Inspiring lifelong learning, transforming society through applied social sciences
The SUSS Difference

Inclusive Education

Proud to be Singapore’s first institute for lifelong learning, we champion inclusivity to bring education to all regardless of their age, qualification, experience, background – fresh school-leavers, working adults or silver learners. Our broad admission criteria for our lifelong learners partaking in our diverse learning environment ensure that they are given equal opportunities to develop to their fullest potential throughout life.

Multiple Pathways

Learning at SUSS is flexible and customisable to suit diverse learning needs and commitments. We offer a wide variety of programmes, full-time and part-time, that are modular and stackable towards full qualifications, for our students to design and build their own learning, tailored to their learning needs and pace.

Choose from our vast programme offerings ranging from professional certifications, in-company continuing education programmes, bite-sized courses or customised courses targeted at special interest groups.
SUSS UniLEARN is an e-learning initiative for the community, with an emphasis on social concerns in our society. In-line with the University’s mission to provide lifelong education that equips learners to serve society, UniLEARN’s mission is to build a vibrant online learning community that delivers social impact. Through this online community, we aim to promote deeper understanding of the various social issues confronting our society today, and evoke in the hearts of our learners, greater empathy for the disadvantaged and a desire to bring about positive change.

**Experiential and Applied Learning**

Grounded in our core philosophy of ‘Head, Heart, Habit’ (3H), we continually develop well-rounded future talents who are professionally competent, socially conscious, and lifelong learners with a heart to impact lives. We build experiential and applied learning to enliven and enrich our student experience through a host of global learning programmes, internships, entrepreneurship and service learning projects as well as student-led expeditions to provide a holistic education that nurtures empathy, broadens contextual understanding and deepens perspectives.
Beyond the individual, our social emphasis focuses on teaching and practising sciences in the service of society. Our core curriculum, applicable to all our programmes, inculcates this core knowledge and understanding about emerging issues in the society in all our students and how they can play a role in their professional practice and community.

Full-time SUSS students will be able to further develop and act on their sense of social responsibility, to contribute meaningfully to society. By engaging in close collaboration with community partners (locally and internationally) of their choice, they will discover, develop and deliver a community engagement endeavour that they are passionate about. Our students take personal ownership over their contributions, learning through experience, to make a sustainable difference in the community.

"Learning happens when we step outside our comfort zone, which is something that the Singapore University of Social Sciences encourages their students to do. The Experiential Teambuilding programme allows us to understand how our personal identity are formed through self-awareness, community engagement and team bonding activities."

- Joycelyn, Student of SUSS
Singapore University of Social Sciences (SUSS) is an autonomous university and its mission is to provide lifelong education that equips learners to serve society. Home to more than 15,000 students, SUSS provides an applied education that targets both fresh school leavers and adult learners, with a focus on the social sciences. It adopts a flexible and practice-focused learning approach and offers about 80 degree programmes in various disciplines.

Our programmes and courses are made available through our five schools:

- **S R Nathan School of Human Development**
- **School of Business**
- **School of Humanities & Behavioural Sciences**
- **School of Law**
- **School of Science and Technology**

From 1 April 2019, the Institute for Adult Learning (IAL) became an autonomous institute of SUSS. Both entities enable a synergistic collaboration as IAL brings to SUSS its expertise and experience in adult learning and Continuing Education and Training (CET), while SUSS provides an ecosystem of resources and experts rooted in academic rigour.

**Continuing Education and Training (CET)**

Under SUSS CET, we offer a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary range of over 200 courses each semester. You can choose from a broad range of courses, from 1 day to a few weeks, to prepare you for the priority and growth sectors in Singapore’s economy; such as: Accountancy, Advanced Manufacturing, Applied Health Sciences, Biomedical Sciences, Construction, Early Childhood, Financial Services, Human Resource Management, ICT & Media, Logistics and Aerospace, Smart and Sustainable Urban Solutions and Social Services.
Established in 2005

Over 15,000 students

Over 200 partners

More than 80 degree programmes

94% Full-time graduates employed within 6 months of graduation

Over 38,000 alumni

Among those in full-time employment, over 46% received two or more job offers

Quick Facts

At SUSS, we believe that everyone can be a force for positive change. That’s why our programmes are designed differently. Our curriculum equips you with the three essential qualities of “Head”, “Heart” and “Habit” that enable you to reach your goals while making a positive impact in society.

Partnering for Success

With more than 200 partners, locally and globally, from various sectors, we look forward for opportunities to connect our students, alumni, faculty and staff to the world; through academic programme collaborations, knowledge sharing, student and faculty exchanges, research partnerships, and donations; with institutions of higher learning, industry players, government agencies and community groups in various countries.

By creating significant and sustainable social impact in Singapore; and beyond through these and more, our students, alumni, faculty, staff, programmes and research contribute to the betterment of society.

3Hs

Professionally competent and job-ready, with applied skills

Socially conscious with a desire to make positive changes in society

A self-directed and lifelong learner with strong ethics and values

HEA

HEART

HABIT

With SUSS as the incubator of new knowledge, discoveries and innovations, organisations can gain access to a unique breadth and depth of knowledge and experience when they partner us.

Contact us

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