

# 2024 UNDERGRADUATE PROSPECTUS

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SINGAPORE UNIVERSITY  
OF SOCIAL SCIENCES



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● 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.

## HEAD

Professionally competent and job ready, with applied skills.

## HEART

Socially conscious with a desire to make positive changes in society.

## HABIT

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

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# QUICK FACTS ABOUT SINGAPORE UNIVERSITY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

More than <b>130</b> undergraduate and graduate programmes	Home to <b>Singapore's third law school</b>
Over <b>21,000</b> students	Over <b>47,000</b> alumni
<b>9 in 10</b> SUSS graduates secured employment within <b>6 months</b> of completing their final exams <sup>1</sup>	
<b>&gt;80%</b> of our graduates agreed that <b>SUSS prepared them for the job market</b> <sup>2</sup>	

<sup>1</sup> Based on Joint Autonomous Universities Graduate Employment Survey 2022 on Class of 2022 full-time graduates.  
<sup>2</sup> Based on Joint Autonomous Universities Graduate Employment Survey 2021 on Class of 2021 part-time graduates.

## INDUSTRY-RELEVANT KNOWLEDGE & PRACTICE-ORIENTED SKILLS

Our emphasis on applied learning is unparalleled. We prepare learners for the real world with critical skills and a unique perspective to approach problems with practical solutions and create ethical, positive impact.

Our faculty comprises distinguished, highly-experienced professionals from a host of industries and from various parts of the world. Through them, you gain a potent combination of insightful knowledge relevant to your career, and global perspectives that help you deal with real work-life situations.

## MODULAR COURSES & E-LEARNING FOR ULTIMATE FLEXIBILITY

As a university for learners from different life stages and with diverse needs, we have created uniquely flexible conditions that let students learn on their own terms.

For part-time undergraduates, you may choose to complete your degree in as short as three years, or up to eight years, while full-time undergraduates may pick a duration between four and six years. By selecting modular courses to suit your time commitments or learning pace, you can design a learning process that revolves around your preferences.

Busy parents or time-strapped individuals will find our remote e-learning exceptionally useful. Invaluable face-to-face classroom interaction is complemented by instructor-facilitated online forums and virtual classes, thus letting you enjoy the full learning experience even from the comfort of your home. It's the ideal way to balance learning and life's responsibilities.

## SERVICE-LEARNING

At SUSS, service-learning is an integral part of the University's learning ecology that prepares you for an active, fulfilling and meaningful life.

Service-learning enables our full-time undergraduates to further develop and act on your sense of social responsibility, contributing meaningfully to society.

Through close collaboration with community partners of your choice, you will discover, develop and deliver service-learning endeavours that you are passionate about. You will take personal ownership of your learning through experiences and contributions to make a sustainable difference in the community.

At SUSS, we prepare you for an active, fulfilling and meaningful life.

## LIFELONG EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR DIVERSE LEARNERS

Access to quality education should be available to everyone at any stage in their lives. It is the cornerstone of our educational philosophy.

As an institution originally established to provide higher education and professional training, SUSS offers, from inception, a pedagogy that is designed for diverse learners. Whether you are a school leaver pursuing a degree, or a busy professional looking to upgrade your skills, you'll find the learning opportunities you seek at SUSS. In fact, ours is an unconventional learning environment that thrives on bringing different people together, each possessing unique talents and experiences that can benefit as well as broaden the perspectives of fellow learners.

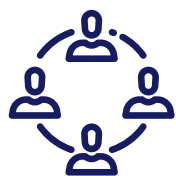
# 10 GOOD REASONS TO STUDY AT SINGAPORE UNIVERSITY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES



ONE OF THE SIX AUTONOMOUS  
UNIVERSITIES IN SINGAPORE



HIGH ACADEMIC  
STANDARDS



EXPERIENCED FACULTY MEMBERS  
AND INDUSTRY EXPERTS



FOCUS ON REAL-  
WORLD LEARNING



INDUSTRY-RELEVANT  
CURRICULA



PRACTICE-ORIENTED  
APPROACH



WELL-DESIGNED ONLINE  
LEARNING RESOURCES



FLEXIBLE AND  
SELF-PACED LEARNING



LIFELONG EDUCATIONAL  
OPPORTUNITIES



GOVERNMENT TUITION GRANT OR  
SUBSIDY FOR ELIGIBLE STUDENTS

## FACILITIES & SERVICES

### ROOM TO THINK AND GROW

We offer a conducive learning environment in a campus that is well-equipped with lecture theatres, seminar rooms, cohort rooms, computer labs and specialist labs.

### RESOURCES AT YOUR FINGERTIPS

The online SUSS Library lets you access academic materials anytime, anywhere, with its extensive collection of eBooks, journals, research guides, magazines and more.

### PLAY AS YOU LEARN

Take a break at our cosy lounge, get connected at our interactive lounge, or just network and socialise at the various cafeterias conveniently located around the campus.

### VALUE-ADDED SERVICES

For greater flexibility and self-directed learning, our learning management system lets you attend online courses anywhere supported by digital learning content, virtual forum discussions, videos and webinars. You will also enjoy e-learning initiatives like the interactive StudyGuide, eTextbook, and the SUSS Backpack mobile app to enhance your learning experience.

### EASILY ACCESSIBLE LOCATION

With numerous buses and MRT lines serving the neighbourhood, you'll spend less time travelling to and from our campus, and more time learning, networking and building a better future for yourself.







