# Postgraduate Career Services

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## The SMU Advantage

## About Singapore Management University

A premier university in Asia, the Singapore Management University (SMU) is internationally recognised for its world-class research and distinguished teaching. Established in 2000, SMU's mission is to generate leading-edge research with global impact and produce broad-based, creative and entrepreneurial leaders for the knowledge-based economy. SMU education is known for its highly interactive, collaborative and project-based approach to learning, and for its technologically enabled pedagogy of seminar-style teaching in small class sizes. SMU has an emphasis on generating rigorous, high-impact, and relevant multi-disciplinary research that addresses Asian issues of global relevance. SMU faculty members collaborate with leading international researchers and universities from USA, Europe, China and India, as well as with partners in the business community and public sector, through its research institutes, centres and labs. SMU's city campus is a state-of-the art facility located in the heart of downtown Singapore, fostering strategic linkages with business, government and the wider community.

## About SMU Postgraduate Career Services

SMU Postgraduate Career Services partners you to find SMU students that are equipped with the right skills and aptitude for your organisation through internship programmes and full-time employment. Supporting both on-site and online recruitment, SMU Postgraduate Career Services can assist you in screening, shortlisting and arranging interviews with our postgraduate students.

## Programmes Offered

## **Business**

- Executive Master of Business Administration (EMBA)
- Master of Business Administration (MBA)
- IE-SMU Master of Business Administration (IE-SMU MBA)
- Master of Science in Management (MiM)
- Master of Human Capital Leadership (MHCL)
- Master of Science in Communication Management (MCM)
- Master of Science in Innovation (MI)
- Master of Science in Wealth Management (MWM)
- Master of Science in Applied Finance (MAF)
- Global Master of Finance Dual-Degree (GMF)
- Master of Science in Quantitative Finance (MQF)

## Accountancy

- Master of Professional Accounting (MPA)
- Master of Science in Accounting (MSA)

### **Economics**

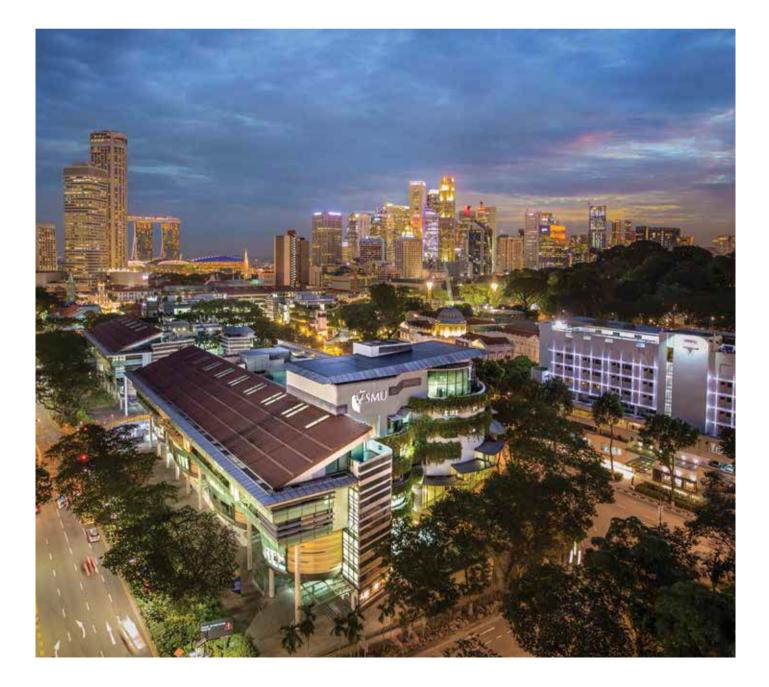
- Master of Science in Economics (MSE)
- Master of Science in Financial Economics (MSFE)

## **Information Systems**

• Master of IT in Business (MITB)

### Law

- Juris Doctor Programme (JD)
- Master of Laws (LLM)
- Dual LLM in Commercial Law (DUAL-LLM)



## Rankings and Accolades

## **Global Recognition**



## SMU Advantage



City Campus with unparallel networking & career opportunities



Emphasises interactive, collaborative & project-based learning



Rigorous & relevant curriculum

tailored for the marketplace

## SMU Community



Diverse student population from

45 countries



over 350 full-time faculty from 30 different countries

1,750 full-time and parttime postgraduates



Home to **student population** of over

10,000



## Hear Our Graduates' SMU Experience

Our SMU postgraduate students are equipped with in-depth knowledge of their chosen specialisation and possess the soft skills needed to excel in their career. With professional advice and guidance from Postgraduate Career Services, many students have made remarkable contributions to many organisations from various industries.



