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19th ASoc MC

Friday,
21/07/2023



BOSS BIDDING CRASHCOURSE

TODAY'S AGENDA

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SOA CURRICULUM

Accounting Core

- Accounting Mods: 11 CUs
- Business Mods: 7 CUs

Acct. Electives

- Any of the offered Accounting electives: 3 CUs

Free Electives

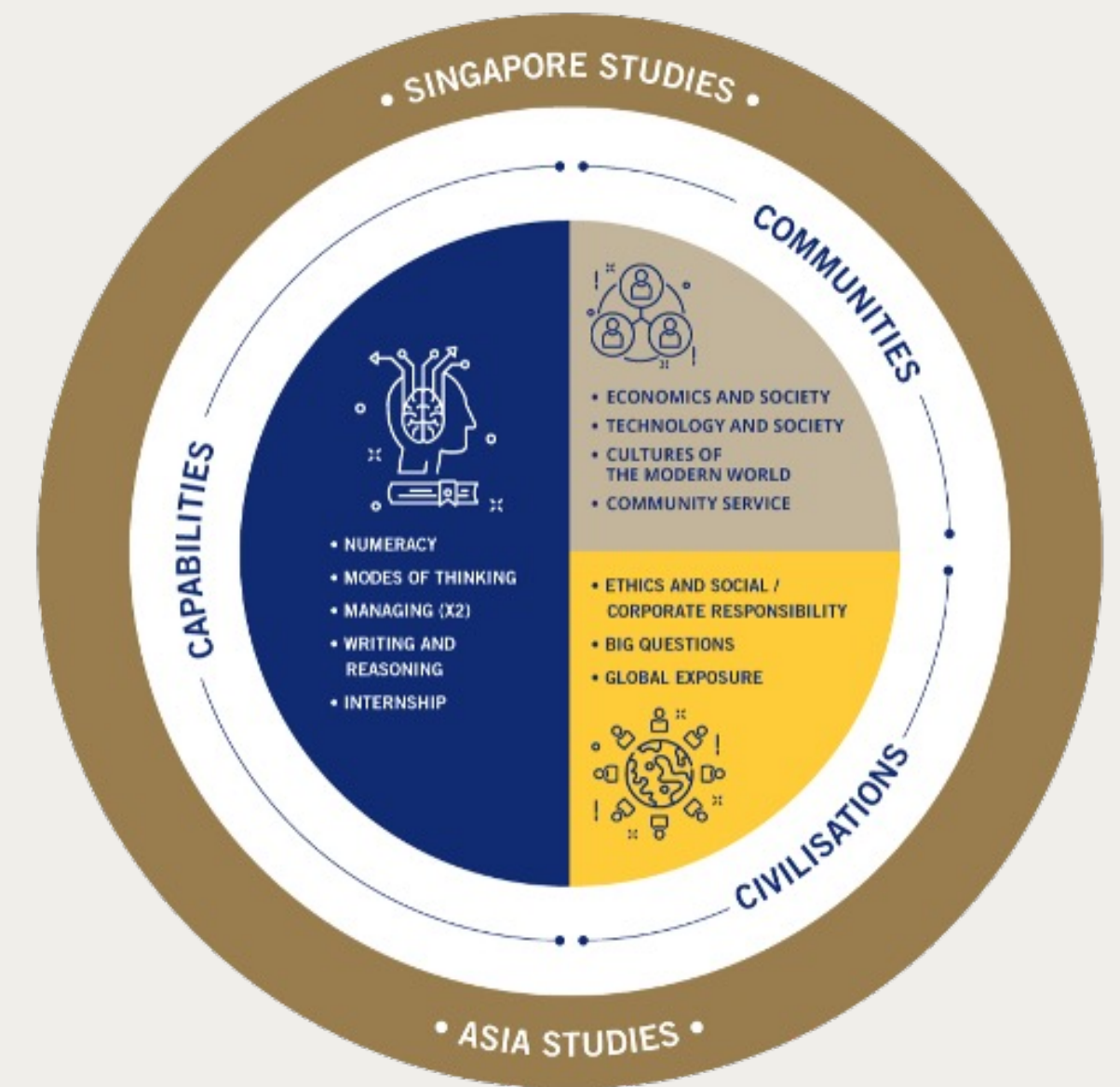
- Any of SMU's offered electives: 3 CUs

SMU Core Curriculum

- Capabilities: 6 CUs
- Communities: 4 CUs
- Civilisations: 2 CUs

Additional Reqs

- Singapore Studies
- Asia Studies



ACCOUNTING CORE

Accounting Core

- Financial Accounting
- Management Accounting
- Taxation
- Accounting Information Systems
- Financial Reporting and Analysis
- Accounting Thought and Governance
- Intermediate Financial Accounting
- Advanced Financial Accounting
- Audit and Assurance
- Statistical Programming
- Valuation

Business Core

- Business Law
- Company Law
- Finance
- Financial Markets and Investments
- Introductory Statistics*
- Management of People at Work
- Strategy

Preassigned Modules

*Commonly taken in Year 1

SMU CORE – COMMUNITIES

- Economics and Society (1 CU)**
- Technology and Society – Choose 1 course:
 - Science, Environment, and Empire
 - Technology and World Change
 - Climate Change: Global and Local Solutions
 - Science and Technology Studies: Where Science Meet Society
- Cultures of the Modern World – Choose 1 course:
 - Urban Cultures
 - Films in South East Asia
 - Singapore: Imagining the Next 50 Years
 - Foreign Language
- Community Service (1 CU) – Minimum 80 hours

- ** Students will be able to fulfill the additional requirements of:
- Singapore Studies through Big Questions (wef 20/21)
 - Asia Studies through Economics and Society (wef 21/22)

ASoc offers two flagship community service projects where you can fulfill your hours!

- Project Moolah
- SMU-MCCY Charity Transparency Award Project

These are annual installments, and sign-ups tend to commence at the start of the calendar year – do keep an eye out for sign-up calls in your email!