# S R NATHAN SCHOOL OF HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

The S R Nathan School of Human Development provides programmes to equip learners with the values, skills and knowledge to transform and enrich lives through their respective practices in a diverse blend of social disciplines.

These programmes include counselling, social work, human resource management and early childhood education. Not only will these provide the basis for professional practices, they will open up a wealth of career opportunities, allowing you to seek employment from social services to corporate sectors.

## FULL-TIME UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES



### Bachelor of Early Childhood Education<sup>#</sup>

As world governments increase their focus on healthy development of young children, early childhood education has become an in-demand career because of societal needs and an increased awareness that the early years are crucial for a child's lifelong development. Well-prepared early childhood educators can enter multidisciplinary work beyond just kindergarten and childcare work.

This programme prepares early childhood teachers to be inquiring, progressive educators who are developmentally appropriate, inclusive and respectful of young children's ideas and individual meaning-making processes. The courses provide a foundation for individuals to function effectively within Singapore's licensed childcare centres and kindergartens. Well-prepared and experienced early childhood educators can eventually enter multidisciplinary work when individual educators have had sufficient experience working as early childhood teachers.

Graduates from the programme can look forward to fulfilling careers first and foremost in the growing early childhood education sector; and with sufficient reflective experience and cumulative knowledge, be able to branch out to community work, public education, social entrepreneurship, as well as governmental and non-governmental organisations.

### Bachelor of Human Resource Management<sup>#</sup>

This programme is Singapore's first and only full-time bachelor degree in human resource management. The field of human resource management is vital to organisations in Singapore across sectors as they are going through organisational transformation. Consequently, there is increasing demand for specialist HR practitioners, both locally and regionally.

Designed and developed by practitioners and faculty, the Bachelor of Human Resource Management programme combines essential topics in social science, business and human resource functions. The programme aims to produce competent professionals grounded in business and with specific HR domain knowledge.

Graduates from the programme can look forward to enriching careers as human resource professionals in areas such as personnel and recruitment, training, development, compensation, employee relations, labour relations, and organisation development.

### Bachelor of Social Work<sup>#</sup>

With a rich history in enhancing human well-being, social work remains as a dynamic profession that evolves to meet emerging social needs and conditions. The recent blossoming of the social services sector in Singapore has made social work an increasingly popular career choice for young people who aspire to improve the lives of people from diverse backgrounds.

This programme equips our students with theoretical knowledge and a repertoire of skills to work with diverse population groups at multiple levels — individual, group, family, organisation, and the larger community, as well as in different practice settings. You will also gain knowledge and skills in the areas of social policy and planning, social welfare administration, and social advocacy, to enable you to promote social change and development.

As an undergraduate, you will be required to complete 800 hours of supervised social work field education in different social work settings. Graduates can look forward to enriching careers in family service centres, children and youth services, youth centres, hospitals, hospices and other community or social service agencies.

<sup>#</sup>This is a direct honours programme. Graduating students who meet the honours eligibility criteria will be awarded the respective honours classification.



## PART-TIME UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES



### Bachelor of Counselling

This programme is specially designed to equip students with the essential skills for the role of a counsellor. It offers a mix of theoretical knowledge, research insights as well as practical skills in counselling. The practice-oriented programme supports aspects of life span issues and specialised topics in the helping profession. Graduates of the basic degree who continue to pursue the SUSS Master of Counselling programme, and complete 600 hours of face-to-face counselling and 60 hours of clinical supervision would meet the standards and requirements stipulated by the Singapore Association for Counselling (SAC) for SAC membership as registered counsellors.

### Bachelor of Early Childhood Education

This programme advocates for inclusive practices, a constructivist approach that is playful and encourages children to be enquirers. A key feature of this programme is its strong theory-practice focus, requiring practising educators to more critically reflect on, analyse and apply relevant theories and research into their own teaching. Besides deepening their knowledge and skills, students can also choose from a range of minor specialisations to broaden their learning experience so as to become more flexible thinkers and versatile professionals. You may pursue Early Childhood Education as a single major or in combination with a minor.

### Bachelor of Early Childhood and Chinese Language Education

This programme aims to enhance the professional development of Chinese language preschool teachers. It offers students a wide range of courses including early childhood curriculum and pedagogy, child growth and development, children's literature, Chinese phonetics and lexicology as well as Chinese grammar and rhetoric.

### Bachelor of Human Resource Management

This tailored programme produces contemporary human resource professionals who are not only skilled in dealing with age-old human resource issues, but are also proficient in managing evolving issues that result from organisational overhauls, human capital mobility and technological advances. The programme integrates essential social science topics and core business competencies via an in-depth coverage of human resource core competencies. You may pursue Human Resource Management as a single major or in combination with a minor.

### Bachelor of Social Work<sup>^</sup>

Emanating from the key foundational components of social work theory and practice, the focus of this programme is on the mastery and integration of an eclectic knowledge base and a broad spectrum of skills. A wide range of theoretical knowledge and practice skills underlying social work practice will be covered. All these will prepare graduates in utilising a common helping process on multiple levels — with individuals, families, groups, organisations and communities — and in implementing a wide range of intervention roles including advocate, broker, case manager, counsellor, group educator and mediator. This programme will also prepare graduates to practise in a variety of settings and with diverse populations.

### Bachelor of Sports and Physical Education

Developed in consultation with the Physical Education and Sports Teacher Academy (PESTA) and experts in physical education (PE), this programme integrates essential pedagogical knowledge and practical skills in the domains of sport, physical education and outdoor education. Designed to cater to a good range of needs, students will be able to choose courses that match their interest such as sport coaching, teaching physical education and sports, and instruction and facilitation in outdoor learning. Together with courses from a minor of their choice (e.g., management, psychology, analytics) or Free Electives, graduates of this programme will be able to acquire competencies that are relevant to their chosen fields. You may pursue Sports and Physical Education as a single major or in combination with a minor.

