



Hong Kong Shue Yan University

**International Unit**

# Credit-bearing Summer Abroad Scheme





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Upon completion of the Scheme

Receiving credits for

**GEC206 Experiential Learning for Global Citizenship**

# HKSYU GE Programme

In order to fulfill graduation requirements, students admitted into Year 1 shall complete a total of 12 credits of General Education courses consisting of 3 credits in each of the four main areas listed below. Students should fulfill the requirement in the first three years of study.

**Area A**

**Area B**

**Area C**

**Area D**



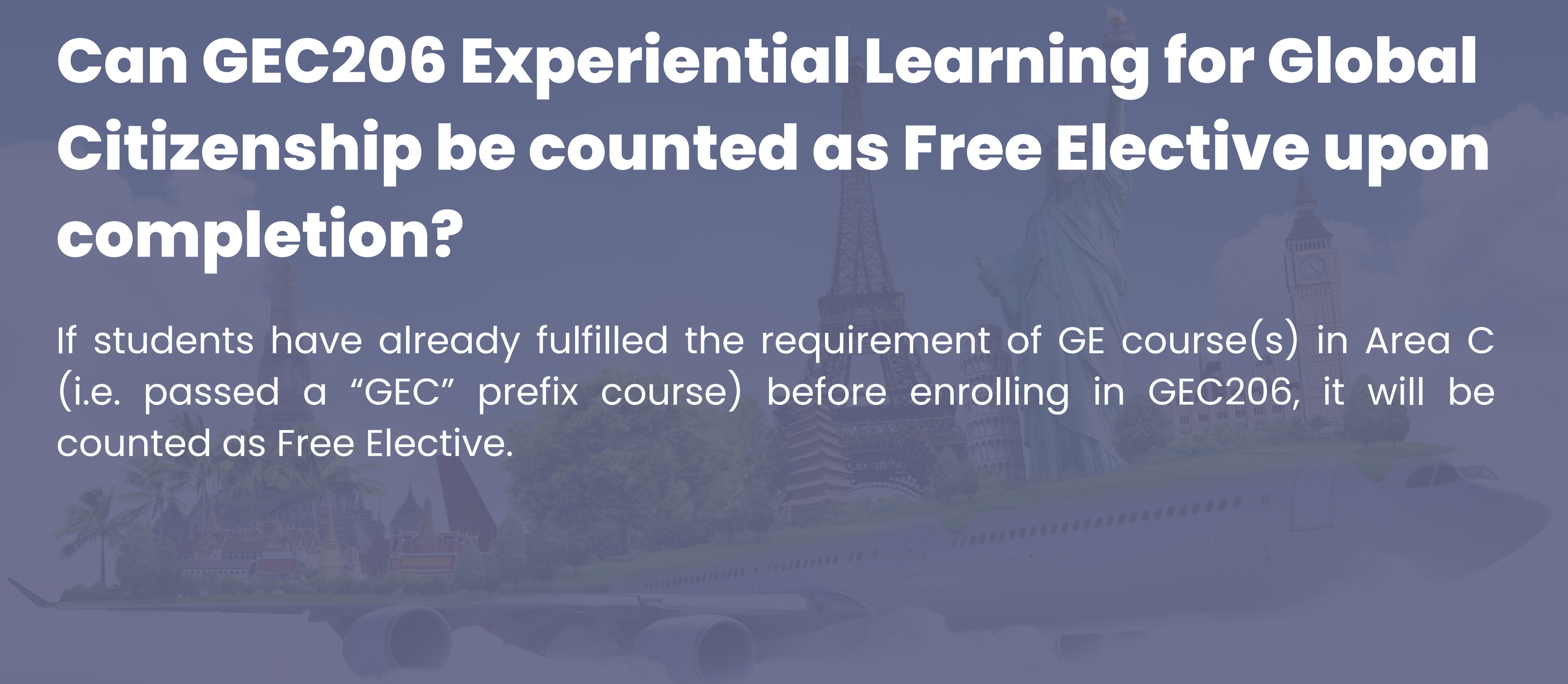
**GEC206**

**Experiential Learning for Global Citizenship**



# **Can GEC206 Experiential Learning for Global Citizenship be counted as Free Elective upon completion?**

If students have already fulfilled the requirement of GE course(s) in Area C (i.e. passed a “GEC” prefix course) before enrolling in GEC206, it will be counted as Free Elective.





