Venture the Globe 2019 ARCH Immersion Hong Kong Hong Kong November 25 - December 15



# OVERVIEW

The office of study abroad, with the School of Building Arts, is pleased to offer *Immersion Hong Kong*. This excursion is designed for students who wish to explore the dynamic practice environment, urban landscapes and diverse cultures of one of the world's truly great international cities. From contemporary architecture that shapes the city's dramatic skyline to historic structures that define many neighborhoods, Hong Kong is filled with valued landmarks and sites that celebrate a fascinating past and drive an international conversation focused on the future of cities, urban environments and global practice.

This unique excursion will enable participants to interact with professionals, residents, interns and professors who enjoy sharing perspectives about the building arts in Hong Kong. Through a variety of field trips, discussions and assignments, students will discover ways in which architects and preservationists in this city bridge cultural, professional and economic boundaries to embrace the future of the building arts.

# COURSES

Courses are built into the Winter 2019 schedule. The study abroad office will process registration. ARCH 421 Advanced Architectural Presentation ARCH 438 Urban Issues Seminar ARCH 769 Hybrid Media Presentation in Architecture ARCH 775 Global Architectural Practice

# **SELECTION CRITERIA**

For consideration for SCAD study abroad programs, students must be in good standing with the university. Class standing, GPA and seat availability in courses are also factors for acceptance. In addition to submitting a completed application, students must have their course selections approved by their student success adviser or graduate adviser via an advising confirmation form. Students will be prompted by the application system to upload this form. Students interested in applying should schedule an appointment with their adviser prior to completing the application. Applications can be accessed in MySCAD > Student Workspace tab > Study Abroad channel.

### VISA

The length of the program requires students to be in Hong Kong for 21 days. Please check your 'duration of stay' restrictions and requirements, as the country issuing your passport may limit your duration of stay in Hong Kong. Please note that some non-US passport holders may be ineligible for this program due to timeline and visa restrictions. For a list of countries and their visa requirements for Hong Kong, review Part II of <u>http://www.immd.gov.hk/en/services/hk-visas/visit-transit/visit-visa-entry-permit.html</u>

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## **HOUSING + DINING**

Students will reside at the Gold Coast Residences in Hong Kong. Participants may request up to 2 roommates of the same gender. SCAD study abroad can not guarantee all roommate preferences can be accommodated.

Some meals will be included in the program fee, however, students will be responsible for some of their meals. The apartments at the Gold Coast Residences have a fully equipped kitchen. Students can prepare meals or dine out.

#### TRAVEL

Each program participant will arrange his or her own flight to and from Hong Kong. Students should plan to book travel after official acceptance into the program. Early check in can not be accommodated.

### **TUITION + FEES**

| Non-refundable deposit  | \$649               |
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| Program fee   | \$2400              |
| Fee includes housing in Hong Kong; some meals; site visit fees; transportation for academic field trips. Curren | nt scholarships and |
| financial aid may apply.  |                     |
| International emergency insurance   | \$80                |
| SCAD undergraduate tuition (per course)   | \$4070              |
| See student success adviser for an academic and financial overview  |                     |
| SCAD graduate tuition (per course)  | \$4170              |
| See graduate adviser for an academic and financial overview   |                     |

### CALENDAR

| Applications available through MySCAD  | Friday, June 8                        |
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| Application due  | Monday, September 17                  |
| Acceptance notification  | Monday, September 24                  |
| Non-refundable reservation deposit due (\$649)   | Tuesday, October 9                    |
| Pre-departure orientation  | (Fall Quarter) Friday, TBA            |
| Post acceptance materials in MySCAD due  | Friday, November 2                    |
| <i>*this includes the health form, travel plans, a copy of your passport, dietary res requests</i> | strictions and preferences & roommate |

| Arrival to Hong Kong                  | Sunday, November 25   |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| First Day of Class                    | Monday November 26    |
| Final day of Class                    | Friday, December 14   |
| Checkout and Departure from Hong Kong | Saturday, December 15 |