<sup>^</sup> Students who perform well academically in the basic degree programme may be invited to pursue the honours programme, which will be offered only if the requisite number of students sign up.

## SCHOOL OF LAW

The School of Law's primary focus is to train and produce lawyers for the practice of law in Singapore, particularly in the areas of criminal and family law. Its programmes adopt a pedagogical approach that emphasises problem-solving by combining the learning of substantive law with application. Together with exposure to cross-disciplinary areas, our graduates will be prepared to face criminal and family legal work that have become increasingly specialised over time.

### Bachelor of Laws and Juris Doctor<sup>#</sup>

These programmes develop you into a lawyer within the legal community who specialises in criminal law or family law practices. They provide you with in-depth training as well as exposure to cross-disciplinary areas like forensics and social work issues from more holistic angles. Bachelor of Laws students will take an additional 30 credit units of electives from the areas of law, psychology or social work.

In your final year of study, you will be required to attend and complete a Legal Clerkship Programme that will provide structured training in the application of legal and professional knowledge in real-life situations. Both degrees are recognised under the Legal Profession Act, and as long as you graduate with a cumulative grade point average (CGPA) of 3.5, you will become a 'qualified person' under the Legal Profession Act and shall be eligible to sit for Part B of the Singapore Bar Examinations.



<sup>#</sup> This is a direct honours programme. Graduating students who meet the honours eligibility criteria will be awarded the respective honours classification.







## SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

The School of Business offers many degree programmes to cater to the different aspirations of our students and every programme is designed to prepare you to become competent future managers/business professionals and to excel in your chosen roles in a highly competitive business landscape.

Our programmes will equip you with relevant business fundamentals to meet the challenges of the digital economy, and also the required capabilities to fulfil the needs of your chosen profession and/or industry. You will be exposed to a good mix of theoretical and practical learning so that you can fully acquire the relevant knowledge and various professional skills needed to be an effective leader and decision-maker in an organisation.

## FULL-TIME UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES



### Bachelor of Accountancy<sup>#</sup>

Singapore is working towards establishing itself as a leading regional and global financial, trading and service hub. To support this aspiration, Singapore has to also develop itself into an accountancy hub. This strategic thrust provides an exciting opportunity for students wishing to train as accountants, auditors or finance managers.

This programme is designed to equip students with broad general business skills and strong academic and professional training in accounting, assurance and attestation, law, taxation and information technology. The Bachelor of Accountancy programme is recognised by the Accounting and Corporate Regulatory Authority. The Singapore Accountancy Commission has also accredited the programme for direct entry into the Singapore CA Qualification (Professional Programme).

### Bachelor of Science in Business Analytics<sup>#</sup>

This programme covers the applications of business analytics techniques in a wide range of contexts. Students will learn to perform data exploration and preparation, visualisation, programming, predictive modelling, etc. The aim is to develop our students into skilled business analytics practitioners. Upon successful completion of this programme, graduates can look forward to exciting careers in modern organisations that rely on data and analytics technologies to operate and innovate.

### Bachelor of Science in Finance<sup>#</sup>

Singapore is a pre-eminent global financial centre. The rapidly expanding financial sector continues on a growth trajectory, currently accounting for over 12% of GDP. With developments in Asia and beyond, prospects for employment and career growth in a wide range of financial services, including commercial and investment banking, wealth management, risk management and financial advisory services, as well as in FinTech, are promising.

This programme provides breadth for a broad coverage of current finance and depth into areas of interest such as digital economy, investment, derivatives or FinTech. Graduates from the programme will be trained for a wide range of roles in the financial and related sectors, including investment analysts, research analysts, portfolio managers, traders, financial consultants and financial technologists.

### Bachelor of Science in Marketing<sup>#</sup>

This programme is designed to provide you with a good foundation in all aspects of business as well as an in-depth understanding of the marketing domain. Our marketing students are trained to be recognised as having a strong moral compass and the technical competence to face challenges in the digital economy.

Distinctively, our programme curriculum emphasises digital marketing, marketing analytics and societal marketing. With a focus on workplace relevance, the curriculum is set to prepare graduates to succeed in fulfilling and rewarding marketing careers in a broad range of marketing specialisations, including marketing analytics, digital marketing, customer relationship management, marketing research, brand management, and management consulting in both multinational and local companies.

### Bachelor of Science in Supply Chain Management<sup>#</sup>

Singapore is a top global logistics hub according to the World Bank's Logistics Performance Index, connecting companies to global markets through its excellent infrastructure and connectivity by sea and air. Global players in sectors such as aerospace, consumer businesses, electronics, energy and chemicals, ICT, oil and gas, pharmaceuticals and precision engineering, have set up supply chain control towers and distribution centres in Singapore to organise their global and regional supply chains. The boom in e-commerce and online shopping has created demand for innovative solutions on last-mile deliveries. Rapid urbanisation and the rise of the affluent middle class in Asia has fuelled the growth in intra-Asian trade that will further spur the demand for logistics services.

