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**CENTRE FOR INTERNATIONAL  
& PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Greetings from CIPE,

We hope that all of you are having a good second part of the term. For CIPE, this is the time of the term when we are data gathering mode. We were thrilled to hear about Week 7 adventures and learning at this year's Symposium, which was terrific. If you were on a Week 7, we need your help with the survey that we ask in order to know more about your experience. Not only will it help future cohorts but the Week 7 with responses from all members will get a pizza party – what better way to keep that amazing group experience going? And for those of you in the Class of 2019, we have our annual Junior Year Survey going on right now. This is important for us to plan best how to help you as you start thinking about your post-graduation plans, whether that's a job, graduate school or fellowship. Check your Spam filter if you haven't received it for the subject, "CIPE Junior Year Survey - Action Needed." We need all of you to respond and remember, the first major to have every student fill out the survey will win a Bubble Tea Party!

At every part of the semester, we are happy to bring you more events and opportunities of interest. One perennial feature of this part of the term is deadlines for fellowships. For those of you who are graduating and contemplating further study next year or an unforgettable experiential year, do scroll down to look at program descriptions and their due dates. Also seniors who are considering working next year should submit your profile for the Look Book. This is a good way to get noticed by potential employers.

Finally, many of you are starting to think about your summer plans and applications for many of our summer scholarship open next week. You can apply Summer Arts, Academic and Language scholarships beginning on Monday (Oct 23).

Cheers,  
Dean Trisha Craig

## **FOR ALL STUDENTS:**

### **Duke-NUS Medical School Info-session**

Find out why clinicians trained in non-medical disciplines such as the liberal arts, may find themselves better equipped to solve healthcare problems. Learn about Duke-NUS Medical School's graduate medical program in Singapore and explore if training in medicine is the right path for you after graduation. **Register at** <https://www.duke-nus.edu.sg/event/md-talk-yale-nus>

Date: Monday, 23 October 2017

Time: 12 noon to 1:30PM

Venue: Classroom 16

### **Introduction to Fellowships Information Session**

Are you passionate about research and searching for a funded opportunity to help you pursue your further academic, leadership, and professional interests? Then you might want to [learn more about fellowships](#). Attend this information session to learn broadly about fellowships, steps for application, and specific programs that CIPE hopes to highlight. Class of 2018 and 2019 students are strongly encouraged to attend this information session. **Please be sure to RSVP via [Symplcity](#) to secure a seat for the information session.** Lunch will be provided. Questions? Email [charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg](mailto:charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg).

Date: Wednesday, 01 November 2017

Time: 12 noon to 1:00PM

Venue: Saga LT 01

### **External Undergraduate Summer Research Fellowships Workshop**

Interested in delving into research in an [intensive summer fellowship opportunity](#)? Be sure to take a look at [CIPE's website](#) for more information on the current external opportunities, eligibility, award descriptions, and application deadlines. Some of the highlighted awards to be discussed during this session include Amgen Scholars, Caltech Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowships, Rockefeller University Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship Program, and the Singapore-MIT Undergraduate Research Fellowships. While students interested in applying are strongly encouraged to set up an individual advising session with CIPE, this session will be an essential primer before applying. **Please be sure to RSVP via [Symplcity](#) to secure a seat for the information session.** Lunch will be provided. Questions? Email [charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg](mailto:charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg).

Date: Friday, 03 November 2017

Time: 12 noon to 1:00PM

Venue: Tan Chin Tuan LT

### **External Adviser Programme**

CIPE's External Adviser Programme (EAP) provides students with access to external advisers who have a wide range of experience. Read more at <https://cipe.yale-nus.edu.sg/career-services/external-adviser-programme/>, or email Paul Wilt at [paul.wilt@yale-nus.edu.sg](mailto:paul.wilt@yale-nus.edu.sg) to learn more.

### **Official transcript**

If you need to obtain an official transcript, please note that Yale-NUS Registry does not issue official transcripts anymore so you have to request from NUS Registrar's Office which takes at least four working

days to process. There are a few modes of collection offered by NUS [Online Transcript Application](#) as stated on NUS [website](#).

### **Check Our Website for the Full List!**

There are many more events happening off-campus including case competitions, please check <https://cipe.yale-nus.edu.sg/career-services/student/career-events/> regularly for the full list of opportunities.

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## **FOR CLASS OF 2018:**

### **Seniors, submit your Look Book**

To showcase the diversity of profiles and interests that our students have at Yale-NUS, the College is preparing a Look Book. The Look Book is intended to give an overview of our graduating students in a more personalised format than a traditional resume/CV, and will be shared with selective employers and partners to increase awareness and publicity of Yale-NUS students. We advise you to use a tone of professionalism when determining your writing style, as the target audience for the Look Book is potential employers. If you expect to graduate by May 2018, please submit your entry here: <https://cipe.yale-nus.edu.sg/student-lookbook/> If you have any questions or technical issues, please contact [Nayoung.won@yale-nus.edu.sg](mailto:Nayoung.won@yale-nus.edu.sg).

### **Graduate School Advising**

Graduate school deadlines for the 2018 cycle are fast approaching and if you plan to apply this year, we want to hear from you.