SMU CORE – CAPABILITIES

- Managing (2 CUs)
 - Management Communication; and
 - Choose 1 course:
 - Business, Government and Society
 - Capital Markets in China
 - Leadership and Team Building
 - Spreadsheet Modelling and Analysis
- Modes of Thinking – Choose 1 course:
 - Computational Thinking
 - Critical Thinking in the Real World
 - Managing in a Volatile, Uncertain, Complex, Ambiguous Context
- Numeracy (1 CU) – Calculus
- Writing and Reasoning (1 CU)
- Internship

- ** Students will be able to fulfill the additional requirements of:
- Singapore Studies through Big Questions (wef 20/21)
 - Asia Studies through Economics and Society (wef 21/22)

SMU CORE – CIVILISATIONS

- Ethics and Social Responsibility for Accounting
- Big Questions**
- Global Exposure (Non-credit bearing)

- ** Students will be able to fulfill the additional requirements of:
- Singapore Studies through Big Questions (wef 20/21)
 - Asia Studies through Economics and Society (wef 21/22)

SMU TIMELINE & TIMETABLE

- 16 weeks per term, inclusive of:
 - Recess Week (Week 8)
 - Study Week (Week 14)
 - Finals (Week 15 - 16)
- Most students opt for 4 or 5 modules per semester
 - Overloading to 6 modules is possible
- Typical components of a module:
 - Class participation
 - Group Project / Presentation
 - Mid-Term Examination
 - Final Examination
- Most 1.0 CU modules will have 3 hours' worth of seminar lesson every week

	Mon, 6-Jan-20	Tue, 7-Jan-20	Wed, 8-Jan-20	Thu, 9-Jan-20	Fri, 10-Jan-20
08:00		ACCT112 G5 Pre-Assigned			COR3001 G23 Pre-Assigned
09:00					
10:00					
11:00					
12:00			COR2100 G6 Pre-Assigned		
13:00					
14:00					
15:00					
16:00	COR2208 G1				
17:00		COR1100 G23 Pre-Assigned		COR1100 G23 Pre-Assigned	
18:00					

SMU BIDDING ONLINE SYSTEM

- A bidding system for SMU undergraduate students that allows you to enrol for classes.
- Students use e-credits to bid for modules and the system enrolls the highest bidders into each class.
 - Multiple rounds and windows
 - Minimum bid amount is e\$10
 - A ballot will be done in the event of a tie-breaker where there is one last seat left.
- Certain modules are pre-assigned to freshmen, so most freshmen only bid for 1 or 2 additional modules OR do not bid for any additional modules during Year 1.

BIDDING CREDITS (E\$)

- All students receive e\$100 per term, regardless of the number of modules you are required to take.
- Bonus bidding credits (Term 2 onwards):
 - e\$25 for Course Feedback
 - e\$5 for SMUSA Survey
- Any unused e\$ will be carried over to the subsequent terms with the exception of Term 3 (Summer Term).

PRE-ASSIGNED MODULES

- Freshmen are not allowed to drop any pre-assigned modules (i.e. you cannot choose your professors / timings for your pre-assigned modules).
- e\$20 will be deducted per pre-assigned course.
- All BAcc Freshmen will be pre-assigned Financial Accounting (ACCT111) in Term 1 and Management Accounting (ACCT112) in Term 2.

Basket A:

- COR3001 – Big Questions
- COR2100 – Economics & Society
- COR1100 – Writing & Reasoning
- ACCT111 – Financial Accounting

Basket B:

- OBHR101 – Management of People at Work
- LGST101 – Business Law
- COR1201 – Calculus
- ACCT111 – Financial Accounting

Freshmen are randomly divided into these 2 baskets for pre-assigned modules. These courses will be "flipped over" in Semester 2. Instead of ACCT111, ll freshmen will take ACCT112 in Semester 2.

i.e. Those in Basket A will then take OBHR101, LGST101, COR1201.

EXEMPTIONS

- Not all freshmen will be pre-assigned 4 modules per term due to exemptions.
- Check via: [Course Exemptions Calculator for Undergraduate Studies](#)
 - Select your pre-uni qualifications
 - Input your grades for the modules / subjects listed
- You can also check via BOSS Summary page to retrieve your list of exemptions:

The screenshot shows the SMU BOSS interface. The 'Exemptions/Credit Transfers' section is highlighted with a red box. It contains a table with the following data:


Code	Description	Grading Basis	CU
COR1100	Writing and Reasoning	Exemption	1.00
COR1201	Calculus	Exemption	1.00
XFE800	Free Electives	Exemption	3.00

A red arrow points from this table to a larger, detailed view of the same table on the right side of the image.

Exemptions/Credit Transfers

Code	Description	Grading Basis	CU
COR1100	Writing and Reasoning	Exemption	1.00
COR1201	Calculus	Exemption	1.00
XFE800	Free Electives	Exemption	3.00

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Admin Hold

You have no outstanding admin hold.

BOSS Dates

Event	Start Time	End Time
Round 1 Window 2	29-Jun-22 17:00	01-Jul-22 10:00
Round 1A Window 1	01-Jul-22 17:00	04-Jul-22 10:00
Round 1A Window 2	04-Jul-22 17:00	06-Jul-22 10:00

More

Term Info

Course Type	Max Enrolment	Max Biddable
COURSE	5.5 CU	6.5 CU
WORKSHOP	1.0 Bundle	2.0 Bundle

You are eligible to [apply](#) for additional CU.

E-Account

Description	Balance	Amt Left for Bidding
COURSE	203.30 e\$	203.30 e\$

[View details](#)

Bidding Results

Round 1 Window 1

COURSE							
Code	Description	Sect	CU	Status	e\$	Min Bid	DICE
MGMT102	Strategy	G14	1.0	Successful	24.04	17.09	

Go to: [OASIS Announcements](#), [My Bidding Activities](#), [Overall BOSS Results](#)

Enrolments

COURSE						
Code	Description	Sect	CU	Grading Basis	Grade	e\$
MGMT102	Strategy	G14	1.0	Graded		24.04

Exemptions/Credit Transfers

Code	Description	CU	Grading Basis	Grade
ACCT111	Financial Accounting	1.0	Exemption	-
ACCT112	Management Accounting	1.0	Exemption	-
COR-STAT1202	Introductory Statistics	1.0	Exemption	-
LGST101	Business Law	1.0	Exemption	-
LGST201	Company Law	1.0	Exemption	-
XFE800	Free Electives	3.0	Exemption	-

Upcoming bidding windows

e-credits status

Results of most recent bidding window

Classes that you have successfully bidden for

WHAT IS BOSS?

BOSS - COURSE SEQUENCE

- Check completed modules and suggested terms to take uncompleted modules.

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Course Sequence												
Bachelor of Accountancy												
Item	Status	Year 1		Year 2		Year 3		Year 4		Year 5		Remarks
		T1	T2	T1	T2	T1	T2	T1	T2	T1	T2	
Capabilities - Numeracy (1CU)												
Calculus (COR1201)	Completed											Pre-assigned course
Capabilities - Modes of Thinking (1CU)												
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Capabilities - Managing (2CU)												
()												
Management Communication (COR-COMM1304)	Completed											Management Communication is compulsory for BAcc students
Capabilities - Writing & Reasoning (1CU)												
Writing and Reasoning (COR1100)	Completed											Pre-assigned Course
Capabilities - Internship (1CU)												
()												
Communities - Economics and Society (1CU)												
Economics and Society (COR2100)	Completed											Pre-assigned course
Communities - Technology and Society (1CU)												
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Communities - Cultures of the Modern World (1CU)												
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Communities - Community Service (1CU)												
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Civillisations - Big Questions (1CU)												
Big Questions (COR3001)	Completed											Pre-assigned course
Civillisations - Ethics and Social Responsibility (1CU)												
Ethics and Social Responsibility for Accounting (COR3302)	Completed											