Managing effective and efficient supply chains have become so vital for today's businesses as we live in a VUCA (volatile, uncertain, ambiguous, complex) world. Global phenomena such as the COVID-19 pandemic, digitalisation and Industry 4.0, Russia-Ukraine war, ageing population and increased need for sustainable solutions, have made businesses re-think, re-strategise and re-position their supply chains. Graduates can look forward to promising careers in tracks such as: Warehouse Management and Operations, Transportation Management and Operations, Freight Forwarding and Operations, Sales and Customer Service, Logistics Solutioning and Programme Management, and Logistics Process Improvement and Information System.

<sup>#</sup>This is a direct honours programme. Graduating students who meet the honours eligibility criteria will be awarded the respective honours classification.



## PART-TIME UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES



### Bachelor of Accountancy<sup>#</sup>

This is a programme for accounting professionals aspiring to be Chartered Accountants of Singapore, as well as for professionals from other disciplines keen on seeking accounting-related employment. Students will be exposed to general business skills and will receive strong academic and professional training in financial accounting, management accounting, assurance and taxation. This programme is accredited by the Singapore Accountancy Commission (SAC) for direct entry into the Singapore CA Qualification (Professional Programme) which is a requirement to qualify as a Chartered Accountant of Singapore and be a member of the Institute of Singapore Chartered Accountants (ISCA).

### BSc Business

This programme is designed for those who want a broad business education and the depth of knowledge that are needed to succeed in a variety of management positions across many industries and organisations. Thanks to the potent set of managerial and business skills that they have acquired through the programme, our graduates are ready to become entrepreneurs and start their own businesses or progress in their careers in general management, sales and business development, operations and project management, as well as in many other business functions. You may pursue Business as a single major or in combination with a minor.

### BSc Business Analytics

This programme provides students with core skills to excel in the modern world, and prepares graduates for engagements with stakeholders at all levels of analytics projects. Students will acquire technical and interpersonal skills in the analytics major. Additionally, you can augment the major programme with a minor to enhance course selections to suit your personal preferences, interests, and career aspirations. You will learn to apply a wide array of data analytics techniques to uncover useful information from business data. By reporting and presenting findings in a meaningful and actionable way, you facilitate managerial decision-making and improve organisation performance. Join this programme today and gain the highly sought-after skills you need to thrive in a dynamic and thrilling digital age! You may pursue Business Analytics as a single major or in combination with a minor.



### BSc Finance

For individuals who wish to pursue a career in the finance industry, this programme provides breadth for a broad coverage of current finance and depth into areas of interest such as digital economy, investment, derivatives or FinTech. The curriculum is designed to enable students to enhance their professional credentials in Singapore — a pre-eminent global financial centre. Graduates will be trained for a wide range of roles in the financial and related sectors, including investment analysts, research analysts, portfolio managers, traders, financial consultants and financial technologists. You may pursue Finance as a single major or in combination with a minor.

### BSc Logistics and Supply Chain Management

This programme is the first undergraduate programme dedicated to the study of logistics and supply chain management (SCM) by a Singapore university. Our partnership with the Singapore Logistics Association ensures that the curriculum is industry relevant. Our courses are aligned with the Skills Framework for Logistics under the government's SkillsFuture initiative developed for the Singapore workforce.

Students will be equipped with the means to support the planning and management of supply chains in an Industry 4.0 and post-Covid-19 future. As the programme provides broad foundational concepts in business, progressing to technical as well as digital knowledge and skills in logistics and SCM, you will learn how to develop effective problem-solving, decision-making, digital and innovation-thinking skills to manage the flow of goods, services and information through the supply chain. You may pursue Logistics and Supply Chain Management as a single major or in combination with a minor.

### BSc Marketing

A competent marketing professional requires a good foundation in all aspects of business as well as an in-depth understanding of the marketing domain. This programme will provide you with contemporary specialised marketing knowledge with additional competencies in business and general management. It will also equip you with the managerial, numerical and analytical skills that every marketer needs, and help you understand and effectively manage key functional areas of marketing. This will afford you the ability to see the big picture and understand how marketing can be seamlessly integrated with the rest of the activities in a company to maintain a competitive edge in the industry. You may pursue Marketing as a single major or in combination with a minor.

<sup>#</sup> This is a direct honours programme. Graduating students who meet the honours eligibility criteria will be awarded the respective honours classification.



# SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND BEHAVIOURAL SCIENCES

The School of Humanities and Behavioural Sciences provides an exciting and well-rounded education in languages, literature, and behavioural sciences. Our programmes develop dynamic individuals with the practical skills and specialised knowledge needed to excel in their chosen careers. Graduates can expect to find employment in the public and civil services as well as the corporate sector.



## FULL-TIME UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMME



### Bachelor of Arts in Chinese Studies<sup>#</sup>

Embark on an inspiring journey of Chinese language mastery! Unlock the captivating world of Chinese linguistics, literature, history, and culture, allowing your passion to thrive. Prepare to embrace boundless opportunities as you cultivate the skills and competencies that pave the way for a truly fulfilling career.

### Bachelor of Public Safety and Security<sup>#</sup>

Safety and security is a concern for all. From terror attacks to industrial espionage and politically motivated cyber-attacks, the world is experiencing multiple security threats that are complex and hard to detect and defend. Recognising these challenges, governments and businesses agree that they need highly trained professionals to deliver effective security outcomes.

This undergraduate programme aims to meet this demand and professionalise the emerging field of public safety and security. The courses provide not only theoretical knowledge but also training in intervention strategies in the areas of policing, emergency management, investigation, rehabilitation, crime reduction and terrorism.

