

# National University of Singapore

NOC Norway

Programme Introduction

# WHAT IS NOC?

- NOC = NUS Overseas Colleges!
- We are a entrepreneurship education programme that connects innovative and vibrant start-ups with students interns from various faculties.
- Students fulfil internship with company and learn about entrepreneurship through company's mentorship, assignments and participation in the local entrepreneurial scene.



## NOC Norway

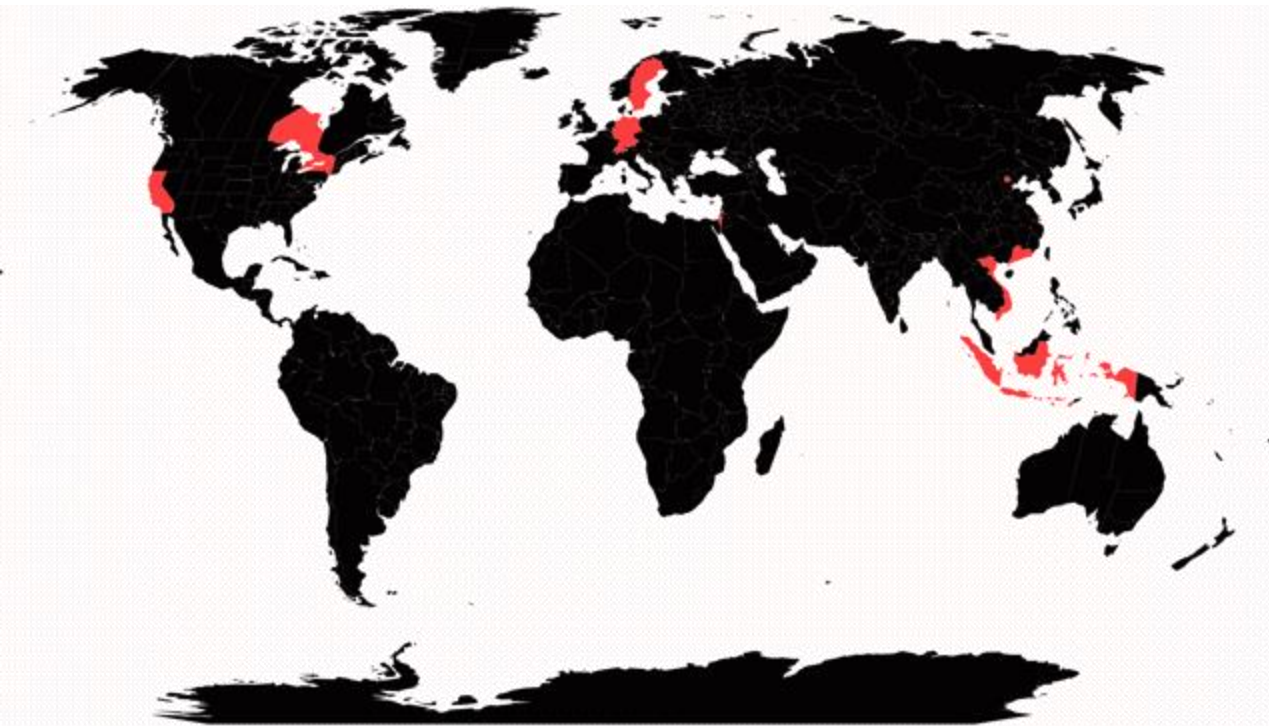
**ABOUT THE PROGRAMME:** NOC Norway offers students a unique insight into the unique dynamic ecosystem of Norway and expose students to the entrepreneurial challenges in Norway.

- Expose students to entrepreneurial environment
- Develop and cultivate entrepreneurial mindsets
- Gain insight to the working of startups
- Provide opportunities to learn from entrepreneurial leaders in Europe.





# NUS OVERSEAS COLLEGES – FROM SINGAPORE TO THE WORLD



## CITIES IN OPERATIONS:

Over the last 18 years, NOC has expended its reach to 15 start-up hot-spots across the world:

- Singapore
- Bandung
- Jakarta
- Yogyakarta
- Ho Chi Minh
- Beijing
- Shanghai
- Shenzhen
- Israel
- Munich
- Stockholm
- Toronto
- New York
- Silicon Valley
- Paris (*New*)

# PROGRAMME STRUCTURE



The NOC Norway programme consists of the following component:

- 1-week workshop in Singapore on market validation
- 6-month internship in Norway on a functional role within the company

## ABOUT OUR STUDENTS



Most importantly, the student must display interests in understanding the start-up scene and ecosystem of the city they are functioning in.

Students are screened by a panel from NUS to determine their suitability to the programme; company screens student to determine their suitability for the role.

