DISCOVERY
Sustainable Urban & Rural Development
August 21-30, 2019
Tongji University Summer Program

- Cross-disciplinary platform
- Discussion & presentation
- Various backgrounds
- Common concerns in Asia urban & rural development
- Students from partner universities
- Field visit & trips around Shanghai
The cross-disciplinary summer program is designed for undergraduate students from partner universities. It allows students from various backgrounds to explore freely the issues of industrialization, ranging from the Urban & Rural Development especially in Asia, cultural heritage conservation, environmental concerns, transportation, disaster prevention, to aging population. Scheduled activities include lecture, on-site visit, group discussion, brainstorming and presentation, enabling students to form their own opinion through constant absorption of facts, and encouraging bold expression from a unique perspective.

**Duration**
August 21-30, 2019

**Theme**
Sustainable Urban & Rural Development

**Capacity**
30 students from abroad + 10 students from Tongji

**Eligibility**
Undergraduate students from Partner Universities, recommended by the international office of home university

**Schedule**
1. The Shape and Growth of the Towns, Villages & Cities in East Asia
2. Energy and Environment issues
3. The challenge of ageing society
4. Modern Manufacturing & Communication
5. Transportation issues
6. Chinese Language

**Visit & trip**
1. Historical buildings-the bund, etc
2. Shanghai Museum/Shanghai Planning Museum
3. Old / New town near Shanghai

**Presentation & Discussion**
Presentations given by each student, 5 minutes per student
1. Introduction about the cultural heritage of your country
2. Your ideas on Sustainable Urban & Rural Development
3. Imagination on Sustainable Life Style
4. The Impact of AI on Sustainable Urban & Rural Development

**Fees**
Free for local fees (including tuition, accommodation and visiting fees). Other expenses, such as international travel, shall be borne by the participants themselves.

**Application**
Apply through the international office of home university by 10 June, 2019. The acceptance result comes by the end of June

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