### Bachelor of Science in Psychology<sup>#</sup>

This is a broad-based programme covering a range of theoretical, conceptual, analytical and functional skills in psychology. Students will receive a comprehensive education in psychology, and may choose from three specialisation tracks in organisational psychology, health, performance & well-being, and forensic psychology.

The programme is for those who are interested to find out more about the science of human behaviour, and is especially enriching for those who are in jobs that involve working with people or anyone who is interested in understanding human behaviour better.

## PART-TIME UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES



### BA English Language and Literature

This programme combines the disciplines of language studies and literary studies. The language courses will give students an understanding of the language system and broaden their perspectives on language use and discourse in society, while the literary courses will introduce students to a range of literary genres and styles, and teach them to critically analyse and produce texts using key concepts and theories. You may pursue English Language and Literature as a single major or in combination with a minor.

### BA Chinese Studies<sup>^</sup>

This programme is designed to help working adults improve their Chinese language competency and knowledge of Chinese linguistics, literature, history and culture. The Chinese literature component presents the development of literature from the classics to contemporary works, while the language courses equip students with the knowledge of Chinese pronunciation, vocabulary, grammar and characters. Students will find themselves equipped with the skills and competencies needed to have a fulfilling career. You may pursue Chinese Studies as a single subject or in combination with a minor.

### BA Malay Language and Literature

Designed to provide Malay language teachers, and those keen on exploring the Malay language, with an opportunity to upgrade themselves, this programme covers a wide range of topics including Malay linguistics, culture, literature, grammar, teaching of the language and translation. It will give students an in-depth understanding of the Malay world and will empower them to apply this learning in the teaching profession or other fields of applied linguistics like editing, translating and interpreting. You may pursue Malay Language and Literature as a single major or in combination with a minor.

<sup>#</sup>This is a direct honours programme. Graduating students who meet the honours eligibility criteria will be awarded the respective honours classification.

<sup>^</sup> Students who perform well academically in the basic degree programme may be invited to pursue the honours programme, which will be offered only if the requisite number of students sign up.



### BA Tamil Language and Literature

This programme offers Tamil language teachers and Tamil studies enthusiasts an opportunity to pursue a degree. The programme curriculum is jointly developed by the Singapore University of Social Sciences and scholars from Tamil Nadu. While similar to that being offered in Tamil Nadu, this programme integrates local content to make it more relevant to students in Singapore. You may pursue Tamil Language and Literature as a single major or in combination with a minor.

### BA Translation and Interpretation

This programme aims to nurture a talent pool of bilinguals who attain mastery of the Chinese and English languages, enabling them to excel in the realm of cross-cultural communication. Leveraging cutting-edge technology, such as Generative AI and Neural Machine Translation, the programme empowers students to collaborate with machines to produce high-quality translation and interpreting services. Its interdisciplinary nature opens the door to a wide array of career opportunities across different fields such as e-commerce, fintech, media and entertainment, public and social services, law and law enforcement, banking and finance, management and consultancy. You may pursue Translation and Interpretation as a single major or in combination with a minor.

### Bachelor of Communication

With its strong emphasis on strategic communication, media management and social media, this programme prepares students to perform competently in a variety of sub-fields in the communication and media industries such as TV, newspaper, multimedia, social media, strategic communication, public relations, corporate communications, as well as media management and media production. You may pursue Communication as a single major or in combination with a minor.

### Bachelor of Public Safety and Security

This part-time basic degree programme aims to meet the demand for highly trained professionals to deliver effective security outcomes in detecting and defending against multiple security threats the world faces. As part of the curriculum, students will specialise in one of six minors in (1) criminology; (2) crisis management; (3) psychosocial intervention; (4) cyber safety and information security; (5) food security and sustainability; and (6) military studies (for SAF regulars only).

### BSc Psychology<sup>^</sup>

This is a broad-based programme covering a range of theoretical, conceptual, analytical and functional skills in psychology. Students will receive a comprehensive education in psychology, and may choose from three specialisation tracks in organisational psychology, health, performance & well-being, and forensic psychology. The programme is for those who are interested to find out more about the science of human behaviour, and is especially enriching for those who are in jobs that involve working with people or anyone who is interested in understanding human behaviour better. You may pursue Psychology as a single major or in combination with a minor.

### BA Sociology

Covering a wide range of contemporary social issues to provide a social, cultural and political analysis of society and human behaviour, this programme trains students to apply analytical, theoretical and research skills to understand social trends and policy issues relating to social change, health and medicine, family, gender, education, urban sociology, law and order, and popular culture, among others. These are studied in light of the developments in Singapore, regionally as well as within the global context, and will prepare graduates for a variety of industries and professions. You may pursue Sociology as a single major or in combination with a minor.

## SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

The School of Science and Technology produces professionals who explore the wonders of science and push the limits of technological advancement in modern societies. From IT and electronics to life sciences and human factors, our programmes will provide you with the depth of knowledge and breadth of know-how to excel in careers that are dedicated to enhancing our quality of life through innovative new possibilities.



<sup>^</sup> Students who perform well academically in the basic degree programme may be invited to pursue the honours programme, which will be offered only if the requisite number of students sign up.



## FULL-TIME UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMME



### Bachelor of Science in Information and Communication Technology<sup>#,1</sup>

Information and Communication Technology (ICT) is the key enabler of digital transformation for many industry sectors. Businesses and organisations have accelerated the adoption of digital technologies to overcome key challenges and unlock new growth opportunities. ICT manpower demands are thus increased with the creation of new job roles in various industry sectors.

This programme targets to equip students with the necessary digitalisation skills required by the industry. The programme has a wide coverage of ICT knowledge areas in software and application development, computer system and networking, cloud computing, cybersecurity, database management, and information system and business process.

