World Class City
World Class Courses
World Class Experience

Summer School 2019

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17 June – 5 July 2019

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“Summer School courses will give you an insight into leading edge thinking in each discipline, and invite you to reflect on the big issues of the day.”

Professor Christopher Pissarides
2010 Nobel Laureate in Economics
32 Lincoln’s Inn Field opened in January 2013 as the new home of the LSE’s flagship Department of Economics. This development is part of an ongoing commitment to investing in the LSE’s unique central London campus.
London’s top University

As ranked by the Complete University Guide 2018
Welcome to
Summer School

The LSE’s Summer School is the most well-established and the largest of its kind in the whole of Europe, with over 105 academically rigorous courses on offer.

The Programme’s aim is to challenge and inspire you through engagement with its world-class LSE faculty, whilst introducing you to new life-long friends from all over the world.

We invite you to experience all that LSE has to offer, including: top flight teaching, modern academic facilities; London’s most centrally located student accommodation; and the cultural highlights that are unique to this iconic capital city.

Enhance your education with the LSE this summer; a world-class institution for the social sciences.
LSE was founded in 1895 and has grown to become one of the foremost social science universities in the world.

Juan Manuel Santos, Winner of the Nobel Prize for Peace and former President of Colombia, studied MSc Economics at LSE.

18 Nobel Prize Winners
AND

36 World Leaders (past and present)

have taught or studied at LSE
“LSE Summer School is so prestigious and the faculty have such deep knowledge. Coming here will open up so many opportunities for me in my career.”

Hoi Yiu Ko,
University of California, Berkeley, USA

MG250: Management and Economics of E-Business
Our Students

Average age of students

21

87% under 24
9% 24-29
4% 30 and over

Male 49%
Female 51%

7% Postgraduates
86% Undergraduates

7% Professionals, e.g.

Government departments
National banks
European Commission
The Bank of England
Bank of Italy

137 How many full time LSE academics teach on Summer School

16% Percentage of students who attend two sessions or more

Top 30 worldwide universities attending in 2018 (by enrolment)

Yale University, USA
University of Virginia, USA
Northeastern University, USA
The University of Sydney, Australia
University of New South Wales, Australia
The University of Melbourne, Australia
Catholic University of Milan, Italy
Vanderbilt University, USA
Libera Universita Internazionale degli Studi Sociali (LUISS), Italy
University of Queensland, Australia
Copenhagen Business School, Denmark
University of Copenhagen, Denmark
Georgetown University, USA
Monash University, Australia
South China University of Technology, China
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA
University College London, UK
University of California, Berkeley, USA
King’s College, UK
Deakin University, Australia
Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi, Italy
University of Nottingham, Ningbo, China
University of California, Los Angeles, USA
University of Texas at Austin, USA
Comillas Pontificial University, USA
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, USA
Northwestern University, USA
Bucknell University, USA
University of Hong Kong, China
Indiana University Bloomington, USA
Professional skills programme

Enhance your future prospects with our range of careers and professional skills workshops.

- Careers advice
- Coding and app development workshop
- Interview tips
- Presentation skills
- Entrepreneurship skills
- CV sessions
- Mindfulness
- Well being drop-ins
“Everyone is looking to make friends, I’ve made so many new connections with people from all over the world.”

Yue Zhang,
Beijing Foreign Studies University, Beijing

EC212: Introduction to Econometrics
Social Programme

Our social programme will help you to get to know your fellow Summer School students, whilst building new networks and life-long friendships.

Welcome reception with faculty
LSE Open Lectures
Walking tours of London
Trips to Oxford, Cambridge, Stonehenge and Bath
Running club
Leaving party
Thames River Boat Party

#Boatparty
#Boatparty #TowerBridge
@eshanshenolikar
Social Programme

#LeavingPartyS1

#Boatparty #RiverThames

#LeavingPartyS2

@juliekronnen

@m.jsutton #BuckinghamPalace

#LeavingPartyS2

#Boatparty #RiverThames

#LeavingPartyS2

LSE Summer School 2019
117 nationalities represented

2018 student enrolment data
“Great classes, great professors. You get to learn from the course and also from the city itself”

Name: Paulina Halley  
Country Of Origin: USA

“A TRULY INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMME”

“Studying at LSE has enabled me to take courses that aren’t available in my home institution. They’re also highly relevant to my future career.”