Accounting Core (Accounting Subjects)												
Accounting Information Systems (ACCT221)	Completed											
Accounting Thought and Governance (ACCT332)												
Advanced Financial Accounting (ACCT335)												
Audit and Assurance (ACCT331)												
Financial Accounting (ACCT111)	Exempted/Credit Transfer											Pre-assigned course
Financial Reporting and Analysis (ACCT224)	Completed											
Intermediate Financial Accounting (ACCT334)	Completed											
Management Accounting (ACCT112)	Exempted/Credit Transfer											Pre-assigned course
Statistical Programming (ACCT337)	Completed											
Taxation (ACCT223)	Completed											
Valuation (ACCT336)												
Accounting Core (Business Subjects)												
Business Law (LGST101)	Exempted/Credit Transfer											Pre-assigned course
Company Law (LGST201)	Exempted/Credit Transfer											
Finance (FNCE101)	Completed											
Financial Markets and Investments (FNCE102)	Completed											
Introductory Statistics (COR-STAT1202)	Exempted/Credit Transfer											
Management of People at Work (OBHR101)	Completed											Pre-assigned course
Strategy (MGMT102)	In Progress											

BOSS - OVERALL BOSS RESULTS

- Review past bidding results and serves as a guide for upcoming bidding rounds.

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Course CareerUndergraduateCourse TypeCOURSE

Term2022-23 Term 1Modified Term 2 Only

RoundWindowNote: Windows 4-6 are for modified term.

Subject AreaCatalogue NoE.g. 101

Course TitlePlease input a title or part of a title with a wildcard %

ResetSearch

Term	Session	Bidding Window	Course	Description	Sect	Median	Min	Vacancy	Open	Enrolled	Instructor	School			
2022-23 Term 1	Regular Academic Session	Round 1 Window 1	ACCT009	Overseas Project Experience (Accounting in Asia) (SMU-X: Jakarta)	G1	-	0.00	25	23	1	1	0	22	YUANTO KUSNADI, KEVIN LEE	SOA
2022-23 Term 1	Regular Academic Session	Round 1 Window 1	ACCT101	Financial Accounting	G1	11.20	10.18	45	10	10	8	0	2	RICHARD CROWLEY	SOA
2022-23 Term 1	Regular Academic Session	Round 1 Window 1	ACCT101	Financial Accounting	G2	10.00	10.00	45	10	10	7	0	3	RICHARD CROWLEY	SOA
2022-23 Term 1	Regular Academic Session	Round 1 Window 1	ACCT101	Financial Accounting	G3	14.16	10.52	45	10	10	6	0	4	YIN WANG	SOA
2022-23 Term 1	Regular Academic Session	Round 1 Window 1	ACCT101	Financial Accounting	G4	15.52	13.76	45	10	10	7	0	3	YIN WANG	SOA
2022-23 Term 1	Regular Academic Session	Round 1 Window 1	ACCT101	Financial Accounting	G5	10.57	10.57	45	10	10	7	0	3	YIN WANG	SOA
2022-23 Term 1	Regular Academic Session	Round 1 Window 1	ACCT101	Financial Accounting	G6	11.11	11.01	45	10	10	7	0	3	YUN LEE	SOA
2022-23 Term 1	Regular Academic Session	Round 1 Window 1	ACCT101	Financial Accounting	G7	12.26	10.51	45	10	10	8	0	2	YUN LEE	SOA
2022-23 Term 1	Regular Academic Session	Round 1 Window 1	ACCT101	Financial Accounting	G8	-	0.00	45	10	10	10	0	0	YUN LEE	SOA
2022-23 Term 1	Regular Academic Session	Round 1 Window 1	ACCT101	Financial Accounting	G9	-	0.00	45	10	10	10	0	0	DAVID SAMUEL	SOA
2022-23 Term 1	Regular Academic Session	Round 1 Window 1	ACCT101	Financial Accounting	G10	10.01	10.01	45	10	10	9	0	1	DAVID SAMUEL	SOA
2022-23 Term 1	Regular Academic Session	Round 1 Window 1	ACCT101	Financial Accounting	G11	11.01	11.01	45	10	10	9	0	1	DAVID SAMUEL	SOA
2022-23 Term 1	Regular Academic Session	Round 1 Window 1	ACCT101	Financial Accounting	G12	11.01	11.01	45	10	10	9	0	1	CHARMAYNE HIGHFIELD	SOA
2022-23 Term 1	Regular Academic Session	Round 1 Window 1	ACCT101	Financial Accounting	G13	-	0.00	45	10	10	10	0	0	CHARLES CHEN	SOA

Step 1: Choose relevant term

Step 2: Choose relevant round and window

Step 3: Fill in the course code (e.g. ACCT223)

Step 4: Search!

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Sect: Click the embedded links for more information:

- Class date and timing
- Class description
- Course outline

Refer to the Median & Minimum bids to guide your upcoming bids.

Bef Proc: Seats available before window began
Aft Proc: Seats available after window closed

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2022-23 Term 1	Regular Academic Session	Round 1 Window 1	ACCT101	Financial Accounting	G13	-	0.00	45	10	10	10	0	0	CHARLES CHEN	SOA

BIDDING CONSIDERATIONS

- Modules: consider which to prioritise, module availability, appropriate workload, course outlines, etc.
- Professors: different professors have different teaching styles, so try to get reviews of professors from seniors or external sources
- Preferred timetable:
 - Class timings: 8.15am - 11.30am, 12pm - 3.15pm, 3.30pm - 6.45pm, 7pm - 10.15pm
 - Exams: ensure there are no clashes (esp. midterms)
- e\$ Budget: ensure that you have left enough credits for future semesters

STEP 1: PLAN AND BID

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Sign out

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Enrolments -

COURSE Code	Description	Sect	CU	Grading Basis	Grade	e\$	DICE
MGMT102	Strategy	G14	1.0	Graded		24.04	

Drop Enrolled Class

Term Info -

Course Type	Max Enrolment	Max Biddable
COURSE	5.5 CU	6.5 CU
WORKSHOP	1.0 Bundle	2.0 Bundle

You are eligible to [apply](#) for additional CU.

E-Account +

Bidding Cart -

Round 1 Window 2 is open from 29-Jun-2022 17:00 to 01-Jul-2022 10:00.

[Add to Cart](#)

COURSE
No class added.
WORKSHOP
No class added.

Checkout

Instructions -

- Please read through OASIS > BOSS > All About BOSS before you start planning for timetable. Major courses are biddable only in Round 1A.
- As some courses/sections are reserved for freshmen bidding/pre-assignment (i.e. Big Questions), please check the remaining vacancies (see "Available") in the Course Search page before submitting bids.
- Please check your bid submission before you close the BOSS page. Once your bids are submitted successfully, they will be updated in the bidding cart.