MAGGIE MA JI Juris Doctor Head, Legal Perennial Real Estate Holdings Limited

SMU's seminar-style pedagogy drives students to participate in class discussions as well as do pre-class reading and self-thinking. The environment develops our confidence and sharpens our presentation skills – helpful in the real corporate world.



**GEORGES SANDER** Master of Business Administration Investment Manager ReEx Capital Asia

The SMU full-time MBA is compact and practical. It provides hands-on internship experience, a large variety of elective courses and concrete insights into real-life business cases in Asia.



ANUTHAMA MURUGESAN Master of IT in Business Programme Manager Apple Inc

SMU was the first in Asia to provide an analytics programme, hence, my natural first choice. In addition, the curriculum mandates that one has to complete an internship – an added benefit for a complete education experience.



SHARON SEET Master of Human Capital Leadership Global Head of HR Yanmar International Singapore Pte Ltd

SMU's learning environment encourages and challenges us to articulate our ideas and opinions in every lecture and workshop. This training has empowered me to be more visible at work and more vocal during management meetings.



**NG ZIXUAN AQULIA** Master of Science in Management Business Development Specialist Datavard

SMU has provided a nurturing environment that maintains a good balance between delivering a quality academic experience and developing our soft skills – an important aspect of education which is often downplayed.



MARCO IACHINI Global Master of Finance Investment Advisory Associate Standard Chartered Bank

SMU has prepared me well for my current job with its relevant and up-to-date curriculum. We are actively engaged in discussions of challenging case studies which sharpen our critical thinking skills.



**LUCY LIU** Master of Science in Wealth Management Client Advisor Assistant UBS AG Singapore

Compared to programmes offered by other institutions, SMU's postgraduate programmes are more holistic. The SMU Postgraduate Career Services Office links me up with the industry while my career coach guides me in my career choice.



VICTORIA YAP Master of Science in Quantitative Finance Analyst, Wealth Management Department Nomura Singapore Limited

A postgraduate degree has enhanced and deepened my understanding of financial theories. They are especially helpful in facilitating casual discussions between colleagues on sentiments of and valuations in the market.



MELVYN YEAP Master of Science in Financial Economics Director WealthEdge Asset Management Pte Ltd

I chose to do my postgraduate with SMU because of its sound reputation. And indeed, the curriculum mix and design has pushed me to think beyond and be innovative in seeking solutions – preparing me for career advancement.



BRIAN CHUA Master of Professional Accounting Associate PWC Singapore

I enjoyed my undergraduate studies at SMU. Thus when I wanted to do my postgraduate studies, SMU was naturally a top consideration. The small classroom size, the many projects and presentations and the robust curriculum reinforced my learning experience.

## Hear Our Partners' SMU Experience

Our partners, who span across a wide spectrum of industries from the most traditional to the most futuristic, affirm their positive hiring experience of our graduates, and their pleasant partnership with our Postgraduate Career Services.



VLADIMIR MAKATSARIA Company Group Chairman, Asia Pacific Johnson & Johnson Medical Devices Companies, Asia Pacific

LKCSB graduates have tackled challenging projects and devised bright solutions and new ideas. As a healthcare company that's deeply committed to the communities we serve, Johnson & Johnson appreciates LKCSB graduates' passion to make a difference.



**DEAN TONG** Partner and Managing Partner The Boston Consulting Group

SMU has done a good job in preparing their students for the real world. SMU goes the distance to help students develop their presence and confidence. As employers, we appreciate the ability to solve problems, connect with people and communicate effectively.



**GEORGETTE TAN** Senior Vice President, Communications, Mastercard Asia Pacific

We hope to further our collaboration with SMU to build a more inclusive society by empowering women through education and increasing their participation in business throughout Asia Pacific. We look forward to achieving more together in the coming years.



**KELVIN TAN** Head, Fintech & Data, Technology, Singapore Exchange

SMU students are well prepared for jobs in the financial services industry. They possess wellbalanced attitudes to learn fast and contribute, and the ability to collaborate with others and deliver on their tasks. Their advantage lies in how SMU has developed them.



**LIEW NAM SOON** Managing Partner, Financial Services ASEAN EY

EY works closely with SMU for our recruitment needs. We are pleased with SMU talents because they are driven and eager to learn. These attributes match with EY's need for people who are proactive to help clients find the best solution.



