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RISE **SCHOLARS** **FELLOWSHIP** **PROGRAMME**



Looking to pursue your **PhD in Singapore** at a globally recognised research university known for its innovative curriculum, industry-relevance and teaching excellence?

Join us at SMU for a highly selective and sought-after summer immersion programme from **12 to 16 May 2026**, that offers a real-world taste of life in academia for **bachelor and master students** through research seminars and workshops, and an exclusive chance to interact with SMU's faculty and postgraduate research student community. You'll also join the flagship **Singapore Rising Scholars Conference** to interact with academics and doctoral students to grow your scholarly network.

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2026

DAY 1
12 MAY
(TUE)

Welcome to SMU

- Introduction to Postgraduate Research Studies at SMU
- Meet-and-Greet with PhD Student Buddies
- Tour SMU's City Campus

DAY 2
13 MAY
(WED)

Research Immersion @ SMU Schools

- Get up close with SMU faculty and PhD students
- Tour our Research Institutes, Centres and Labs
- Experience our research ecosystem through seminars and workshops

DAY 3
14 MAY
(THU)

Singapore Rising Scholars Conference

- Welcome and Opening Address
- Keynote Address and Fireside Chat
- General Panels
- Seminars and Conference Breakout Sessions

DAY 4
15 MAY
(FRI)

Singapore Rising Scholars Conference

- General Panels
- Seminars and Conference Breakout Sessions
- Best Paper Award Ceremony and Dinner Reception

DAY 5
16 MAY
(SAT)

The Singapore Experience

- City Tour of Popular Singapore Districts

**2 WEEKS
LATER**
30 MAY
(SAT)

Post Fellowship Programme

- Share your post-fellowship reflections with us

All information accurate as of 10 September 2025



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