Class Timetable -

today 15-Aug-22 - 21-Aug-22 Day Week Month

	Mon, 15-Aug-22	Tue, 16-Aug-22	Wed, 17-Aug-22	Thu, 18-Aug-22	Fri, 19-Aug-22	Sat, 20-Aug-22	Sun, 21-Aug-22
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19:00		MGMT102 G14					
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21:00							
22:00							

Color Legend

- Enrolled
- Bid Placed
- Classes pinned in the bidding cart
- Public Holiday

Download class and exam timetable

Exam Timetable -

Code	Description	Sect	Exam Date	Day	Start Time	End Time	Status
MGMT102	Strategy	G14	30-Nov-2022	Wed	13:00	15:00	Enrolled

Step 1A: Click 'Plan & Bid' to arrive at this page

Step 1B: Click 'Add to Cart'

STEP 2: COURSE SEARCH

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Course Workshop

Course Search

Please select at least ONE Subject Area or Course Area to perform the Search. After adding classes to your bidding cart, please click on "Plan & Bid" to submit your bids. (For Undergraduate only) Curriculum Possibilities* - Double counting of courses within your basic degree is NOT allowed. Please see OASIS > Policies & Self Service > Requirements for the Degree for more details. (31250, 1015)

Subject Area: [Dropdown]
Course Title: **Tech%**
Course Topic: [Please input a topic or part of a topic with a wildcard %, e.g. smu-x%]
Course Area: [Tip: Select 2 course areas to return courses cross-listed in both]
Curriculum Requirement: [Tip: Select 2 requirements to return courses cross-listed in both]

Catalogue No: [E.g. 101]
Day of The Week: [All items checked]
Class Section: [Dropdown]
Meeting Time From: [Time] To: [Time]
☒ Classes only (ignore exam) ☐ My Planned Classes

Reset Search Show Advanced Search View Curriculum Progress

☒ **COR2201 - Technology and World Change**
Status: Biddable
Curriculum Requirement Possibilities*:
Uni Core - Comm - Tech & Society

COR2201 - Technology and World Change

COR2201 G1 1.0 CU
Regular Academic Session Graded
Course outline: [Icon]
Open In Person [Icon]
Total: 45 Enrolled: 19 Reserved: 25 Available: 1 Add to Cart Biddable

Type	Start Date	End Date	Day	Start Time	End Time	Room	Instructor
CLASS	15-Aug-2022	20-Nov-2022	Tue	08:15	11:30	LKCSB Seminar Rm 3.1	NEO KOK BENG
EXAM	02-Dec-2022	02-Dec-2022	Fri	14:30	16:30		

COR2201 G2 1.0 CU
Regular Academic Session Graded
Course outline: [Icon]
Open In Person [Icon]
Total: 45 Enrolled: 20 Reserved: 25 Available: 0 Add to Cart Biddable

Type	Start Date	End Date	Day	Start Time	End Time	Room	Instructor
CLASS	15-Aug-2022	20-Nov-2022	Tue	12:00	15:15	LKCSB Seminar Rm 3.1	NEO KOK BENG

Step 2A: Search for modules

Step 2B: Click on desired module

STEP 3: REVIEW & ADD TO CART

Step 3A: Review key details of the module

Step 3B: Check the course structure, topics, and graded components

COR2201 - Technology and World Change

COR2201 [G1](#)

1.0 CU

Regular Academic Session

Graded


Total: 45


Enrolled: 19


Reserved: 25

Open

Available: 1

Course outline: 

In Person 

 Add to Cart

Biddable

Type	Start Date	End Date	Day	Start Time	End Time	Room	Instructor
CLASS	15-Aug-2022	20-Nov-2022	Tue	08:15	11:30	LKCSB Seminar Rm 3.1	NEO KOK BENG
EXAM	02-Dec-2022	02-Dec-2022	Fri	14:30	16:30		


Step 3C: Click 'Add to Cart' if you want to bid on this module

STEP 4: PLANNING TIMETABLES

Bidding Cart

Next bidding (Round 2 Window 3) will be open from 15-Jun-2020 10:00 to 16-Jun-2020 10:00.

COURSE

Code	Description	Grading Basis	Sect	CU	Status	e\$	DICE
 COR1703	Managing in a VUCA Context (SUTD cls, enorg SMU Std enrol)	Graded	G40	1.0	Biddable		

WORKSHOP

No class added.

You are unable to check out due to one or more of these reasons:

- Bidding window is closed/over – see Summary > BOSS Dates
- Bidding for courses "Not Biddable Yet" – see Quick Links > All about BOSS > BOSS Rounds
- No class/course added to the bidding cart
- On Admin Hold
- *On external study in T2/MT2 and bidding for T3 – see Quick Links > Credit Transfer Policy
- *On Summer Study Programme and bidding for T3 – see Quick Links > Credit Transfer Policy

*Applicable to Undergraduates only. (31250, 1007)

today

	Mon, 29-Jun-20	Tue, 30-Jun-20
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22:00		

Step 4A: Click on the pin to see your planned timetable will look like

Instructions

Class Timetable

Exam Timetable

Code	Description	Sect	Exam Date	Day	Start Time	End Time	Status
ACCT224	Financial Reporting & Analysis	G4	23-Nov-2021	Tue	08:30	11:30	Enrolled
COR2218	Outbreak: Epidemics	G1	24-Nov-2021	Wed	08:30	10:30	Enrolled
FNCE101	Finance	G5	29-Nov-2021	Mon	08:30	11:30	Enrolled
LGST201	Company Law	G3	03-Dec-2021	Fri	08:30	10:30	Enrolled

For Undergraduate Students & Non-graduating Students:

- Please note that students are required to sit for the examinations on the day and time scheduled. Students are not allowed to reschedule their examination or request for special arrangement of the examination from instructors. If the time of the examination is of importance in choosing the courses, students must take that into consideration at the time of course bidding/enrolment.
- In Week 14, students are able to check for their confirmed exam venue @ OASIS > Home > Exam schedule.

Step 4B: Ensure that your exams do not clash

*Note: Ensure your midterms do not clash by checking the course outlines. Usually the exact midterm dates and timings are unconfirmed, but most professors will try to accomodate as long as you highlight it.

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STEP 5: CHECKOUT CART

Exemptions/Credit Transfers

Enrolments

Term Info

E-Account

Description	Balance	Amt Left for Bidding	
COURSE	207.58 e\$	207.58 e\$	View details
WORKSHOP	20.00 e-pt	20.00 e-pt	View details

Bidding Cart

Round 1 Window 1 is open from 27-Jun-2016 10:00 to 29-Jun-2016 10:00.

