

Global Business Center
MBA Direct Exchange Opportunities



CHINA – Shanghai Jiao Tong University, Antai College of Economics and Management

Overview:

Shanghai Jiao Tong University was founded in 1896 by Mr. SHENG Xuanhuai. It is one of the oldest universities in China. Founded in 1918, the School of Management is one of the first business schools in China. In 2006, the business school was renamed Antai College of Economics and Management. The college consists of 30-odd academic institutes. There are over 1,300 MBA students in the college. Education quality of the school ranks among the top in the field of management among universities across China. In 2020, SJTU was ranked 37th of the top 100 MBA programs in the world by The Financial Times.

Terms* & dates:

- Fall: Early Sep through early Jan (may have to arrange early exams in December)
- Winter: modules do not align with UW calendar
- Summer: no courses available

**Note: Partner school terms shorter than 9 weeks during the Academic Year, and shorter than 4.5 weeks during Summer Quarter, do not qualify for federal Financial Aid.*

Academics:

Exchange students generally take 5 courses per semester (3 course minimum). Most courses are 2 or 2.5 credits; 2.5 credit courses require 40 contact hours while 2 credit courses are 32 contact hours.

Check with the UW MBA Program Office to determine your overseas course load.

Note: Students holding Chinese passports are ineligible for exchange at SJTU.

Housing:

Campus housing is limited. Work with SJTU exchange coordinator to determine your best option. Past exchange students have worked with a realtor to rent a furnished apartment for the duration of their exchange term.

Career Services:

The Career Services Center organizes recruiting fairs, which may be available to exchange students. <https://mba.sjtu.edu.cn/en/career/support.html>

Exchange Office Services:

All exchange partners offer course registration assistance, transcripts, orientations, and paperwork necessary to obtain a student visa. Orientations are held for in-bound students in the fall. SJTU will provide details to accepted students.

A visa is required for entry to and stays in China. Proof of adequate health insurance is required of all students. SJTU requires all international students staying over 2 months to purchase the designated group insurance plan. The fee is RMB800/one year or RMB400/half a year.

Language courses:

Introductory Chinese courses are available for free. Language classes do not count toward UW MBA elective credits.

Additional information:

Life in Shanghai: <https://mba.sjtu.edu.cn/en/student/life-in-shanghai.html>
[U.S. Dept of State China Information](#)