# Shortlisting criteria for credit-bearing summer programmes

2–3 weeks of intensive overseas learning comprises 60–100 notional learning hours of the following:

- Lectures, seminars, workshops
- Tutorials, discussions, presentations
- Site visits, field trips
- Group activities, experience sharing





# Shortlisted Summer Programmes

(2023 Summer)



Mainland  
China

- PKU Summer School International  
— Peking University
- RUC International Summer School  
— Renmin University of China



Turkey

- Delightful Istanbul Summer School  
— Istanbul Aydın University



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# Shortlisted Summer Programmes

(2023 Summer)

- 2023 CAU International Summer Program  
— Chung-Ang University
- 2023 INHA Summer School  
— Inha University
- 2023 KNU Summer Program  
— Kangwon National University
- 2023 PKNV International Summer School  
— Pukyong National University
- Soongsil International Summer School  
— Soongsil University

Korea



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# Shortlisted Summer Programmes

(2023 Summer)

- 2023 Oxford Summer Programme
  - Oxford University X Hong Kong Shue Yan University
- Leeds International Summer School (LISS)
  - University of Leeds
- London International Summer School 2023
  - University of Westminster
- UCL Summer School 2023
  - London's Global University
- Warwick Summer School
  - University of Warwick



UNITED  
KINGDOM



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# Procedures



## Step 1 :

Search and explore the different overseas summer programmes



## Step 2 :

Apply for a shortlisted overseas summer programme and pay the programme fee directly to the organiser



## Step 3 :

Fill in the Machform (<https://www3.hksyu.edu/eform/view.php?id=1766487>) to confirm your enrollment in the credit-bearing Summer Abroad Scheme (GEC206)

\* You will be asked to upload the proof that you are accepted to participate in a shortlisted overseas summer programme

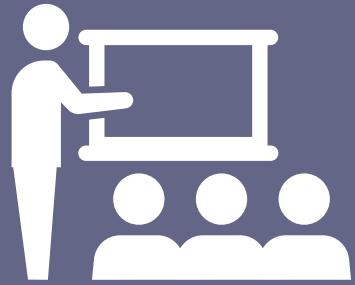


## Step 4 :

Upon reviewing your application materials, we will enroll you in GEC206 for the First Semester of 2023/2024



# Procedures



## Step 5 :

Attend pre-overseas programme trainings (1.5 weeks)



## Step 6 :

Participate in the shortlisted overseas summer programme at the host university (2-3 weeks)



## Step 7 :

Attend post-overseas programme trainings (1 week)



## Step 8 :

Upon your completion of the credit-bearing Summer Abroad Scheme, grade of GEC206 will be released in the first semester result (in January 2024).



# Timeline



**Now to 31 May**

Enrol in the course  
GEC206 &  
attend Pre-  
overseas  
programme  
trainings

Explore and apply  
for the summer  
programme; and  
inform IU

**Mid June**

**June-August**

Attend the post-  
overseas programme  
trainings and submit  
the required  
assignment

Attend the 2-3  
weeks overseas  
programme

**Within 2 weeks after the  
end of each overseas  
summer programme**

**Grade of GEC206 will be released in the first semester result (in January 2024)**



# **GEC206 – Course Components**



**Pre-overseas  
programme trainings (1.5 weeks)**



**Overseas programme  
(2–3 weeks)**



**Post-overseas programme  
trainings (1 week)**





## **Pre-overseas programme trainings (1.5 week)**

Students are required to attend:

- Information talk
- Seminars
- Supervision and consultation
- Group project presentation
- Quiz





## **Overseas programme (2 to 3 weeks)** **[ONSITE learning]**

- Lectures / seminars / workshops
- Tutorials / discussions / presentations
- Site visits / field trips
- Group activities / experience sharing



# Post-overseas programme trainings (1 week)



- Reflective roundtable discussion
- Supervision and consultation
- Video production
- Experience sharing



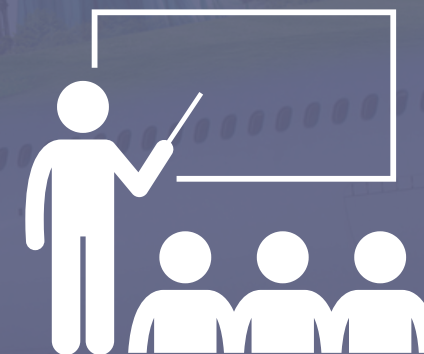


## **Does credit-bearing apply to all summer programmes?**

Only shortlisted summer programmes which fulfil the following criteria would be eligible for the credit-bearing Summer Abroad Scheme (GEC206).

2-3 weeks of on-site intensive overseas learning comprises 60-100 notional learning hours of the following:

- Lectures, seminars, workshops
- Tutorials, discussions, presentations
- Site visits, field trips
- Group activities, experience sharing







**I have not completed a General Education course in Area C. However, since I have a GEC course in mind that I would like to take for Area C, can I enroll in GEC206 and receive the credits as a Free Elective?**

Unfortunately, you cannot.

**Area A**

**Area B**

**Area C**

**Area D**





## **Can I use the completed course GEC206 to count as Free Elective?**

In this scheme, students will be enrolled in the course GEC206 “Experiential Learning for Global Citizenship” as it is related to Global Citizenship which is under GE Area C Global Citizenship.

- For students not yet completed a "GEC" prefix course, once GEC206 is passed, it would be used to fulfill the GE Area C requirement.
- For students already completed a "GEC" prefix course before enrolling GEC206, GEC206 will counted as Free Elective<sup>^</sup>.

**<sup>^</sup> Please check if you still need to enroll Free Electives in the following Semester(s)/Academic Year(s).**





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