



PHBS
Peking University
HSBC Business School

2023-2024 FACT SHEET



ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Fall Semester 2023

Orientation: Two weeks before classes start
Term Start: September 4, 2023
Term End: January 21, 2024

Spring Semester 2024

Orientation: Thurs/Fri. before classes start
Term Start: February 19, 2024
Term End: June 30, 2024

NOMINATIONS

Nomination Deadline: Fall Semester- April 1st, 2023
Spring Semester- November 1st, 2023

Nomination Link:
<https://forms.gle/a97ae6cuMHKZEJYW8>

STUDENT APPLICATION

Application Deadline: Fall Semester- April 15th, 2023
Spring Semester- November 15th, 2023

Students must provide a copy of a valid passport and a copy of their most recent transcript, in addition to completing an online application.

PROGRAMS AND COURSES

Programs: Master of Management
Master of Economics
Master of Finance

Course Syllabi:

<http://english.phbs.pku.edu.cn/academics/coursesandexams/>

Course Catalog:

<http://english.phbs.pku.edu.cn/academics/list/>

Please note that not every course listed in the course catalog is offered each year and that the offered courses vary from year to year.

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ABOUT PHBS

PHBS is unique in offering an unparalleled combination of China insights and global perspective. At PHBS, we uphold a single vision to foster and cultivate visionary international business leaders for the new global economy by offering a global education with in-depth Chinese and Asian perspectives on business world.

VISAS

PHBS will send an admission letter and Visa documents to the students. These documents should be used to apply for an X2 visa (single semester) or an X1 visa (full year). The X2 visa is a single entry visa. Detailed information on visas and paperwork is provided to students after nomination and acceptance.

CHINESE LANGUAGE STUDY

Exchange students have the opportunity to attend Chinese language courses. The course is semester long and awards a total of 2 credits for the semester. Beginning Chinese is available in fall semester, while Advanced Beginner Chinese is offered in the spring. Students with previous Chinese language study can apply to take Business Chinese offered in the fall semester.



COURSE REGULATIONS

Course Schedule:	The final course arrangement and new course syllabi will be available to view a week prior to the resumption of courses.
Course Selection:	Exchange students will register for courses online during the orientation period or prior to arrival in the same manner that degree students do. Exchange students will have all elective courses and most required courses available to them.
Course Restrictions:	Students must satisfy any course pre-requisites. Each course has a size cap; finance and economics electives: 60, management electives: 35. PHBS will be unable to assist students in registering for courses that have already reached their size cap.
Add/Drop Regulations:	Week 1: may freely add and drop courses. Week 2: may only drop with professor permission. Week 3-9: Drop or withdrawal not permitted. Students that stop attending a course or do not properly withdraw by the 2nd week will be given a '0' for the course grade.
Course Load:	At PHBS, each semester is consist of two modules. Minimum: 2 courses per module (including language study). Maximum: 4 courses per module (including language study).
Grading and Credit System:	PHBS grades are awarded as a letter grade, corresponding to a GPA. The minimum passing grade is a D. PHBS courses are worth 3 credits, consisting of 36 in class lecture hours. PHBS students' maximum course load for one semester is 18 credits, 6 courses.

TRANSCRIPTS

PHBS will issue an official transcript for exchange students and it will be send directly to their university exchange coordinator. Fall students will receive their transcript by March, and spring students will receive their transcript by September.

HEALTH INSURANCE

All exchange students are required to purchase Ping An Insurance for 400 RMB/semester. This provides coverage at Chinese-speaking wards of public Chinese hospitals. Additional coverage is recommended for those wanting private hospitals or English-speaking, international wards.

HOUSING

Exchange students have access to on-campus housing. PHBS will allocate rooms for students; however, please inform us if you intend to reside off-campus.

Single room: 1,320 RMB/month

Utilities: est.200 RMB/month

IMPORTANT For Nomination

GPA requirement: at least 3.0 out of 4.0

Chinese passport holders are not allowed to attend our exchange programs.

More Information:

<https://english.phbs.pku.edu.cn/students/Exchange/incoming/>