Name: Jakub Madej  
Country Of Origin: Poland
“My course includes professionals as well as students. They bring a real world perspective which has been really fascinating.”

Name: Keito Mizuno
Country Of Origin: Japan

“The diversity of students has led to so many interesting discussions and debates.”

Name: Alessandra Huamani
Country Of Origin: USA
Your opportunity to live in the heart of London.

You will have access to some of London’s most centrally located student accommodation. Prices start from £45 per night including breakfast. Many rooms are within walking distance of the campus.

@choccakelover #NaturalHistoryMuseum

@Laura.Gunther #LondonEye
“I’ve enjoyed exploring London. I’ve seen so many plays, the diversity and culture I’ve been exposed to is fantastic.”

As one of the world’s great cities, London has a lot to offer, and as an LSE Summer School student you will be well situated to experience the best of its cultural highlights.
**Beautiful green spaces**
The capital is home to eight beautiful Royal Parks and hundreds of public squares, including London’s largest, Lincoln’s Inn Field situated right by the LSE.

**Free attractions**
London is home to some of the best museums and galleries in the world – many of which are free.
A sense of history
London’s rich history is easily explored from the LSE campus, with many areas of historic significance within walking distance.

Iconic skyline
London’s famous skyline continues to evolve, the most recent addition being the striking Shard building.

There’s always something new
It doesn’t matter how many times you visit, you’ve never seen it all. From a pop-up burger joint in East London to a blockbuster exhibition at one of London’s galleries.
137 full time LSE academics teach on the Summer School

2018 Summer School data
“I’ve met so many new people and experienced a totally different way of learning.”

Simon Riggelsen,
University of California, San Diego, USA

MG220: Corporate and Organisational Strategy
Over 105 courses are available; all of which are taught and examined to LSE’s rigorous academic standards.

The LSE has remodelled its academic year to improve students’ teaching and learning experience. Summer School can now offer students a broader choice of dates and courses across three sessions. Some of our most popular courses now run more than once to give students more flexibility.

**Our summer schedule**

**Session one**
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Which course is right for you?

100 level courses
No specific prerequisites in their own subject, but may require some mathematics or other related subjects. The minimum requirement for taking these courses is to have an offer of a place at university, but additional evidence of academic ability may also be required.

200 level courses
Equivalent to intermediate level university courses. They have prerequisites in the form of university level introductory courses in the same, or a closely related subject.

300 level courses
Are advanced and equivalent to either final year undergraduate or first year graduate courses. They have prerequisites of university level intermediate courses.

Is English your second language?

Applicants are expected to be proficient in the use of English.

Those who have had previous university level instruction in English, or live in a country where English is a main language, need not submit a proficiency certificate.

Alternatively you will need:
- Minimum TOEFL score of 263 (computer-based test), or 107 (Internet test)
- IELTS 7.0 or their equivalent (e.g. the Cambridge Advanced or CPE Certificate)
Course facts

Entry requirements

Grades: Minimum GPA 3.3/ B+

Prerequisites: 200, and 300 level courses will have conditions of entry. Please check online for details.

Fees: Check online for latest fees at lse.ac.uk/summerschool

Study hours

Duration: Three weeks (students can study for up to nine weeks if they attend three sessions).

Faculty contact time: A minimum of 54 hours; Lectures: 36 hours; Classes: 18 hours. (Some course schedules vary)

Recommended self-study: 2-3 hours per day

Credit and assessment

Credit: Generally our courses receive three or four credits in the US system, or 7.5 ECTS in the European system. Please check with your home institution.

Assessment: Two written exams, or a final exam and assessed work.*

Course equivalence: Each course is broadly equivalent to one semester from an undergraduate degree.

* Whilst examinations are not compulsory, they are encouraged and may be necessary for students requiring credit.

Academic Director

Professor Paul Kelly
Summer School Academic Director, Department of Government

“LSE Summer School offers a broad set of courses across a variety of different disciplines, taught by leading scholars in their fields.”