Not only does the programme equip students with theoretical ICT knowledge, it also provides hands-on training to build their skills on programming, networking, system architecting, and information handling throughout the study. In addition, the programme offers students work-study experiences and relevant training in preparation for industry professional certifications.



## PART-TIME UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES



### Bachelor of Building and Project Management

This enriching programme equips students with a repertoire of specialist knowledge and skills for the productive management of projects. Students will be trained in competencies including interdisciplinary studies in building design and technology, construction management, international project management, contract administration, safety management and sustainability. Offered in partnership with the BCA Academy, this programme is accredited by the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (RICS), UK and the Singapore Institute of Surveyors and Valuers (SISV). It is also a recognised degree for the Quantity Surveying (QS) discipline by the Public Sector Panels of Consultants (PSPC).

### BEng Aerospace Systems<sup>#,2</sup>

Offering students a wide spectrum of courses specialising in aerospace engineering, avionics systems and aviation management, this programme is designed for individuals aspiring to excel in the aerospace industry as well as those who are keen on enhancing their knowledge, skills and understanding of aerospace and aviation.

The partnership with a world-renowned aerospace academic institution, Cranfield University, together with local industry partners such as ST Engineering Aerospace and the Republic of Singapore Air Force ensures that the curriculum stays relevant to the industry. This programme is accredited by the Engineering Accreditation Board (EAB), The Institution of Engineers, Singapore (IES).

### BEng Electronics<sup>#,2</sup>

To provide technical depth and breadth to prepare students for a rewarding career in the electronics industry, this programme is structured to develop and train you with an in-depth knowledge of electronics, telecommunications and IT. Students have a choice for specialisation in areas such as data science, VLSI design, analogue and digital control system design, telecommunication system design and multimedia systems. This programme is accredited by the Engineering Accreditation Board (EAB), The Institution of Engineers, Singapore (IES).

### BSc Biomedical Engineering<sup>#,2</sup>

Combining engineering concepts with the world of life sciences to address biomedical engineering issues, this programme provides students with the knowledge and skills in areas related to the medical device, engineering consulting, healthcare and life sciences industries. You may pursue Biomedical Engineering as a single major or in combination with a minor in Paramedicine and Emergency Response, and many others.

### BSc Digital Media<sup>^</sup>

This programme offers students the opportunity to develop in-depth knowledge in areas such as photography, web design, filmmaking and 3D modelling. Its unique multidisciplinary scope combines creative design with advanced media technologies by integrating aspects of visual design, media technologies, computer technologies, usability and communication. You may pursue Digital Media as a single major or in combination with a minor.

### BSc Events Management

Providing both conventional technical expertise as well as a base to exercise creative resilience in the ever-changing events industry, this programme utilises a curriculum that provides graduates with the creative cutting edge in the field, as well as skills in planning, management, finance, communication, and marketing. Partnerships with major players in the events industry (i.e., MICE and other events) ensures that the curriculum is both relevant and updated, and takes into consideration real-world practices. You may pursue Events Management as a single major or in combination with a minor.

<sup>#</sup> This is a direct honours programme. Graduating students who meet the honours eligibility criteria will be awarded the respective honours classification.

<sup>^</sup> Students who perform well academically in the basic degree programme may be invited to pursue the honours programme, which will be offered only if the requisite number of students sign up.

<sup>1</sup> Students in this programme are automatically members of the Singapore Computer Society Student Chapter.

<sup>2</sup> Students in this programme are eligible to register for student membership with the Institution of Engineers, Singapore (IES).



## BSc Facilities Management

In line with the Construction Industry Transformation Map and Real Estate Industry Transformation Map (ITMs), this programme provides a rigorous and relevant profession-centric education that prepares future-ready graduates for a successful facilities management career. The curriculum is structured according to the 11 core competencies identified by the International Facility Management Association (IFMA).

Offered in partnership with the BCA Academy and Singapore Polytechnic, this programme is accredited by the International Facility Management Association (IFMA), the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET) and the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (RICS), UK. Students can also graduate with professional certificates such as Fire Safety Manager (FSM). You may pursue Facilities Management as a single major or in combination with a minor.

## BSc Human Factors in Safety<sup>3</sup>

Equipping students with the know-how for anticipating, assessing and controlling workplace safety and health (WSH) hazards and for performing WSH audits, this programme provides you with skills and abilities to evaluate and design or redesign equipment, workplaces, environments and systems to improve safety and optimise performance using human factor principles and methodology. It is accredited by the Institution of Occupational Safety and Health (IOSH), UK, and recognised by the Singapore Ministry of Manpower (MOM) for WSH Officer registration. You may pursue Human Factors in Safety as a single major or in combination with a minor in Military Studies (for SAF Regulars only).

## BSc Information and Communication Technology<sup>^,1</sup>

While offering students industry certification and practitioner-oriented courses, this programme also equips them with a strong foundation in the various technologies related to the handling and processing of information. It covers specification areas in IT systems integration and project management, big data and cloud computing, software DevOps and cybersecurity. You may pursue Information and Communication Technology as a single major or in combination with a minor.

## BSc Information Technology and Business (ERP)<sup>#,1</sup>

This direct honours programme incorporates technical IT and business-specific courses together with specialised ERP courses from SAP, the worldwide leader in ERP software. The added specialisation from SAP ensures that students will be industry-ready and well-prepared for a multitude of careers in the infocomm industry and IT end-user organisations.