TAN SIEW LEE Head of Wealth Management OCBC

SMU graduates possess a certain unique spark and we look forward to their joining us every year. At OCBC, we invest in their further development to equip them with skills essential to thrive in the wealth management industry.

## Our valued partners include:

- Aberdeen Asset Management
- ABN Amro
- Accenture
- Allen & Gledhill LLP
- Amazon Asia Pacific Pte Ltd
- Aon
- Apple
- Attorney-General's Chambers
- Aviva
- AXA Insurance
- Bain & Company
- Baker McKenzie Wong & Leow
- Baker Tilly TFW
- Bank of America Merrill Lynch
- Bank of China
- Bank of Montreal
- Bank of Singapore Limited
- Barclays
- Bayer
- BDO LLP
- Bird & Bird ATMD
- BNP Paribas
- Booz Allen Hamilton
- CapitaLand
- Citi Singapore
- Colin Ng & Partners LLP
- Continental Automotive
  Singapore
- Coty
- Credit Suisse
- DBS Bank
- Dell
- Deloitte
- Dentons Rodyk & Davidson
- DFS Group
- DHL
- Diageo
- Drew & Napier LLC
- DSM Nutritional Products
- EY (Ernst & Young)
- Foo Kon Tan LLP
- Frost & Sullivan
- Fung Group
- GE Aviation
- Google
- Gov Tech
- Graphene Services Singapore
- Halyard Health
- Harry Elias Partnership LLP
- Hewlett-Packard
- IBM Singapore
- Infineon Technologies
- Johnson & Johnson

- KPMG
- Lee & Lee
- Lenovo
- Liberty Insurance
- Mapletree Investments
- Mastercard
- Mazars LLP
- McKinsey & Company
- Mercer
- Microsoft
- Monetary Authority of Singapore (MAS)
- Morgan Stanley
- OCBC Bank
- Oliver Wyman
- Parkway Pantai
- Pheim Asset Management
- Procter & Gamble
- PSA Corporation
- PWC
- Rajah & Tann LLP
- Robert Bosch
- Rolls-Royce
- RSM
- Sakae Holdings
- Sanofi
- SAP Asia
- Seagate
- Sephora Digital SEA
- Shoppe
- Sia Partners
- Singapore Economic
  Development Board (EDB)
- Singapore Exchange (SGX)
- Singapore Post
- Singtel
- SPRING Singapore
- Standard Chartered Bank
- Straits Law Practice LLC
- Synpulse
- Tata Communications
- The Boston Consulting Group (BCG)

United Overseas Bank

WongPartnership LLC

United Parcel Service (UPS)

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Zalora

Zeno Group

and many more...

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## Partner Us

We recognise that all organisations will always endeavour to hire the right talent for the role. Hence, our career services team is delighted to support you on your recruitment needs as well as to collaborate on events and activities that would enhance our students' connectivity, skills and knowledge relating to careers.



## **Recruitment Activities**

### Campus Talk

Share about your company's vision, mission, operations and work ethics

#### SMU Career Fair

Join our Career Fairs to hire potential employees and build your brand awareness among the student population

#### Job Posting

Post your job vacancies in our portal so that prospective SMU candidates can get in touch for the positions

#### **Resume Book**

Browse the resume book to shortlist and review suitable candidates for your organisation



## **Engagement Opportunities**

### Industry Forums/ Talks

Hold talks on professional or topical matters to establish a domain expert reputation

### Company On-site Visit

Organise visits to your offices and plants to facilitate understanding of the work environment

#### Networking Event

Establish connection with our students through a more casual setting

### Mentoring Programme

Offer professional advice on career development pathways in tandem with your organisation and industry

### Case Competition

Spot suitable talents by coming up with case competitions relevant to your business context



**INDUSTRY TALK** 



**NETWORKING EVENT** 



**CAREER DEVELOPMENT SERIES** 



COACHING



# SMU POSTGRADUATE INTERNSHIP PROGRAMME

SMU partners organisations from myriad sectors spanning from accounting, banking consulting, e-commerce, healthcare, hospitality, information & technology, legal, ret and start-ups to provide internship/part-time assignments for our students. At the the intern's supervisor would normally complete a performance appraisal for a Postgraduate Career Services Office.

## **INTERNSHIP PROGRAMMES\***

#### Master of Business Administration (MBA)

- A minimum of 10 weeks internship from:
- June to November

#### Master of Science in Management (MiM)

A minimum of 5 months internship from:

• January to May

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Master of IT in Business Technology & A







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