject to change.