What are PRIMO Programs?

- PRIMO is unique to ANU!
- PRIMO are overseas, short, multi-disciplinary, credit-bearing programs for “first-year” students.
- Funding provided to help assist with undertaking these opportunities as first year students unable to access OS-HELP.
- Not a first year student? You can still apply, but won’t be eligible for grants.
# Programs run in Summer 2019

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Winter at Yonsei (South Korea)

27 December 2018 to 17 January 2019
21 January 2019 to 13 February 2019

- Grants of AUD $3,000 for first-year students
- Arts, Business, and Psychology courses available in the morning, Korean and Taekwondo in the afternoon
- Take one or two terms of study
- KRW 1,700,000/3,300,000 (∼AUD 2,000/4,000)
- Deadline to apply: September 30 11.55pm
Budapest Winter Programme - ESSCA Business School

21 January 2018 to 03 February 2018

- Grants of AUD $2,000 for first-year students
- Students study Business and Marketing in Central and Eastern Europe or East-West International Relations
- Fees:
  - Domestic EU 1,100 (AUD $1,700)
  - International EU 1,800 (AUD $2,800)
- Deadline to apply: 30 September, 11.55PM
Winter in Japan – Ritsumeikan University

08 January 2019 to 08 February 2019

- Grants of AUD $3,000 for first-year students
- Japanese language and Japanese studies classes
- Beginners in Japanese welcome!
- JPY 265,900 (~AUD 3,200)
- Deadline to apply: 30 September, 11.55pm
Grants and Funding

All grants:
- First year students – 48 units or less by the start of the course
- Must earn credit
- No negative service indicators

New Colombo Plan (NCP) Grant
- Must be an Australian citizen. Students cannot receive a Student Grant to undertake a Mobility Project in a Host Location in which they have dual citizenship or residency rights, or in which they have previously been a citizen or permanent resident.
- Undergraduate – Bachelor’s degrees only
- Students must be aged 18 to 28, unless they are indigenous
- Yonsei in South Korea and Ritsumeikan in Japan
Grants and Funding

- VC Coursework Travel Grant
  - ANU grant
  - All undergraduate students, domestic and international, can apply
  - International/permanent resident students will be prioritised
  - All PRIMO programs

- OS-HELP Loan
  - Alternative option for later year domestic students
  - Government loan placed on your HECS Debt
  - Need 48 units completed by beginning of course
  - Students can lend up to $7,998 for study in Asia, or $6,665 for study outside of Asia
How to Apply for a PRIMO program

• Check you are eligible

• Check dates of the summer programs – are you available on those dates?

• Check you have room for credit - please check with your respective College(s) and have them complete the Short Course College Approval Form

• Check you have sufficient funds to participate in the program

• Apply before the deadline to Global Programs – 30th of September

• Visit the Global Programs System and apply for each of the PRIMO programs you are interested in: http://www.anu.edu.au/students/careers-opportunities/global-programs/primo-first-year-learning-abroad-programs

• Make sure you complete each application:
  – Provide your “best statement of purpose” in your application
  – Upload PRIMO College Approval Form
Select your PRIMO program


• Select the PRIMO programs you wish to apply

• Log into the Global Programs system (GPS).

• You may apply for more than one PRIMO Program. If you are shortlisted, you are only offered one PRIMO program. This will be based on your best response to the criteria for the program.

• You will need to submit a separate application for each program, but you only need one college approval form – just attach the same one to the different applications.
Completing your application

- Check your application is completed and submitted.
- “Everything done - great job!” will be displayed and ticks in all boxes.
- If it’s not showing, you have not completed your PRIMO application.
- Email us at outbound.global@anu.edu.au if you have any problems.
What happens next

• Apply by the Global Programs deadline of September 30th

• Eligible students are shortlisted

• Shortlisted students informed if successful for the grant (within 1 week of deadline)

• Students accept or decline in the Global Programs System

• Students must then apply to host institution as well, before the Host deadline

• Grant offers made and paid to students

• Student pay the Host institution (tuition/accommodation) costs to participate

• Students meet up and make arrangements to fly out with new friends!
Common Questions

• Are the summer programs fee-paying?
Most programs are fee-paying, meaning you pay tuition fees directly to the host institution.

• Who do I pay the tuition fee to?
You pay the institutions directly, usually via an electronic transfer at your bank or on your card.

• How do I know if I can get credit?
Usually if you have a spare elective (6 units usually), you may get approval for credit. You need to go see your academic college as they will decide if you have room in your degree for a short course to be credit bearing.

• What if I cannot get credit from my ANU College?
You are not eligible for the grants if you cannot get credit.
Common Questions – continued

- Do I organise my own flights? And passport?
  Yes, you book your own flights and you must get your own passport.
- I’m not a first year – can I apply for the short programs and get the grant?
  No, if you are not a first year, you **would not be eligible for the grant**. However you may be able to still apply for some of the programs and use OS-HELP to fund the experience if you meet the eligibility requirements.
- What if I’m not selected?
  For any student who wishes to apply for short courses themselves at any point, you can do so independently. You organise this yourself (Study Abroad) and you pay for your participation directly to the providing institution.
- What would I need to pay for?
  Tuition fee at the institution, accommodation, flights, excursions, food, passport, visas, vaccinations, books etc.
- If I am shortlisted, can I meet others who are also going?
  Yes. Students can meet at the pre-departure, and will be invited to Global Programs social events.
Good luck!

anu.edu.au/students/global-programs