Professor Paul Kelly
Academic Information

**Accounting**

### 100 LEVEL
- **AC101:** Managerial Accounting and Financial Control
- **AC110:** Principles of Accounting

### 200 LEVEL
- **AC201:** Performance Measurement for Decision-Making
- **AC210:** Corporate Financial Reporting and Communication
- **AC215:** Business Analysis and Valuation

**Business and Management**

### 100 LEVEL
- **MG101:** Marketing
- **MG103:** Consumer Behaviour: Behavioural Fundamentals for Marketing and Management
- **MG105:** Social Innovation and Entrepreneurship
- **MG106:** Strategic Management
- **MG110:** The Science and Art of Decision Making
- **MG130:** Organisational Behaviour
- **MG133:** Foundations of Management
- **MG190:** Human Resource Management and Employment Relations

### 200 LEVEL
- **MG202:** Open Innovation
- **MG203:** Strategic Management of Markets and Growth: Industrial Policy in Europe
- **MG204:** Leadership in Organisations
- **MG205:** Competitive Strategy and Game Theory
- **MG206:** Business Strategy in International and Emerging Markets
- **MG209:** Bargaining and Negotiation: Interests, Information, Strategy and Power
- **MG220:** Corporate and Organisational Strategy
- **MG250:** Management and Economics of E-Business

### 300 LEVEL
- **MG300:** Negotiation Boot Camp: Personal Mastery in the Art of Negotiating

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**Faculty Spotlight**

**Dr Heather Kappes**  
Department of Management

Dr. Kappes takes a behavioural science approach to marketing, trying to understand what influences people as they pursue their goals. Her current research looks at how adults and children think about wealth and spending, and how their beliefs predict their spending and financial resilience. She teaches marketing and consumer behaviour courses to undergraduates and masters students, and has experience teaching executives as well.
Economics

100 LEVEL
EC101: Introductory Microeconomics
EC102: Introductory Macroeconomics
EC104: The Wealth (and Poverty) of Nations: Historical Economic Divergence across the Globe

200 LEVEL
EC200: Introduction to Behavioural Economics
EC201: Intermediate Microeconomics
EC202: Intermediate Macroeconomics
EC203: Real Estate Economics and Finance
EC204: Financial Markets and the Global Economy: the History of Bubbles, Crashes and Inflations
EC212: Introduction to Econometrics
EC235: Economics of European Integration
EC240: Environmental Economics & Sustainable Development
EC260: The Political Economy of Public Policy
EC270: Public Finance

300 LEVEL
EC307: Development Economics
EC312: Advanced Econometrics
EC320: Applied Econometrics and Big Data
EC321: Money and Banking
EC341: Industrial Organisation & Introduction to Competition Policy
EC351: International Economics

Finance

200 LEVEL
FM202: Analysis and Management of Financial Risk
FM225: Fixed Income Securities, Debt Markets and the Macro Economy
FM230: Alternative Investments
FM250: Finance
FM255: Financial Markets

300 LEVEL
FM350: Advanced Corporate Finance
FM360: Options, Futures and Other Financial Derivatives

Faculty Spotlight

Dr Francesco Nava
Department of Economics
EC201: Intermediate Microeconomics
A graduate of Milan’s Università Bocconi; Dr Nava went on to complete both his MA and PhD in Economics at the University of Chicago. Dr Nava has been with the Department of Economics for seven years, and specialises in Economic Theory, Industrial Organisation and Computational Economics. Dr Nava recently won the LSE Education Excellence Award.
## International Relations, Government and Society

### 100 LEVEL

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### 200 LEVEL

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| IR201: | Power Shift: The Decline of the West, The Rise of the BRICS and World Order in a New Asian Century |
| IR202: | Genocide: History, Theory, Prevention |
| IR203: | An Urbanising World: The Future of Global Cities |
| IR204: | International Migration, Social Integration and Public Policy |
| IR205: | Islam and Politics |
| IR206: | Revolutions and World Politics |
| IR207: | Development in the International Political Economy |
| IR209: | International Political Economy |
| IR210: | International Politics: Building Democracies from Conflict |
| IR211: | America as a Global Power: FDR to Trump |
| IR214: | Public Policy Analysis |
| IR215: | The Politics of Humanitarian Interventions |
| IR245: | International Journalism and Society - The Role of the Media in the Modern World |
| IR250: | The Global Politics of Protest and Change |
| IR270: | What Kind of Europe? Crisis, Reform and the International Role of the European Union |

