

Central China Normal University

INTERNATIONAL SUMMER SCHOOL 2023

(Artificial Intelligence in Education)

JUNE 26 - JULY 10, 2023



Welcome to International Summer School

he International Summer School 2023 which will be held from June 26 to July 10, 2023, is jointly sponsored by Central China Normal University (CCNU) and University of Wollongong (UOW), and co-organized by Central China Normal University Wollongong Joint Institute, National Engineering Research Center of Educational Big Data, Office of International Cooperation and Exchanges and Graduate School of Central China Normal University.



About the Summer School

The Summer School combines cutting-edge technologies and wonderful Chinese culture experience. It enables you to

- keep up with the latest development in Artificial Intelligence and its application in education through keynote lectures
- have face-to-face discussions with world-renowned scholars and industrial elites
- work with your peer students through the mini project
- learn about Chinese traditional culture and expand your horizon visit historical sites and taste delicious Chinese food
- visit leading Wuhan-based IT companies or labs

Program and Culture Experience

Part 1: Mini Project (Artificial Intelligence in Education)

Lectures and projects which are guided by our academic experts in AI fields, will be held from Monday through Friday, with IT Company Visit or Lab Visit.





Part 2: Chinese Language & Culture

Guided by our instructors experienced in teaching Chinese as a foreign language, the students will have a basic grasp of Chinese language and experience Chinese culture.

Students will also have access to several field trips and culture tours during their stay in Wuhan.







About CCNU

Located in Wuhan, the capital city of Hubei province and a major logistic hub in China, CCNU is a key comprehensive university directly under the administration of the Ministry of Education of the People's Republic of China. The picturesque campus of over 330 acres is nestled on Guizi Hill, bordering the South Lake. As one of the universities on the list of "211 National Education Priority Project" and "Double First-Class" initiative, CCNU is recognized as an important base for cultivating brilliant talents for the country as well as a superior training center for excellent teachers in institutions of higher learning.





Central China Normal University Wollongong Joint Institute

Central China Normal University Wollongong Joint Institute (hereinafter referred to as JI) is set up jointly by CCNU and UOW. JI is a Chinese-foreign cooperatively-run institution approved by the Ministry of Education of the People's Republic of China. It aims to



cultivate international high-level talents with innovative and entrepreneurial capabilities, offering courses for Master's and higher degree, and conducting cutting-edge research. JI has been offering Master's degree in computer science and telecommunication engineering since 2016.

National Engineering Research Center of Educational Big Data

National Engineering Research Center of Educational Big Data was accredited in 2021 based on the accomplishment made by its former entity known as the National Engineering Laboratory for Educational Big Data. The Center boasts 70 dedicated professors, engineers, and researcher in addition to more than 100 assistant researchers or developers. At present, the Center is offering two undergraduate programs, i.e. Data Science and Big Data Technology, and Artificial Intelligence, and five different postgraduate programs such as Computer Science, Software Engineering, Educational Technology, etc. In addition, the Center is enrolling Ph.D candidates in Educational Technology and Educational Information Technology.





About UOW

UOW is proud to be among the best modern universities in the world. Throughout the university's 70-year history, it has built an international reputation for world-class research and exceptional teaching quality. UOW is ranked the top 185th in QS World University Rankings 2023. Computer Science and Telecommunication Engineering are two programs offered by the Faculty of Engineering and Information Sciences (EIS) at UOW. EIS has a world-class reputation for excellence in research, strong collaborations with industry and government partners, and innovative approaches to teaching and learning. Its outstanding research has led to a number of Centers of Excellence, which has attracted best researchers engaged in significant, well-funded projects with state-of-art equipment and infrastructure. Its worldclass reputation in research and teaching has earned a place in the Group of Eight Engineering and Associates, the top research faculties in Australia.

TOP 185

University in the world

QS World University Rankings 2023





About Wuhan

Wuhan City (hereinafter referred to as "Wuhan"), also known as the "City of Rivers", is located in the central region of China, eastern region of Hubei Province at the confluence of the Yangtze River and the Han River. It is the capital city of Hubei province, also a famous national historic and cultural city, a central city and the only sub-provincial city in Central China, as well as an important industrial base, a science and education base and an integrated transportation hub in China.









HOW YOU CAN STUDY AT

Summer School

Target Group

- Junior or senior undergraduate students from our partner universities
- First year or second year postgraduate students.
- Students with science and engineering backgrounds preferred, especially have a basic understanding of artificial intelligence.



Application Procedures

The Summer School is open to students from home and abroad, applicants should fulfill the following requirements:

- 1. Aged between the 18-35 and maintain in good health.
- 2. English proficiency certificates (required for non-English native speaking applicants; TOEFL, GRE, or IELTS scores are preferred forms of proof).
- 3. Other required materials include the scanned copies of filled application form, CV, student card, passport, ID card, and electronic file of personal ID photo (3.5*5.3cm color photo).
- 4. All documents should be sent to the email address: luojingwen@ccnu.edu.cn before April 30, 2023.
- 5. Pay the tuition (For self-financed students only).



