

Dear Partners from AC21,

Greetings from Nanjing University!

We are pleased and honored to inform you that the 7<sup>th</sup> AC21 Student World Forum will be **virtually** held on 18-31 July, 2022 by Nanjing University in collaboration with the AC21. This year's theme is "Urban Sustainability under the Covid-19 Attack", which has targeted SDGs (UN SDG 3 and 11, Good Health and Well-Being/Sustainable Cities and Communities). This program will be led and delivered by NJU faculty who are experts in this field. Other speakers include representatives from UN-Habitat and international partners of NJU. It is an excellent opportunity for your students to gain a valuable cooperative learning experience with peers from other countries and to develop deeper understanding of urban sustainability from world renowned academics.

Here is the summary of program information:

**Dates:** July 18<sup>th</sup>-July 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022

**Theme:** Urban Sustainability under the Covid-19 Attack

**Requirements:** undergraduate students, no major limits, certain English proficiency requirements for non-native English speakers (IELTS 6/TOEFL ibt 80)

**Registration Fee:** Waived for nominations from AC21 members

**Nomination&Application:** Students should fill the application form and submit to the institution's AC21 coordinator. Partners are required to send us the nomination form, together with the applications **before April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022**. Please kindly make the theme of the email "7<sup>th</sup> AC21 SWF Nomination + Name of your university".

To ensure the students have the best learning experience, **partners can nominate up to 3 students from each university**.

**Program highlights:**

- Well-designed **theme** targeting SDGs (UN SDG 3 and 11)
- Close academic links with **UN-Habitat**
- **Team building, plenary online lectures, international + local teamwork, plenary online presentation**
- **Rich cultural experiences** with virtual & in-person activities
- Enhancing students' **comprehensive competences** in academic learning, practices, cross-cultural communication and collaboration.

Attached please find the documents for the SWF2022, including the [flyer](#), the [tentative plan](#), the [tentative program](#), the [application form](#) and [nomination form](#). We welcome applications from your students and would be grateful if you could help promote this opportunity to students who are interested in a summer school experience.

If you or your students have any questions about the summer school, please do not hesitate to contact us at [stuex@nju.edu.cn](mailto:stuex@nju.edu.cn).

Yours sincerely,

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