## ABOUT OUR STUDENTS

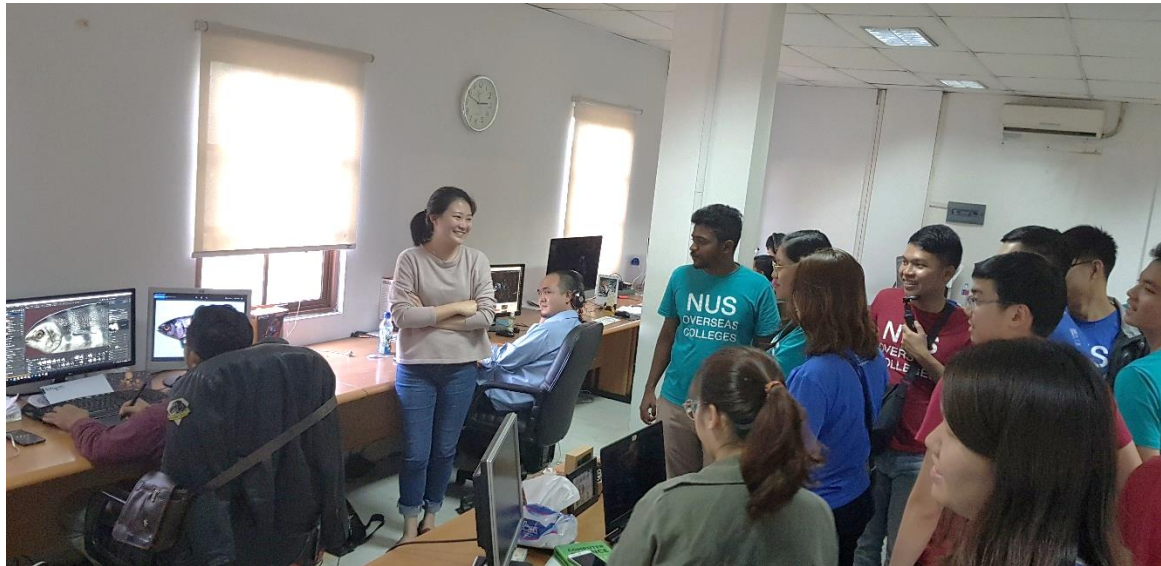
- 30% of alumni started their own business after graduation
- 80% of the alumni are involved in entrepreneurship-related career post-graduation.

**Source**

Nurturing Entrepreneurial Talent: The NUS Overseas Colleges Program  
<https://enterprise.nus.edu.sg/files/download/8e9f61c9706ba5d>



## WHAT ARE WE LOOKING FOR?



We would like to place our students in start-ups where:

- Innovative, knowledge-intensive, high-tech oriented and have demonstrated high growth potential.
- CEOs/Company founders are able to provide direct mentorship to students.
- Provides exposure to Europe start-up scene.



## WHY PARTNER WITH NUS OVERSEAS COLLEGES?

- Quick access to talents from the best university in Asia.
- Pre-screening of students ensure company gets to work with some of the best students in the university.
- Relative low cost associated with hiring process with university supporting many of the logistical arrangements.

## COMPANY'S SUPPORT



To support the students' livelihood in each city, companies should be able to commit to the following requirements:

- A monthly transportation and meals allowances
- Permit application process awaiting advice.
- A mentor to support their internship.

# NUS' SUPPORT

The following arrangements are made by the school and/or the students:

- Visa application
- Accommodation arrangements\*
- Living expenses
- Flight arrangements and insurance
- Emergency relief support

## COMPANY'S INTERNSHIPS POSITIONS

To reap the most out of the time that the student are there, we strongly encourage companies to:

- Formulate a problem-statement based project

Example:

### Problem Statement

The process of securing signatures in hardcopy contracts is time consuming and adds to the overall processing time for delivery of our services. The company wishes to find ways to automate the process in a safe, secure method while improving the processing time for the contracts to be signed by our customer.

- Submit the different functional role required for the project



## TIMELINE OF PROGRAMME IN 2023

	Jan 2023	Feb 2023	Mar 2023	Mid Jun	Aug 2023	Nov 2023*	Jan 2024*
<b>NOC</b>	Recruitment	Interview & Selection	Placement	Placement + Admin	Start of Internship	1 <sup>st</sup> student feedback	2 <sup>nd</sup> student feedback
<b>Company</b>	Collection of role-description	Collection of role-description	Company Interview	Placement + Visa	Start of Internship	Mid-Internship Review	Final-Internship Review

\* NOC Norway is a 22-week program

## COMPANY'S INTERSHIPS POSITIONS

To maximize our students' learning opportunity, we would only be able to place no more than two students each company.

Submit combination of tech/ non-tech roles and projects to attract students with varying needs.

## TAP INTO OUR NETWORK



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BLOCK71 is an initiative by NUS Enterprise in collaborative and strategic partnerships with established corporates and government agencies. It is a technology-focused ecosystem builder and global connector which catalyzes and aggregates the start-up community, as well as spearheads new initiatives and provides mentorship and growth opportunities in local and global markets.

In every instance and location, BLOCK71 embodies the spirit of entrepreneurship, collaboration and partnership by optimizing the unique experience of each entity, the research capabilities and technologies of the university, and the investment and business acumen of the partners, to support entrepreneurial journeys within the local geography and beyond.

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