FEES Of 7800 RMB Per Self-financed Student

Scholarship will be offered to students from partner universities and institutions of Central China Normal University. Other than that, students have to pay required fees as follows:

	Scholarship Students	Self-Financed Students
Application Fee(RMB)	0	200
Tuition Fee (RMB)	0	5000
Accommodation	0	1400
Dining	0	1200
Flight Tickets	Self-paying	Self-paying
Other personal expenditure	Self-paying	Self-paying

Refund Policy: Withdrawal from the program due to personal reasons should be informed to us immediately, and compliant with the following refund policy:

- * 30 days before the Summer School begins: 50% refund of the tuition fee
- * 10 days before the Summer School begins: 25% refund of the tuition fee
- * 3 days before the Summer School begins or later: No refund

About the credit

Certificates will be issued to students participating in the Summer School and completing all the required projects by CCNU. It's recommended that students who have completed the Summer School be given or transferred two credits.







IMPORTANT DEADLINE

April 12 Application Open

April 28 Application Due

June 26 Airport Pick-up in Wuhan Tianhe International Airport (WHU); Registration & Orientation

June 27 Opening Ceremony and Ice-Breaking Activity

July 9 Farewell Ceremony & Conclusion

July 10 Departure

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General Notes

Visa Application

Accepted students can apply for tourist visa via local Chinese embassy or consulate.

Insurance

International students must purchase insurance, medical and accident insurance at least, when studying in China according to the policy of Ministry of Education of the People's Republic of China. An insurance policy which covers your stay in China must be provided upon registration. Otherwise, it should be purchased upon registration.

Arrival

Please send your flight itinerary information to luojingwen@ccnu.edu.cn once you have finalized your travel plan 3 days before arrival. CCNU volunteers will be designated to pick you up at Wuhan Tianhe International Airport.

Ice-breaking Activity

We will arrange an "Ice-breaking" activity on the first day of the Summer School to help you get acquainted with each other. We would expect each participating university to prepare a PPT presentation, introducing briefly yourself as well as the city & country where you were born and the current university where you study. Then we will have student volunteers show you around our campus with instructions on how to use the facilities.

Accommodation

International student dormitory will be provided on campus with standard room for 2 persons and a private bathroom. The dormitory is located near the classroom buildings, library, stadium and canteens. You can branch out to the city within walking distance to the subway station.

Weather

Summer in Wuhan and many other cities in China can be hot and humid, with the temperature ranging from 25-38 degree Celsius.

Voltage

Voltage in China is 220V. A multi-purpose adaptor is always necessary for overseas visitors.

Internet and Telephone Card

China Telecom, China Mobile and China Unicom are the top three telecommunications companies in China, which offer both cable network and wireless network to students combined with their telephone service. You can buy a phone card with China Mobile upon arrival at CCNU in Wuhan. Monthly cost is roughly 50RMB (400MB GPRS, WLAN 100hours).

Nearly every country in the world uses "00" when calling outside of the country. The dialing code for landline in Wuhan is 027. From overseas, dial

0086+027+XXXXXXXXX(an 8-digit phone number in Wuhan). For Mobile Phone, dial 0086+XXXXXXXXXXXXXX(an 11- digit phone number).

Medicine

It is advisable that you bring with medication for common use in your home country.

Currency

The renminbi (RMB) is the official currency of the People's Republic of China. The name literally means "people's currency". The yuan (sign: ¥) is the basic unit of the renminbi, but is also used to refer to the Chinese currency generally, especially in international contexts. In most situations, you may use credit cards for personal consumptions, but it is strongly advisable that you also prepare some cash for small items. In China, shops do not accept foreign currencies in cash. Therefore, you can convert US dollars, Euros or other international currencies into renminbi prior to payment.

Bank of China CCNU branch is available on campus, where you can convert foreign currencies into renminbi.

Bank of China Opening Time:

Monday-Friday 08:30-12:00 ;14:00-17:00; Sunday 09:00-16:00

Documents to Carry

Passport & Visa (copies recommended);

Name, address, phone number and email address of your family & doctor; Immunization record recommended;

Picture ID:

Driver's license/school ID;

Note: Make a copy of all the relevant documents for your family in your home country (itinerary, air tickets, passport and visa seals).

Campus Card

During your stay on campus, you will receive a CCNU campus card, with which you may use for room entry, meals in the canteens or sometimes consumptions in convenience stores. Please be aware that the money value in the card is fixed.

Eating and Drinking

- On Campus

To provide you with opportunities for experiencing the student life in China, you are free to choose meals at any canteens on the CCNU campus with campus cards for the duration of your stay at CCNU.

You are accessible to a multiple of meal options. Around student residential buildings, you may find a number of food outlets, including coffee and drinks shops, restaurants, supermarkets and fruit stores, as well as other conveniences, such as hairdressers, opticians and a post office.

-Off Campus

Wuhan has a huge range of restaurants available throughout the city, from traditional local cuisine to international taste.

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For more information, please visit http://uowji.ccnu.edu.cn/en/Home.htm

