CALL FOR TF INTERNATIONAL LEARN PROGRAMME 2019 @ NUS NOMINATIONS

Dear AUN partners,

Greetings from the National University of Singapore, Global Relations Office.

NUS will once again be running the TF International LEaRN programme in Academic Year 2019/20 Semester 1 (August to December 2019) and we would like to invite your university to nominate your students to apply for the programme.

About the Programme:

The TF International LEaRN Programme @ NUS aims to nurture the next generation of Asian leaders by providing opportunities for cultural exchange, networking, community engagement and leadership development. Selected students will be have the opportunity to take one semester of academic courses in NUS, participate in community service work and take part in TF International LEaRN activities such as Learning Journey, Service Learning/Leadership Workshop, Young Asian Leaders Forum etc. Successful applicants will receive <u>\$\$6,500</u> from Temasek Foundation International to support their living expenses in Singapore. Refer to this website <u>http://www.nus.edu.sg/gro/fa/sch/in/tfilearn.php</u> for more information.

Eligibility Criteria:

Nominated students must fulfill the following requirements:

- § Are undergraduates who completed at least one year of study in their home universities
- § Are studying in their country of citizenship
- § Are in the top 10% of their cohort in academic performance
- § Are fluent in English
- § Are interested in community service and have served in leadership positions
- § Able to fully commit to all aspects of the programme

	DEADLINE(S)	RESPOND TO
Nominati on Sheet	1 April 2019	Due to the limited places this year, each university is invited to nominate <u>up to 3 students</u> for the TFI LEaRN Programme 2019 @ NUS. Please fill out attached nomination sheet and submit it to <u>tfl.ib@nus.edu.sg</u> by Monday, 1 April 2019.

Nomination/Application Process:

TF Internatio nal Program me @	12 April 2019	Nominated students are to submit their application at <u>https://mysurvey.nus.edu.sg/EFM/se/543BE5C268</u> 99DD86.
NUS applicatio n		Students are required to submit their supporting documents to their home university coordinators by 5 April 2019 or earlier. Thereafter, university coordinators are to verify the authenticity of the supporting documents and submit the scanned copies to <u>tfl.ib@nus.edu.sg</u> by Friday, 12 April 2019 .
		The list of supporting documents, which should be scanned in the following order and saved as a single file, are: q Copy of passport q Latest transcript from the home university q Documentary evidence of academic awards q Documentary evidence of community service activities q Documentary evidence of leadership activities q Two letters of recommendation by character referees (from professional/academic/extra-curricular background) q If applicable, copy of TOEFL/IELTS/certified English language test by the home university - for applicants who are from non-English medium universities.
		Late or incomplete applications received after the stipulated deadlines will not be considered.
Non- graduatin g Exchange Program me Applicatio n	15 April 2019	Students must complete this application in order for us to process their studies at NUS for one semester. If this application is not completed, then their TFI LEaRN Programme application will automatically NOT be considered.
		Online application system is open from 21 March to 15 April 2019. Student to submit their application as an Exchange student.
		All necessary supporting documents (refer to <u>checklist</u>) should be uploaded to the online

application system by 15 April 2019.
 Each item mentioned above should not exceed 1MB for successful online uploading. Late and incomplete applications might not be processed in time for admission in the respective semester.
Note: Students should use their home university email address instead of their personal email address when submitting their online application.
For more information on the application procedures, please refer to <u>http://www.nus.edu.sg/registrar/education-at-</u> <u>nus/non-graduating-programme.html#16</u> .
Useful Links: Course List: <u>http://www.nus.edu.sg/registrar/info/ng/NG-Modules.pdf</u>
Course Restrictions: <u>http://www.nus.edu.sg/registrar/info/inf</u> <u>o/Non-Graduating-Module-Restrictions.pdf</u>
NUS Student Exchange Information Sheet: <u>http://www.nus.edu.sg/gro/assets/doc/prog/sep</u> /nus_sep_information_sheet.pdf

Application Outcome:

Students will be informed of their application outcome for the TFI LEaRN Programme @ NUS by end-April or early-May through their email, by which they will need to confirm acceptance of

the award within 1 week after receiving the offer.

By mid-June, the Registrar's Office will notify the students on the outcome of their Non-graduation Exchange Programme application, more specifically on their module (course) selection outcome.

As an additional note, students who are not eventually selected for the TF International LEaRN Programme @ NUS will not be eligible to proceed with their application to do an exchange programme at NUS in Semester 1 with a fee waiver. These students may, however, consider to apply for *Non-Graduating Non-Exchange* which requires them to pay the <u>NUS tuition fees</u> for the semester that they are enrolled at NUS. Alternatively, students may be nominated by their home universities under the AUN-ACTS exchange agreement, which allows students to be nominated through the AUN-ACTS portal to come to NUS for exchange (with tuition waiver) in Semester 2 (Jan-May). However, places for the AUN-ACTS nominations are very limited and therefore very competitive.

A gentle reminder to please send your nominations by <u>1 April 2019</u>. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at <u>tfl.ib@nus.edu.sg</u>.

We look forward to receiving your nomination and your students' applications.

Best regards, TFI LEaRN Programme @ NUS Team