CITIES
SHANGHAI
IN ASIA
TOKYO
INDUSTRIAL TRANSFERS

Studio Shanghai-Tokyo is a three-week credit-bearing course organized by the HKU Department of Architecture. Founded in 2010, it is an annual design and research studio that travels to multiple cities in Asia. This year, the program will travel to Shanghai and Tokyo. In particular, students would study the effects of industrial production and their adjacency to requisite urban functions such as housing and commerce. These forms of production have new appearances as late-industrial or post-industrial forms because of their strategic importance and complex organization within the highly urbanized contexts. Taught by a diverse group of faculty members from HKU and speakers from internationally renowned universities and independent research groups, the course offers participants an unrivaled learning experience within Asia’s most dynamic contexts.

Students will have the benefit of visiting unique areas of the city undergoing massive change, exploring and discussing broad-ranging issues through historical and theoretical concepts in identity, post-colonialism, nationalism and globalization. The learning process is positioned on the multiple fronts of society, industry, culture and the city. Learning activities include lectures, seminars, studio crits, field work, visits to experimental practices and sites, and forums for active discussions.

June 23 to July 15, 2018
Shanghai June 23 to July 3 | Tokyo July 5 to 15

ELIGIBILITY
The program welcomes all undergraduate & graduate students, and recent graduates in the disciplines of architecture, landscape, urban design, urban planning and policy, urban studies, and all allied design and engineering fields. This program is not limited to professional degree students, hence liberal arts students with a relevant major or minor are also eligible. Applicants should have completed at least one year of study at their home institutions. Participants must be proficient in English and some knowledge of visual analysis software is preferred.

DEADLINE & FEE
Deadline : April 20, 2018
Full Program (credit-bearing) : HKD 17,000 (USD 2,200)
Single-City Program (not-for-credit) : HKD 10,350 (USD 1,320)

Fees to be paid in HKD. Discounted fee available for group enrollment. Please email for inquiries. Accommodations and airfare are not included. Early enrollment is recommended to secure a placement.

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