

List of depts for Overseas Electives Programme 2022 - Last Update on 22 Jun 22

Division / Depts / Centres	Period	Elective Position/month & Elective Duration	History Taking and Interview techniques	Physical Examination	Clinical Problem Solving	Effective Communication with Patients & Relatives	Management and Treatment Approaches	Elective + Research	Other requirements / Information / Specification
Ambulatory & Clinical Support Services									
Diagnostic Radiology	All year round	Total Number of Vacancy: 1-2 students each month Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 1 week minimum, 3 weeks maximum	NA	NA	Yes	Limited/ Varies	Yes	Limited	
Emergency Medicine	Not taking in any students in 2022								
Nuclear Medicine & Molecular Imaging	All year round	Total Number of Vacancy: 2 students per year Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks minimum, 4 weeks maximum	Limited	Limited	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
<u>Pathology</u>	Varies with different sub-specialities								
- Pathology (Cytogenetics)	All year round (except Dec; subjected to available slots)	Total Number of Vacancy: 1 student at any one time Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 days maximum	Limited	Limited	Yes	No	Yes	No	This posting can be done in tandem with microbio/histo/cyto elective. Student to arrange with the Division directly.
- Pathology (Diagnostic Bacteriology)	All year round (except Dec; subjected to available slots)	Total Number of Vacancy: 1 student at any one time Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 1 week minimum, 2 weeks maximum	Limited	Limited	Yes	No	Yes	No	
- Pathology (Histopathology & Cytology)	All year round (except Dec; subjected to available slots)	Total Number of Vacancy: 2 students at any one time Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 1 week minimum, 4 weeks maximum	Limited	Limited	Yes	No	Yes	Yes (pls see remarks)	
Medicine									
Dermatology	No intakes for Jun/ Dec	Total Number of Vacancy: 2 students per month Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks maximum	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Limited	
Family Medicine & Continuing Care	Not taking in any students in 2022								
Gastroenterology & Hepatology		Total Number of Vacancy: 2 students at any one time Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks minimum, 4 weeks maximum	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Senior medical students if possible.

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Haematology	All year round (Case-by-case basis especially during festive season)	Total Number of Vacancy: 1 student per period Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks minimum, 4 weeks maximum	Limited	Limited	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	1. The department may accept 1 overseas student at any one point in time, provided our local electives intakes are few in number. 2. To gain a meaningful elective posting, the recommended period of posting is a minimum of 2 weeks.
Internal Medicine	AY 2022-2023 Please note exception of the following dates: 1st 2 weeks of June 1st 2 weeks of July 1st-3rd weeks of October 1st 2 weeks of November	Total Number of Vacancy: 2 students per period Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks maximum	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Neonatal & Developmental Medicine	Jan - Nov 2022	Total Number of Vacancy: 1 student at any one time Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 1 week minimum, 4 weeks maximum	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Possible	1. Medical Undergraduates who are enrolled in Universities recognised in the SMC listing. 2. Only Year 3 and above.
Neurology	24 Apr - 5 May 2023	Total Number of Vacancy: 2 students per period Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks maximum	No formal sessions	No formal sessions	No formal sessions	No formal sessions	No formal sessions	No	
Psychiatry	Unable to accept students between: - 22 Aug - 2 Sept, - 14 Nov - 25 Nov 2022	Total Number of Vacancy: 1 student per period Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 1 week minimum, 4 weeks maximum	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Should have completed Psychiatry posting before.
Rehabilitation Medicine	Not taking in any students in 2022								
Renal Medicine	All year round (limited availability from March to June)	Total Number of Vacancy: 1 student per month Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks minimum, 8 weeks maximum	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	All students are welcome.
Rheumatology & Immunology	25 Jul – 19 Aug	Total Number of Vacancy: 1 student per period Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks minimum, 4 weeks maximum	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Only Year 3 and above.
Respiratory Medicine	case-by-case	Total Number of Vacancy: 1 student per period Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks minimum, 4 weeks maximum	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Overseas student electives will be supported on a case-by-case basis.