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**Faculty Spotlight**

### Dr Robert Falkner

**Department of International Relations**

**IR120: Trade, Development and the Environment**

An Associate Professor of International Relations whose expertise lies in global political economy, global environmental politics, and the role of business in international relations. He gained his doctorate in International Relations from the University of Oxford’s Nuffield College. Amongst other senior appointments, Dr Falkner serves as the Academic Director of the TRIUM Global Executive MBA, an alliance between LSE, NYU Stern School of Business and HEC Paris, and one of the world’s leading global EMBA programmes.
### Law

**100 level**

- **LL101**: Introduction to Law: Legal Foundations and Fundamental Questions
- **LL102**: Introduction to International Human Rights: Theory, Law and Practice
- **LL105**: International Law: Contemporary Issues
- **LL110**: Tax, Justice and Society
- **LL135**: Introduction to Corporate Law and Governance

**200 level**

- **LL200**: Competition Law and Policy: Controlling Private Power
- **LL202**: Commercial Law
- **LL203**: International Commercial Litigation and Arbitration
- **LL204**: Cyberlaw
- **LL205**: European Union Law and Politics
- **LL206**: International Financial Law
- **LL207**: International Financial Regulation
- **LL208**: Freedom of Speech, Media and the Law
- **LL209**: Comparative Human Rights
- **LL210**: Tax Avoidance
- **LL211**: The International Law of War Crimes
- **LL212**: European Consumer Law

**300 level**

- **LL301**: Corporate Finance Law

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Go to [lse.ac.uk/summerschool](http://lse.ac.uk/summerschool) for up-to-date course listings, full outlines and fees.

Courses may be subject to change without notice.
Research Methods, Data Science, and Mathematics

100 level

ME100: Introduction to Calculus
ME116: Essential Statistics for Economics and Econometrics
ME117: Further Statistics for Economics and Econometrics

200 level

ME200: Computational Methods in Financial Mathematics
ME201: Optimization with Applications in Portfolio Choice

300 level

ME301: Survey Research Methods: From Design to Analysis
ME302: Introduction to Financial Mathematics
ME303: Statistical Methods for Multivariate Data in Social Science Research
ME305: Qualitative Research Methods
ME306: Real Analysis
ME310: Causal Inference for Experimental and Observational Studies
ME314: Introduction to Data Science and Machine Learning
ME315: Machine Learning in Practice
ME317: Statistical Methods in Risk Management

Programme Director

Professor Ken Benoit
Department of Methodology

Professor Benoit holds a PhD in Government with a specialisation in statistical methodology from Harvard University. He is currently Professor of Quantitative Social Research Methods in the Department of Methodology, where he teaches data science and computational methods. He was also the founding Director of the Social and Economic Data Science (SEDS) Research Unit at LSE.
Application and fees

When and how should I apply?
Applications typically open in late November. Popular courses and LSE residences do fill up quickly, so we urge you to apply as soon as you are able.

How do I support my application?
You will be asked to provide a copy of your university transcript (if available). If English is not your first language you should include appropriate evidence of English proficiency (see page 24).

How much does it cost?
Students taking more than one course will be eligible for discounted rates as outlined below.

2019 Fees

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*Student rate applies to all full-time students who are currently enrolled at a University or College anywhere in the world.

A £50 application fee must be paid when submitting your application.

For more information and terms and conditions please see www.lse.ac.uk/study-at-lse/Summer-Schools/Summer-School/Fees

Cancellation of courses
Occasionally it is necessary to cancel or postpone courses. Should a course be subject to a major change, applicants will be offered the option to either transfer to another course or receive a full refund. Any alterations to the programme will be made by the first week of June 2019. If you are coming from abroad, you are strongly advised to take out comprehensive travel insurance for the duration of your stay.

Equality and diversity
To uphold the School’s commitment to equality of respect and opportunity, as set out in the Ethics Code (search ‘Ethics Code’ on the LSE homepage), we will treat all people with dignity and respect, and ensure that no-one will be treated less favourably because of their role at the School, age, disability, gender (including gender identity), race, religion or belief, sexual orientation, marriage and civil partnership, pregnancy and maternity, and social and economic background. For details of the School’s work on enhancing its equality practices to reflect the requirements of the Equality Act 2010, please see the EDI website (search ‘EDI Policy Statement on the LSE homepage’).
“The LSE experience provides a unique mix of rigorous academics and all the vim and vigour of central London.”

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