## BSc Mathematics<sup>^</sup>

With the aim of cultivating in students an appreciation for and understanding of mathematics as well as critical thinking skills for real-life problem-solving, this programme covers foundational courses in mathematics with an emphasis on applied mathematics and statistics. Students will then have the opportunity to study topics in diverse areas such as analytics, cryptography, data science, financial mathematics and optimisation. You may pursue Mathematics as a single major or in combination with a minor.

## BSc Workplace Safety and Health<sup>3</sup>

This programme aims to provide a more focused training in Workplace Safety and Health (WSH) for those aspiring to seek a career in safety. It is unique in that students are grounded in human factors fundamentals and principles in the lower-level courses and then focus on the workplace safety, health and environmental issues in the higher-level courses.

The programme equips students with the skills and knowledge of evaluating and controlling hazards, and developing strategic initiatives to create a safer and healthier workplace, through a better appreciation of human physical, biological and cognitive strengths and limitations. It is recognised by the MOM for WSH Officer registration. You may pursue Workplace Safety and Health as a single major or in combination with a minor.

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<sup>3</sup> This programme is recognised by the Ministry of Manpower for Workplace Safety and Health Officer Registration.

# CENTRE FOR CONTINUING & PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

The Centre for Continuing and Professional Education (CCPE) manages the Continuing Education and Training (CET) initiatives of SUSS. We work with industry and businesses to deliver bite-sized, credit-bearing and stackable courses, and create multiple pathways to prepare the Singapore workforce to better face future challenges.

We offer a comprehensive, multidisciplinary range of over 200 courses each semester, at both undergraduate and post-graduate levels. This broad range of courses prepares 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.

## Bachelor of General Studies

This part-time undergraduate programme gives students the freedom to design their own course of study by selecting courses from our wide range of degree programmes. The resulting course of study may be specialised or multidisciplinary in nature, and the flexibility of customising your curriculum plan gives you the opportunity to experience a truly unique and diverse university education.

Designed to meet a variety of career needs, this programme is suitable for professionals with specialised qualifications seeking a broad-based, multidisciplinary academic advancement, or non-graduates with an interest in a wide exposure to various academic disciplines, and who wish to study in a customised degree programme.

You will have to take at least one minor (up to a maximum of 3 minors) to complete the Bachelor of General Studies programme.





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## Full-time Undergraduate Programmes

1. Singapore Citizens, Singapore Permanent Residents or International Students
2.
  - GCE 'A' Level with at least two passes in H2 content-based subjects and passes in an H1 contrasting subject, General Paper and Project Work; or
  - Full-time Diploma from a local polytechnic in Singapore; or
  - International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma; or
  - NUS High School Diploma; or
  - International and other qualifications - minimum of 12 years of completed formal education and SAT or ACT (with Writing) score

School leavers with some years of work experience may be considered under the Adult Learners Scheme if they fulfil the following additional conditions:

1. Singapore Citizens or Singapore Permanent Residents; and
2. At least 25 years old in the year of matriculation; or
3. At least four years of full-time working experience<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Includes National Service

Additional admission requirements may apply. Please refer to the SUSS website for more details.

## Part-time Undergraduate Programmes

1. Singapore Citizens, Singapore Permanent Residents or residents in Singapore
2.
  - GCE 'A' Level with two passes (prior to 2006) or two H2 passes (from 2006); or
  - Local Polytechnic Diploma; or
  - International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma; or
  - NUS High School Diploma, or equivalent<sup>1</sup>
3. Two years of full-time work experience, or currently employed on a full-time basis<sup>2</sup>
4. At least 21 years old

<sup>1</sup> Acceptable qualifications: Diploma from LASALLE College of the Arts; Nanyang Academy of Fine Arts (NAFA); National Institute of Education; and ITE Work-Study Diploma. Other Diploma qualifications (e.g., Advanced Diploma, Specialist Diploma, Conversion Diploma) plus an acceptable SAT or ACT (with Writing) score may be considered for admission on a case-by-case basis.

<sup>2</sup> Applicants who have fully completed National Service will be deemed to have fulfilled the work experience criterion.

Some programmes may have additional requirements. Please refer to the individual programme page on the SUSS website for details.

### Exemption from Age and Work Experience Criteria

The following categories of applicants can be exempted from the age and work experience eligibility criteria:

- Applicants sponsored by his/her company for the part-time undergraduate degree programme
- Applicants who are currently employed in a job role/sector related to the part-time undergraduate degree programme

Notwithstanding these exemptions, National Service (NS)-liable applicants must have fully discharged their full-time NS liability before they can be admitted into SUSS.

## Law Programmes

### BACHELOR OF LAWS (LLB)

1. Singapore Citizens or Singapore Permanent Residents
2. GCE 'A' Level with three passes (prior to 2006) or three H2 passes (from 2006); or a local Polytechnic Diploma; or the International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma; or a NUS High School Diploma
3. Demonstrate aptitude to practice law through taking the Law National Aptitude Test (LNAT)<sup>1</sup>
4. All applicants (other than fresh school leavers with GCE 'A' Level or diploma certificates) will be required to provide a full CV detailing their work experience

### JURIS DOCTOR (JD)

1. Singapore Citizens or Singapore Permanent Residents
2. At least a bachelor's degree and substantial work experience
3. Demonstrate aptitude to practice law through taking the Law National Aptitude Test (LNAT)<sup>1</sup>
4. All applicants will be required to provide a full CV detailing their work experience

All eligible applicants will be assessed through admission interviews, a review of their personal statements on aspirations and motivations, and any supporting evidence of their commitment to the practice of criminal and family law.