COURSE

Code	Description	Grading Basis	Sect	CU	Status	e\$	DICE
COMM216	The Comm and Digital Media Ind	Graded	G2	1.0	Biddable		✖
LGST001	Ethics & Social Responsibility	Graded	G5	1.0	Biddable		✖
MGMT102	Strategy	Graded	G8	1.0	Biddable		✖
MGMT233	Leadership Seminar with CEOs	Graded	G1	1.0	Biddable		✖
MKTG220	Digital Marketing	Graded	G2	1.0	Biddable		✖

WORKSHOP
No class added.

Checkout

Instructions

- Please read through the BOSS Handbook before you start planning for timetable.
- Please note that students are strongly advised against adding or dropping courses in the last 1 hour before bidding closes, as there had been students who could not submit their bids in time.
- After the courses have been added in the bidding cart and before checking out, please click on the "green pin" to check whether there is any conflict (clash) of class/exam timetable. If the conflict is encountered, please re-adjust the selected courses in the bidding cart before checking out.

Class Timetable

15-Aug-16 - 21-Aug-16

Day Week Month

	Mon, 15-Aug-16	Tue, 16-Aug-16	Wed, 17-Aug-16	Thu, 18-Aug-16	Fri, 19-Aug-16	Sat, 20-Aug-16	Sun, 21-Aug-16
08:00							
09:00							
10:00							
11:00							
12:00		COMM216 G2 Biddable		MKTG220 G2 Biddable			
13:00							
14:00							
15:00							
16:00			MGMT102 G8 Biddable	MGMT233 G1 Biddable			
17:00							
18:00							
19:00		LGST001 G5 Biddable					
20:00							
21:00							
22:00							

Step 5: Click on 'Checkout' to proceed with placing your bids

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STEP 6: SUBMIT YOUR BIDS

*Note: You can change your modules / bid amounts anytime after submission up until the bidding window closes.

Checkout Bids

Instructions

Drop If Course Exceeds (DICE) is activated when the number of your bids (in course units) exceeds the term enrolment limit. In such a situation, you have to specify at least 0.5 Course Unit for DICE i.e. indicate DICE priority 1 only (first course to be dropped). In some situations, you may need to specify 2 courses i.e. indicate DICE priority 1 and 2 only, in order of precedence to be dropped.

To DICE an enrolled course/workshop, click on the lock icon to activate the DICE field.

Bids Submission

Round 1 Window 1

COURSE

Available amount: 136.52 e\$

	e\$	DICE (1,2,...)	Code	Description	Sect	CU	Status
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	17.03		LGST001	Ethics & Social Responsibility	G5	1.00	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	30.58		MGMT102	Strategy	G8	1.00	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	44.79		MGMT233	Leadership Seminar with CEOs	G1	1.00	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	23.45		OBHR222	Bus. Negotiation & Conflict	G3	1.00	

	Code	Description	Sect	CU	Status
<input type="checkbox"/>	MKTG102	Consumer Behaviour	G5	1.00	
<input type="checkbox"/>	MKTG220	Digital Marketing	G2	1.00	
<input type="checkbox"/>	MKTG232	Marketing Channels	G1	1.00	

Cancel

Submit My Bids

Step 6A: Enter your bid amounts (minimum e\$10; 2 decimal places)

Step 6B: Click on 'Submit My Bids'

IMPORTANT DATES FOR FRESHMEN

<input type="checkbox"/>	28 Jul	10A.M.	31 Jul	10A.M.	2023-24 Term 1 - Regular Academic Session (14-Aug-23 to 03-Dec-23)	Before Term Starts	BOSS Incoming Freshmen Round 1 Window 1
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Accessible via [Quick Links](#) on BOSS.

<input type="checkbox"/>	31 Jul	2P.M.	31 Jul		2023-24 Term 1 - Regular Academic Session (14-Aug-23 to 03-Dec-23)	Before Term Starts	BOSS Incoming Freshmen Round 1 Window 1 Results
<input type="checkbox"/>	31 Jul	5P.M.	2 Aug	10A.M.	2023-24 Term 1 - Regular Academic Session (14-Aug-23 to 03-Dec-23)	Before Term Starts	BOSS Incoming Freshmen Round 1 Window 2
AUGUST 2023							
	Start Date	Start Time	End Date	End Time	Term	Term Week	Event
<input type="checkbox"/>	2 Aug	2P.M.	2 Aug		2023-24 Term 1 - Regular Academic Session (14-Aug-23 to 03-Dec-23)	Before Term Starts	BOSS Incoming Freshmen Round 1 Window 2 Results

IMPORTANT DATES FOR FRESHMEN

<input type="checkbox"/>	2 Aug	5P.M.	3 Aug	10A.M.	2023-24 Term 1 - Regular Academic Session (14-Aug-23 to 03-Dec-23)	Before Term Starts	BOSS Incoming Freshmen Round 1 Window 3
<input type="checkbox"/>	3 Aug	2P.M.	3 Aug		2023-24 Term 1 - Regular Academic Session (14-Aug-23 to 03-Dec-23)	Before Term Starts	BOSS Incoming Freshmen Round 1 Window 3 Results
<input type="checkbox"/>	3 Aug	5P.M.	4 Aug	10A.M.	2023-24 Term 1 - Regular Academic Session (14-Aug-23 to 03-Dec-23)	Before Term Starts	BOSS Incoming Freshmen Round 1 Window 4
<input type="checkbox"/>	4 Aug	2P.M.	4 Aug		2023-24 Term 1 - Regular Academic Session (14-Aug-23 to 03-Dec-23)	Before Term Starts	BOSS Incoming Freshmen Round 1 Window 4 Results

Accessible via [Quick Links](#) on BOSS.

BIDDING ROUNDS

Round

What modules can I bid for?

Freshmen Round

- Reserved for incoming freshmen.

Round 1

- Modules offered by your own School.
- Modules not offered by any specific Schools (e.g. Core Modules).

Round 1A

- Modules offered by your own School.
- Modules offered by your declared major.

Round 1B

- All SMU modules, no restrictions.

Round 1C

- Reserved for exchange students.

Round 2 & 2A

- All SMU modules, no restrictions.

DROPPING OF MODULES

- Can only drop modules during the bidding window

Enrolments								
COURSE								
Code	Description	Sect	CU	Grading Basis	Grade	e\$	DICE	
COMM101	Management Communication	G3	1.0	Graded		15.00		
IS102	Computer as an Analysis Tool	G4	1.0	Graded		15.00		
IS103	Computational Thinking	G1	1.0	Graded		15.00		
MKTG101	Marketing	G7	1.0	Graded		15.00		
OBHR101	Management of People at Work	G6	1.0	Graded		15.00		

Drop Enrolled Class



Drop Enrolled Classes							
	Code	Description	Sect	CU	Warning	Bid Amount	Refund Amount
<input type="checkbox"/>	COMM101	Management Communication	G3	1.0		15.00	15.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	IS102	Computer as an Analysis Tool	G4	1.0		15.00	15.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	IS103	Computational Thinking	G1	1.0		15.00	15.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	MKTG101	Marketing	G7	1.0		15.00	15.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	OBHR101	Management of People at Work	G6	1.0		15.00	15.00

Cancel Drop Selected Class

- Note that there is a deadline for dropping a module. You will be issued a "Withdrawn" or "Failed" grade if you choose to drop a module either
 - after the close of Round 2A; or
 - after Round 2 for Term 3
- For more details, check the OASIS page [here](#).