- Contact [Nilanjana Pal](#) if you are considering an MBA, US medical school or US law school.
- Contact [Charlotte Evans](#) if you would like to apply for a degree-granting fellowship ([see examples here](#)).
- Contact [Zhana Sandeva](#) for grad school in all other fields (research Master's and PhD programs; professional Master's that are not in business, law or medicine).

### **The Hertz Foundation 5 Year graduate fellowship (Deadline: October 27, 2017)**

If you are a US citizen or permanent resident applying to a PhD program in STEM at one of the 40 Hertz partner institutions in the US, and you are able to articulate how your research will provide innovative solutions to your field, then you should submit an application to the Hertz Foundation Fellowship. The scholarship covers full tuition for up to five years, a US\$32,000 annual stipend, and possibilities for other additional stipends. Considering an application? Write to Charlotte to set up an advising appointment: [charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg](mailto:charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg).

### **Princeton in Asia (Deadline: November 09, 2017)**

[Princeton in Asia](#) is a full year fellowship in locations including Cambodia, China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Japan, Kazakhstan, Laos, Malaysia, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, The Philippines, Singapore, South Korea, Sri Lanka, Taiwan, Tajikistan, Thailand, Timor-Leste, and Vietnam. The fellowship promotes cross-cultural exchange and immersion in a specific industry. It also promoted fellows stepping out of their comfort zone and integrating into a local community. Fellows receive local monthly stipends during their time in the field. **The deadline for PiA is November 09, 2017.** If you are planning to apply, please write Charlotte

to get feedback on essay drafts at [charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg](mailto:charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg).

### **James C Gaither Junior Fellows Program Institutional Endorsement (Deadline: November 13, 2017)**

The [James C. Gaither Junior Fellows Program](#) is one-year experiential fellowship organized through the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace that is for “uniquely qualified graduating seniors and individuals who have graduated during the past academic year. Carnegie junior fellows work as research assistants to the endowment’s senior associates.” Please note that this application is only open to US citizens or individuals who can work in the US legally for a year without work sponsorship for a full year. The Carnegie Endowment for International Peace does not provide visa sponsorship. This application is open to current seniors and those who have completed their bachelor's degree in the past academic year. **Each institution is able to put forward up to two applicants, so Yale-NUS students must submit their application for institutional endorsement via [Symplicity](#) by November 13, 2017 @ 5pm SGT.** If you are planning to apply, please email Charlotte to get feedback on essay drafts at [charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg](mailto:charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg).

### **Yenching Scholarship extended (Deadline: November 13, 2017)**

International scholars will enrol in a 12-month programme studying at Yenching Academy. [The scholarship](#) includes tuition fees, round trip airfare to Beijing, accommodation, and living costs on the Peking University campus. The Yenching programme places an “emphasis on interdisciplinarity and the value it assigns to thinking about China’s development from both Chinese and international perspectives.” **The institutional endorsement deadline for Yenching has been extended this year on [Symplicity](#) to November 13, 2017 @ 12pm SGT.** Applicants planning to apply should write Charlotte to get essay feedback at [charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg](mailto:charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg).

### **Japan Exchange and Teaching Programme (Deadline: November 17, 2017)**

[JET](#) is a one-year appointment to work as either Assistant Language Teachers, Coordinators for International Relations, or Sports Exchange Advisors. Students receive a monthly stipend from the Japanese Embassy in exchange for their work. Applicants must apply through their country, of which there are [forty eligible nationalities](#). Students wishing to apply should write Charlotte to get essay feedback at [charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg](mailto:charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg).

### **Thomas R. Pickering Foreign Affairs Fellowship application open**

The US State Department is funding US\$37,500 annually for tuition, room, and board for two-year Master’s programs in foreign service related degrees such as economics, public policy, international affairs, and business administration. [The program](#) also helps students with a domestic and international internship with the Department of State and overseas US embassy during the fellowship tenure. Employment in the Foreign Service after completion of the fellowship is included as part of the program. Applicants must be US citizens to be eligible to apply. **The application is now [open](#) and the deadline closes January 12, 2018.** If you would like feedback from CIPE, please email Charlotte to notify her of your candidacy: [charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg](mailto:charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg).

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**FOR CLASS OF 2019:**

**Check your inboxes for a link to the Junior Year Survey!**

On 11 October, you should have received an individualized email from Yale-NUS CIPE <[noreply@gmailserver.com](mailto:noreply@gmailserver.com)> about the Junior Year Survey. If you have not received this email, please check your Spam filters and/or search for subject line: "CIPE Junior Year Survey - Action Needed." We want to hear from each and every one of you, so please make sure to fill it out. As a bonus - the first major to have every student fill out the survey will win a Bubble Tea Party! If the link is not working for you or if you have any questions, please reach out to Nayoung WON at [nayoung.won@yale-nus.edu.sg](mailto:nayoung.won@yale-nus.edu.sg).

