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NTU Singapore and Peking University to introduce double degree in Finance

Nanyang Technological University, Singapore (NTU Singapore), and Peking University have signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to launch a double Masters degree programme in Finance.

The programme will be offered by NTU's Nanyang Business School (NBS) and Peking University's School of Economics (SEPKU).

Upon graduation, the students will be awarded NTU's Master of Science in Finance and PKU's Master's Degree.

The double Masters programme will enhance the quality and diversity of finance education at both universities, in an increasingly competitive postgraduate market.

Students in the programme will get to study at both campuses, with the curricula to be delivered in English and Chinese at NBS and Chinese at SEPKU. Studying at both campuses will broaden the student's horizons and help them gain cross-cultural competence. It also plugs them into the larger financial communities of both countries.

Professor Neo Boon Siong, Dean of NTU's Nanyang Business School, said, "We are pleased to partner with a distinguished Chinese university such as Peking University. This partnership will offer our students an immersive educational experience and access to the financial sector in China and Southeast Asia. Over the years, NBS has worked with many renowned institutions of higher learning in China to introduce various business programmes. This collaboration marks another milestone for NTU's business education."

“China is a major player in today’s dynamic and fast-paced global economy. NTU’s Nanyang Business School is proud to play a part in the finance and business education of students who will become the future business leaders in Asia and beyond,” Professor Neo said.

Professor Dong Zhiyong, CPC Secretary of School of Economics Peking University, said, “With the rapid process of global economic integration, internationalisation is one of the fundamental trends in education today, and we are pleased to cooperate with our partners in Singapore. This is the first collaboration with a top Asian business school in the history of SEPKU. We attach great importance to this collaboration opportunity.

“The partnership between NBS and School of Economics of PKU will promote the expansion of the university collaboration network and further enhance the integration of educational resources in Southeast Asia, producing more business leaders from students of the two schools,” Professor Dong said.

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About Nanyang Technological University, Singapore

A research-intensive public university, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore (NTU Singapore) has 33,500 undergraduate and postgraduate students in the colleges of Engineering, Business, Science, Humanities, Arts, & Social Sciences, and its Interdisciplinary Graduate School. It also has a medical school, the Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine, set up jointly with Imperial College London.

NTU is also home to world-class autonomous institutes – the National Institute of Education, S Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Earth Observatory of Singapore, and Singapore Centre for Environmental Life Sciences Engineering – and various leading research centres such as the Nanyang Environment & Water Research Institute (NEWRI), Energy Research Institute @ NTU (ERI@N) and the Institute on Asian Consumer Insight (ACI).

Ranked 13th in the world, NTU has also been ranked the world’s top young university for the last three years running. The University’s main campus has been named one of the Top 15 Most Beautiful in the World. NTU also has a campus in Novena, Singapore’s medical district.

For more information, visit www.ntu.edu.sg

About Nanyang Business School

Consistently ranked among the world's premier business schools, Nanyang Technological University's Nanyang Business School (NBS) has been nurturing leaders for business and public service, advancing global management knowledge and practice for over 50 years. Being fully integrated into Nanyang Technological University, we draw on the strengths of one of Asia's most comprehensive research-intensive universities to provide holistic, interdisciplinary business education. NBS believe that responsible and culturally sensitive leadership in business and government is crucial to securing a sustainable future for a globalised world. Through teaching and research, NBS grooms culturally intelligent leaders who pursue lasting success that seeks not only economic profit, but also the interests of the community and environment.

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