REFUND POLICY AFTER DROPPING MODULES

- After dropping a module, you will be refunded credits, depending on the round you refunded during.

Round	Maximum Refund (e\$)
Round 1 & 1A	50
Round 1B	40
Round 2	30
Round 2A	10

ENROLLING FOR ADDITIONAL MODULE

- Requirement of cGPA ≥ 3.30 after first year of study.
- Maximum of 6.5 CUs only.
- During Round 1, there is an option to "Apply for Term Load Increase" on BOSS Bidding
- Once approved, you can bid for a 6th module in Round 2.

EXTRA BIDDING STRATEGIES

- Drop if Course Exceeds (DICE)
 - Students can bid for additional modules, but excess modules will be automatically dropped in order of preference.
 - Cannot use DICE to bid for another class of the same module, or another module with a conflicting timetable/exam clash.

Instructions

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To DICE an enrolled course/workshop, click on the lock icon to activate the DICE field.

- Sniping
 - Riskier strategy where you drop a successful bid and re-bid again at a lower price, typically done a few minutes before the window closes.
 - Usually done to save credits when you have over-bid on a modules.
 - NOTE: There is always a risk of counter-sniping by other students.
- Counter-sniping
 - Refreshing the page continuously when the bidding round is about to close, and bidding on a module if there is an increase in class vacancies, due to snipers dropping the module.

Presented By:
19th ASoc MC

Friday,
21/07/2023



Q & A

SPEAKER'S MESSAGE AND DISCLAIMER

Thank you for those who came down for the crash course! On behalf of the 19th Accounting Society (ASoc) MC, I hope that this initiative was comprehensive enough to prepare you for the upcoming bidding rounds. Although we did go quite over time, I am grateful for your active involvement and participation during the Q&A, and hope it was enough to ease your anxieties :)

As a general disclaimer, several of the answers given during the session was based on personal experience. These answers may or may not be representative of SOA's student population, and I will bring it to your attention by **bolding** them. As always, I encourage all freshmen to **do your own research** through asking your peers or seniors, looking at official SMU websites and handbooks, other external sites, etc, to make an informed decision.

While I tried my best to answer all live questions, there will always be a more comprehensive and eloquent answer when given time to prepare. For answers that have been updated and differ largely from the responses during the live Q&A, I will bring it to your attention by noting "[UPDATE]" at the beginning of the amended responses.

Good luck for the upcoming freshmen bidding windows! I hope all of you get your bids, but if you didn't, I hope you can make it work :) Happy bidding!

Q&A – GENERAL BIDDING CONCERNS

- **If I bid earlier for the course, does that affect my chances of getting a successful bid?**

If you are referring to bidding earlier within a round & window, then the timing in which you bid does not matter. If you are referring to bidding earlier between rounds and windows (e.g. bidding in Round 1 as opposed to Round 2), the available vacancies of a course in Round 1 is most likely higher than Round 2, which means you are more likely to be successful bidding for the same class in Round 1 than in Round 2.

- **How do we bid during the freshmen round if it coincides with ASoc Camp?**

While it is possible to bid during ASoc Camp on your mobile devices, you can also do it after ASoc Camp ends as the freshmen protected bidding round takes place over the course of a few days. You can refer to Slides 24-25 for more details.

- **How do we check the dates of Midterm Examinations for specific modules?**

Although it is highly likely that the dates of the Midterms will not be finalised during the bidding period for most modules, it is always good practice to check the Course Outline for the modules you are keen on taking to find out when Midterms are likely to take place. In the event that you have enrolled for courses that have clashing Midterms with the same timing, do raise it up to the relevant Professors such that they have sufficient time to accommodate you.

Q&A – GENERAL BIDDING CONCERNS

- **Since there are already pre-assigned modules, what modules do students usually bid for?**

Many freshmen choose to take Introductory Statistics in their first year since it is a pre-requisite to several modules in their coursework. Other modules include Core Modules in the Capabilities and Communities basket, as Accounting Core Modules tend to have a pre-requisite of passing ACCT111, which you will take in your first semester.

Following that, in Y1S2, you can choose to take Accounting Core Modules. Refer to Slide 14 to check how to access the Course Sequence page, which offers suggested terms in which you can take certain modules. Do check out the Module Difficulty Guidebook by ASoc on smuasoc.com/guidebooks for student surveyed responses as well!

- **Would you recommend taking up a 5th module (e.g. Introductory Statistics) in Term 1? Or should we wait until Term 2?**

The speaker cannot advise on this comprehensively as there may be circumstances that can affect your decision. Do take into account the coursework that has already been pre-assigned to you, your ability to cope with academic matters, and any external commitments you may have.

Note that if you have to fulfil more CUs (due to a double degree/if you wish to take a second major in the future), it is advisable to take more modules if you can cope to ease your workload in the future.

Q&A – GENERAL BIDDING CONCERNS

- **How do we check what our pre-assigned modules are? Would it be on the Summary page on BOSS?**

[UPDATE] Do check your emails! You should have received an email with an attachment that provides guidance on Course Registration. Closer to the bidding period, your pre-assigned modules will be made known to you via BOSS.

- **How do we tell what Uni Core Modules should be taken in which year? Some friends bided for a certain module, but realised it requires knowledge from other modules. Any tips on identifying such modules?**

You can refer to Slide 14 to check how to access the Course Sequence page, which offers suggested terms in which you can take certain modules.

From personal experience, Core Modules do not typically require a pre-requisite course. The knowledge that comes from other modules could have been covered coincidentally as some modules do have overlap in course content. The best way to check this would be through comparing the respective Course Outlines of the modules.

- **Where can I check the pre-requisites and co-requisites for certain courses?**

You can refer to the Course Outline for the relevant courses. Alternatively, you can view ASoc's Module Difficulty Guidebook that has a mindmap of the pre-requisite and co-requisite relationships between modules. (As a disclaimer, the information in the Guidebook is true as of the time of publishing.)

Q&A – GENERAL BIDDING CONCERNS

- **If we are pre-assigned Financial Accounting (ACCT111) and a basket of 4 Modules (either Basket A or B), do we still need to bid since we have 5 CUs?**

If you have 5 CUs, there is no need to bid for other modules. However, if you have exemptions from certain pre-assigned modules, you have the option to bid for more modules.

- **Will we be able to choose our class timings for pre-assigned modules?**

No, you cannot choose your class timings or Professors for pre-assigned modules.

- **Are courses like Calculus exempted automatically, or is there any action on my part to declare my exemptions?**

There is no action required on your part.