<sup>1</sup> LNAT is a registered trademark of LNAT Consortium Limited. Details of the test, including training for it is available at <http://www.lnat.ac.uk>

Please visit [suss.edu.sg](http://suss.edu.sg) for more details on admission criteria.

## Submitting Your Application

**Full-time undergraduate programmes:** Annual intake in July | Application period: November to March

**Part-time undergraduate programmes:** Biannual intakes in January and July | Apply by March for July intake, and by September for January intake.

**Law programmes:** Annual intake in January | Application period: January to July

Applications are to be made online via [suss.edu.sg/apply](http://suss.edu.sg/apply).

You must submit all the required documents together with your admission application. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Shortlisted applicants may be required to undergo one or more interviews and/or take written admission or other evaluation tests as may be prescribed by SUSS from time to time.

All applications are considered individually on merit, and the offer of admission is dependent on the number of places available in individual programmes. Admission is solely at the discretion of SUSS and the decision is final and binding. SUSS reserves the right to refuse admission and is not obliged to offer an explanation for the non-admission of unsuccessful candidates.



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# TUITION FEES



Full-time  
programmes



Part-time  
programmes

The amount of course fees you pay in each semester depends on the number of courses you take in that semester. The course fees cover all study materials, classes, tutor supervision, assignments and examinations. They do not include fees for textbooks and other additional items specified by SUSS from time to time.

## Tuition Grant and Tuition Fee Subsidy

The Tuition Grant Scheme (TGS) was introduced by the Singapore Government to subsidise the cost of tertiary education in Singapore. The TGS is extended to Singapore Citizens, Permanent Residents and International Students enrolled for full-time undergraduate programmes, and Singapore Citizens and Permanent Residents enrolled in the Law Programmes at SUSS. Eligible students who are awarded the Tuition Grant will pay the subsidised tuition fees.

The Tuition Fee Subsidy (TFS) from the Singapore Government comes in the form of a tuition grant administered by the Ministry of Education (MOE) and is offered to all eligible admitted students studying part-time undergraduate programmes at SUSS. Students who are eligible for the TFS need only pay the subsidised tuition fees.

You must meet the eligibility criteria to be awarded the Tuition Grant (Law and full-time students) or Tuition Fee Subsidy (part-time students).

# SCHOLARSHIPS AND FINANCIAL AID



Find out  
more!

## SUSS Scholarships

The SUSS Scholarships recognise scholastic achievements, help students achieve their study goals and open the doors to a world of opportunities. The Scholarships are bond-free, and cover tuition and examination fees. For full-time undergraduates, the Scholarships may include a travel grant and living allowance.

If you possess outstanding academic results, have an impressive co-curricular activities track record, display a penchant for leadership, and exhibit zest for involvement in community service, you are invited to apply for the SUSS Scholarships.

## Financial Aid

To ensure that no deserving student is denied a university education because of financial difficulty, financial assistance is available if you are in need.

### Higher Education Community Bursary (Full-time Undergraduate and Law Programmes only)

The Higher Education Community Bursary is funded by the Singapore Government and provides financial assistance to Singapore Citizens who are pursuing their first MOE-subsidised undergraduate programmes at SUSS. Monetary in nature, it is awarded based on financial needs.

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### SUSS Study Grant

The SUSS Study Grant provides financial assistance to needy students. It is a monetary award based on financial needs and academic records, and can only be used for the course fees of the semester in which it is awarded.

### SUSS Monthly Financial Assistance Scheme (Full-time Undergraduate Programmes only)

The SUSS Monthly Financial Assistance Scheme provides a monthly allowance to Singapore Citizens and Permanent Residents who require financial assistance on their living expenses. This award is valued at S\$200 per month for one academic year and will be disbursed to recipients as one lump sum of S\$2,400. Eligible students are only allowed to apply for this award once during their candidature.

### Mendaki Tertiary Tuition Fee Subsidy (Full-time Undergraduate Programmes and Bachelor of Laws only)

The scheme is an education subsidy to cover the MOE-subsidised tuition fees for eligible Malay students who are Singapore Citizens. Students with Malay as their first component race of a double-barrelled race (e.g., Malay-Chinese) are also eligible. The Subsidy is awarded based on financial needs.

### CPF Education Loan Scheme (Full-time Undergraduate Programmes and Bachelor of Laws only)

The CPF Education Loan Scheme is available to eligible students who are paying MOE-subsidised tuition fees. These students may use their own, their spouses' or their parents' CPF savings to pay their tuition fees.

### MOE Tuition Fee Loan and Study Loan

The MOE Tuition Fee Loan (TFL) and Study Loan (SL) schemes are Government education loans for eligible Singapore Citizens (SC) (all undergraduate and law programmes), Permanent Residents (full-time undergraduate and law programmes only) and International Students (full-time undergraduate programmes only) who are pursuing MOE-subsidised undergraduate programmes at SUSS.

The TFL covers up to 90% of the SC subsidised tuition fee payable, and the SL complements the TFL by providing a loan to cover up to the remaining 10% of tuition fees not covered by the TFL.

### Post Secondary Education Account Scheme

The Post Secondary Education Account (PSEA) scheme is administered by the Ministry of Education and accounts are open automatically for all eligible Singaporeans. Students may apply to use their own or their siblings' PSEA to pay their tuition fees.

Please visit [suss.edu.sg](http://suss.edu.sg) for more details and information on other scholarships, sponsorships and financial aid schemes available.

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