### **Concurrent Degree Programme Deadline Reminder**

Are you considering an application to the [Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy Concurrent Degree Programme](#) or the [Yale School of Public Health Concurrent Degree Programme](#) this cycle as a junior? **The YSPH CDP deadline is November 1, 2017 via SOPHAS. The LKYSPP CDP deadline is December 31, 2017 @ 5pm SGT [here](#).** Students wishing to apply to either programme are strongly encouraged to consult with Charlotte about their applications and to connect with the respective faculty advisors to discuss academic alignment. To set up an appointment, email [charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg](mailto:charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg).

### **Public Policy & International Affairs (PPIA) Program (Deadline: November 01, 2017)**

If you are a US citizen or permanent resident hoping to pursue a Master's eventually in the US focusing on public service such as government, non-profit or international humanitarian organization work, you should apply for a spot in the [PPIA Summer Institute](#). Benefits include full tuition coverage for the seven week institute, housing, meal plan, GRE prep, a US\$1,5000 stipend, travel expense partial coverage, and a one-time US\$5,000 stipend to be used towards your Master's degree if admitted to a [Consortium school](#). More information about applying can be found [here](#). Those wanting feedback on an application are encouraged to connect with Charlotte to receive draft feedback: [charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg](mailto:charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg).

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### **FOR CLASS OF 2021:**

#### **Week 7 Survey**

Now that you've had some time to settle back into classes after your Week 7s, we'd like your help completing a survey on your Week 7 experience, [available here](#). The survey should only take 15 minutes and your responses are incredibly valuable to us as we plan future Week 7 and LAB projects. As a bonus – the first Week 7 group to have every member fill out the survey will win a **pizza party!** **The deadline to complete the survey is Sunday, 29 October.** Email Annette Wu – [annette.wu@yale-nus.edu.sg](mailto:annette.wu@yale-nus.edu.sg) if there are any issues with the survey link.

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### **FOR CLASS OF 2018 and 2019:**

#### **QS World Grad School Tour Singapore**

Meet face to face with admission directors and alumni from top universities offering a broad spectrum of Masters and PhD programs. Discover information about studying in different countries and which university is best suited to meet your academic and career aspirations. **For more info and to register, click [HERE](#).**

**Date:** Thursday, 16 November 2017

**Time:** 4:00PM to 8:30PM

**Venue:** Suntec Singapore Convention & Exhibition Centre, 1 Raffles Boulevard, Suntec City, Singapore

### **Interested in Graduate School in Global Affairs or International Studies?**

Visit the **Association of Professional Schools of International Affairs (APSIA)** website and register for the virtual information sessions where leading global affairs schools share about the ins and outs of their graduate programs. For more information, visit their events page [HERE](#).

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### **FOR CLASS OF 2018, 2019 and 2020:**

#### **Credit transfer for Summer or Semester**

If you have done a summer or semester program and want to count the credits toward your major or minor, please be reminded that complete and correct submissions (comprising credit transfer form and official transcript) which were given to CIPE by 6 October would have your credit transfer reflected on [MySIS](#) by the end of AY17/18 Semester 1. Submissions after 6 October will still be accepted and processed but the credit transfer will only be reflected in the next semester.

For credits toward your major or minor, the relevant faculty to approach is the Head of Studies for that discipline. If you want to count your summer credits toward your elective unrelated to major or minor, please send your official transcript to [fangwei.goh@yale-nus.edu.sg](mailto:fangwei.goh@yale-nus.edu.sg). A soft copy suffices as long as it is the official transcript. The above timeline applies.

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### **FOR CLASS OF 2019, 2020 and 2021:**

#### **Application for Summer Scholarship**

Application for the Summer Arts, Academic, Language, Spanish and Chinese Language scholarships for summer 2018 will **open on 23 October 2017 and end on 22 November 2017 at 5:00pm**. Please keep a lookout for the updated application information and link on CIPE's website in due time.

### **ON-CAMPUS OPPORTUNITIES:**

#### **Student Associate Program**

The Student Associate Program gives all students a chance to apply for various positions on campus with faculty or administrative offices. Opportunities are advertised as they become available, and they range from research in the sciences, social sciences and humanities to roles in administrative support, photography, videography, event management and outreach, and many others. For more information on the program and how to apply, visit [this link](#).

#### **Women in Tech Conference**

All genders are welcome to join the Women in Tech Conference on 1 November, held by Yale-NUS Women in Business and Data Science Organization. Come for an evening filled with inspiring talks,

breakout sessions, workshops and a networking dinner! Together with amazing women techmakers from Google, Twitter, Visa, IBM and Amazon Web Services, explore how modern technology shapes our world, the importance of information technology in the 21st century, and what it feels like to work in an environment wrestling with gender inequality.

This event is sponsored by Google Women Techmakers.

For more information, please contact Hanna Wdzieczak at [hanna.wdzieczak@u.yale-nus.edu.sg](mailto:hanna.wdzieczak@u.yale-nus.edu.sg).

## WHAT WE'RE READING:

This week we're reading *Local Encounters in a Global City*, edited by Prof Anju Paul with chapters by 12 of your fellow students and published by Ethos Books. **Don't miss the launch tonight (Friday, Oct 20) at the Performance Hall at 7:00pm.**

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