- **BOSS is currently giving me an error message when trying to access it. How can I fix this?**

Do check your emails! There is an attachment provided by BOSS entitled "How To Register Azure MFA User Guide" to rectify the error message.

If the error persists, do contact the Office of Registrar early to ensure you can rectify the error in time for bidding. You can contact them at boss@smu.edu.sg.

Q&A – GENERAL BIDDING CONCERNS

- **Do the Mean and Median values for bidding change throughout the few days of one bidding round or do they remain the same throughout?**

You can check the Mean and Median values only for bidding rounds and windows that have already been concluded. You can refer to Slides 15-16 on how you can view the Mean and Median values.

- **Based on your personal opinion, do you recommend taking exemptions or do you think it's better to study the module again (e.g. Financial Accounting) the way SMU teaches? Especially for exemptions that happen to be pre-requisites for other modules.**

From the speaker's experience, most students do choose to take the exemption rather than study the module again, since your workload will be reduced and you can better focus on the modules that you are currently taking. If you are keen on studying the course the way SMU teaches it, you can opt to ask your peers or seniors for any notes or lecture slides that you can self-study in your own time.

- **Based on your experience, what would be the most credits you would spend on a popular module and Professor?**

The speaker cannot advise you on this comprehensively as this amount varies drastically. For the same module and Professor, bids can vary from extremely low to extremely high. You can refer to Slides 15-16 on how to view the Mean and Median values in order to guide your bidding decision.

Q&A – GENERAL BIDDING CONCERNS

- Does the decimal point matter in bidding?

From the speaker's experience, she has lost a bid by 0.03. The decimal points definitely matter.

You can choose your bids symbolically, **as the speaker likes to bid** 0.88 for the huats.

- What happens when we run out of credits?

Although it goes without saying to conserve where you can, **from what the speaker has heard**, some seniors have emailed SMU due to extenuating circumstances (e.g. it may delay their graduation if they are unable to take this module). Although we are unable to speak on SMU's behalf as to criteria they use to give students this concession, it is worth a shot to email SMU if you are facing similar extenuating circumstances.

Q&A – ACADEMIC CONCERNS

- **Are Singapore Studies and Asia Studies counted to Global Exposure?**

No, they are separate requirements. Global Exposure is cleared by going on exchange or participating in certain programs. These programs are typically publicised via email and will disclose if it counts towards clearing Global Exposure. For Singapore Studies and Asia Studies, students will automatically clear these requirements by passing Big Questions and Economics & Society.

- **If we get a course exemption, will it be graded?**

No, it will not be graded. Your cGPA will be the average of the modules that you take.

- **What do the numbers in the course code signify? e.g. Does ACCT1XX mean we should take it in Year 1, and ACCT2XX mean we should take it in Year 2?**

Generally, the course code signifies course progression. Modules such as ACCT111 tend to be pre-requisites for modules such as ACCT221 or ACCT224. Similarly, modules like ACCT221 and ACCT224 tend to be pre-requisites for ACCT3XX. Modules with ACCT4XX tend to be accounting electives. However, **there may be exemptions to this generalisation.**

This guideline is largely applicable to modules offered by Schools (other examples include FNCE, MGMT, etc). For Core Modules, this guideline is generally not applicable.

Q&A – ACADEMIC CONCERNS

- **Is there a need for textbooks, or are materials usually provided for courses?**

This is highly dependent on the course itself. For content-heavy modules that typically have open-book examinations like LGST101 Business Law, you will be utilising the textbook most of the time and it is highly advisable you have a hardcopy. Other courses may not require you to have a textbook, but you may be encouraged to buy one either way for your own reference, or to try the practice questions.

[UPDATE] Some materials will be directly provided by the Professors. Do check out SMU Libraries, for when you want to access readings online! Some classes on eLearn do give you access to a Reading List which is updated with the readings that the Professor requires.

Otherwise, do **check with seniors or peers** as this is highly subjective to the course in question.

- **In the Academic Calendar 2023-24, there is a "1st Yr ICT" period in the 17 weeks Vacation period, what does that refer to?**

ICT refers to "In-Camp Training" for those in NS.

Q&A – DOUBLE DEGREE/SECOND MAJOR

- **In Year 1, do you take modules for your secondary degree?**

[UPDATE] It is possible to bid for modules for your secondary degree in your freshmen year, since you will not be preassigned these modules.

- **In Year 2, as a double degree student with Accountancy as my secondary degree, will I be pre-assigned to Accountancy modules that primary Accounting students take in Year 1 (e.g. ACCT111 and ACCT112)?**

No, you have to bid for them.

- **For a double degree, do you pay extra school fees?**

[UPDATE] While you do not have to pay the full price of the second degree, your tuition fees will be the higher of either degrees.

- **What is the minimum GPA I must maintain to keep taking a double degree?**

You must maintain a minimum cGPA of 3.4.

Q&A – DOUBLE DEGREE/SECOND MAJOR

- **Do students with double degrees get extra credits?**

No, they do not.

- **If you want to take a second major offered by another SMU School, would you have to clear Core Modules from that School as well?**

You will not have to complete the full list of Core Modules from that School, but you may be required to complete a select few. **Please do your research** to make an informed decision as this is subject to the specific major you are keen on taking.

- **How do we graduate in 3.5 years with a double major?**

This is likely not possible, unless you have several exemptions.

- **Is it manageable to graduate in 4 years if you take a double degree?**

This is dependent on the combination you are taking. While it is possible to do so for certain degrees (e.g. BAcc and BBM), that is due to the higher number of overlaps between modules of both degrees. You can refer to the SMU Accountancy Handbook for further details [here](#).

Q&A – DOUBLE DEGREE/SECOND MAJOR

- **Would you recommend taking a double degree or a second major, or is a single degree sufficient?**

The speaker cannot advise you fully on this, since it is highly dependent on what career you wish to take in the future. For a career focused mainly on accounting, such as a career in Audit or Tax, a single degree is definitely sufficient, although you can choose to take a double degree or a second major for your holistic development.

From the speaker's personal experience, as long as you can maintain a double degree or a second major at a grade that you are satisfied with, and if you can cope well, there is no harm in taking on additional academic commitments that can open up more avenues for your future career path.

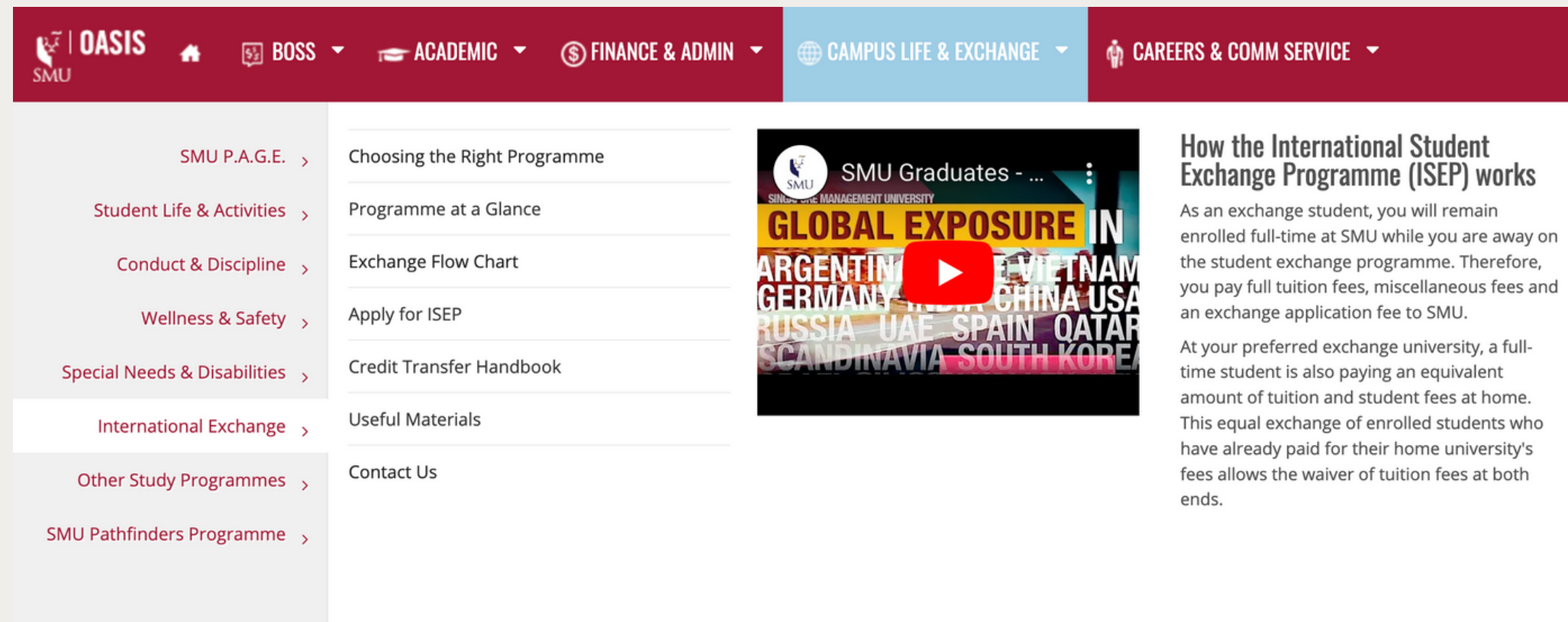
- **Is there any benefit to declaring your second major at the end of Year 1 instead of Year 2? Would that mean we can start completing the modules from that major earlier?**

Based on the speaker's personal experience, there are students who choose to take a second major early in order to bid on the offered modules at an earlier round (i.e. referring to Slide 26, you will be able to bid on them in Round 1A instead of Round 1B). However, do note that there is a penalty of e\$10 if you drop the second major, if you are only keen on the benefits of declaring it early.

Q&A – EXCHANGE

- **What is the process of applying for exchange like?**

There is a highly detailed guide on exchange application on OASIS, as well as Self-Service Applications that you can explore that will aid you in the process of applying for exchange. Do take a look at the resources available to you!



The screenshot displays the SMU OASIS website interface. The top navigation bar includes links for BOSS, ACADEMIC, FINANCE & ADMIN, CAMPUS LIFE & EXCHANGE, and CAREERS & COMM SERVICE. The left sidebar lists various student resources, with 'International Exchange' highlighted. The main content area features a list of links for the ISEP process, a video titled 'GLOBAL EXPOSURE IN' showing various countries, and a detailed explanation of how the ISEP works.

Navigation Bar: OASIS SMU, BOSS, ACADEMIC, FINANCE & ADMIN, CAMPUS LIFE & EXCHANGE, CAREERS & COMM SERVICE

Left Sidebar:

- SMU P.A.G.E. >
- Student Life & Activities >
- Conduct & Discipline >
- Wellness & Safety >
- Special Needs & Disabilities >
- International Exchange >**
- Other Study Programmes >
- SMU Pathfinders Programme >

Main Content Area:

- Choosing the Right Programme
- Programme at a Glance
- Exchange Flow Chart
- Apply for ISEP
- Credit Transfer Handbook
- Useful Materials
- Contact Us

Video: SMU Graduates - ... GLOBAL EXPOSURE IN ARGENTINA, GERMANY, RUSSIA, SCANDINAVIA, VIETNAM, CHINA, USA, SOUTH KOREA, QATAR, SPAIN, UAE

How the International Student Exchange Programme (ISEP) works

As an exchange student, you will remain enrolled full-time at SMU while you are away on the student exchange programme. Therefore, you pay full tuition fees, miscellaneous fees and an exchange application fee to SMU.

At your preferred exchange university, a full-time student is also paying an equivalent amount of tuition and student fees at home. This equal exchange of enrolled students who have already paid for their home university's fees allows the waiver of tuition fees at both ends.

Q&A – EXCHANGE

- **How do we plan our modules such that we can map some courses to a university abroad if we want to take a semester overseas? How do we know which modules can be cleared overseas?**

You can refer to the Credit Transfer Handbook on OASIS and refer to it as a comprehensive guide to see which modules can be mapped over, as well as checking if there are any limitations or restrictions.

Another resource that may be helpful is the Exchange Course Mapping Self-Service Application on OASIS. This application shows the modules that previous students have successfully mapped over when applying for their exchange. Do note that this list is non-exhaustive, as there will always be other modules offered by the Exchange University that can possibly be mapped over. As courses are continuously updating, do note that although it was listed in the Exchange Course Mapping, SMU reserves the right to reject your application should you the course content on this module change, such that it is not suitable to be mapped over to your courseload.

- **As a double degree student, will going on exchange clear the Global Exposure requirement for both degrees at the same time?**

The Global Exposure requirement is applicable to all students and is not contingent on the number of degrees you take. Thus, there is no need to go on exchange twice to fulfill this requirement.

Q&A – INTERNSHIPS

- **Do students typically do their internships or international exchange first? Does the order matter?**

The order does not matter. **From what the speaker has heard**, most students clear their internship before going on exchange.

- **When do students typically clear the internship requirements? What type of internships do they clear?**

Due to the nature of the internship requirement, in which it must be longer than 10 weeks, most students clear the Internship CU during summer break or do so by taking a Leave of Absence.

For BAcc students, this internship must be in the area of Accounting Services, Audit, Taxation or Advisory. Please view the SMU Accounting Handbook [here](#) for more details.

- **What is the internship requirement vetting process for proposing your own internship that is not listed on OnTrac?**

To fulfill the internship requirement specific to BAcc students, please view the SMU Accounting Handbook [here](#) for more details. To propose your own internship, you will have to include a short description of your jobscope on OnTrac, to be vetted by SMU.