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Surgery

Anaesthesiology	Not taking in any students in 2022								
Colorectal Surgery	All year round	Total Number of Vacancy: 2 students per period Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks minimum, 6 weeks maximum	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	May opt to participate or assist in a trial/ research.	
Otorhinolaryngology–Head & Neck Surgery	Jan - Jun	Total Number of Vacancy: 2 students per month Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks maximum	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Students who have made arrangements with senior staff can be hosted for elective in any period of choice so long as there is mutual agreement with students.
General Surgery		Total Number of Vacancy: 5 students per period Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks minimum, 4 weeks maximum	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Senior medical students, in their last couple of years of studies.
Hand & Reconstructive Microsurgery	All year round	Total Number of Vacancy: 2 students per month Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 1 week minimum, 4 weeks maximum	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Neurosurgery	From November 2022 onwards	Total Number of Vacancy: 2 students per month Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks minimum, 3 weeks maximum	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	
Obstetrics & Gynaecology	Feb & Jun	Total Number of Vacancy: 2 students at any one time Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks minimum, 4 weeks maximum	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Upon Request To discuss with individual consultant and depends on the duration of the posting	Only Year 4 and above.
Orthopaedic Surgery	All year round	Total Number of Vacancy: 5 students per month Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks minimum, 8 weeks maximum	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Plastic, Reconstructive & Aesthetic Surgery	All year round	Total Number of Vacancy: 2 students per period Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 3 weeks maximum	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	

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Urology	Avoid Jun and Dec 2022	Total Number of Vacancy: 2 students at any one time Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 1 week minimum, 2 weeks maximum	Limited	Limited	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Only Year 3 and above.
Upper GI and Bariatric Surgery	All year round	Total Number of Vacancy: 2 students at a time Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks minimum, 8 weeks maximum	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	

National Cancer Centre Singapore (NCCS)

Medical Oncology	All year round	Total Number of Vacancy: 2 students at any one time Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks minimum, 8 weeks maximum	Varies	Varies	Yes	Yes	Yes	Upon request	
Palliative Medicine		Total Number of Vacancy: 2 students at any one time Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks minimum, 4-8 weeks maximum (depending on number of visitors)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes (availability may be variable)	
Radiation Oncology	All year round	Total Number of Vacancy: 1 student at any one time Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 1 week minimum, 2 weeks maximum	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Limited Opportunities	Only Year 4 and above.
Surgical Oncology	All year round (limited availability on certain months)	Total Number of Vacancy: 2 students at any one time Minimum/ Maximum Duration: 2 weeks minimum, 4-8 weeks maximum	Yes / Limited	Yes / Limited	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	

National Heart Centre Singapore (NHCS)

Cardiology	<p>2023 (More periods in 2023 may be included at a later date) 20 Feb - 03 Mar 2023, 2 Weeks</p> <p>NOTE: NOT ACCEPTING ANY OVERSEAS STUDENTS BETWEEN MAR-JUN 2023</p>	<p>Total Number of Vacancy: 6 placements per period</p> <p>Minimum / Maximum Duration: 2 weeks maximum</p>	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	<p>1) Students who apply for at least 6 weeks research elective may concurrently apply for Clinical Elective. Please follow strictly to the periods as indicated in Column C with an add on of at least 4 weeks before or after.</p> <p>2) Clinical training will take precedence during clinical elective posting. Students are to only engage in scholarly project during their pockets of free time.</p>	<p>1) Induction materials will be given to students on the first day of the posting.</p> <p>2) Students to bring along White Coat & Stethoscope.</p> <p>3) Students are strongly encouraged to have a local mobile number (with data connection) for ease of communication during posting.</p> <p>4) Strictly no arrangement of any Cardiothoracic Surgery attachment session.</p>
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Cardiothoracic Surgery	<p>2023 (More periods in 2023 may be included at a later date) 09 Jan 2023 – 20 Jan 2023, 2 Weeks 20 Feb 2023 - 03 Mar 2023, 2 Weeks</p> <p>NOTE: NOT ACCEPTING ANY OVERSEAS STUDENTS BETWEEN MAR-JUN 2023</p>	<p>Total Number of Vacancy: 3 - 6 placements per period</p> <p>Minimum / Maximum Duration: 2 weeks maximum</p>	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	<p>1) Students who apply for at least 6 weeks research elective may concurrently apply for Clinical Elective. Please follow strictly to the periods as indicated in Column C with an add on of at least 4 weeks before or after.</p> <p>2) Clinical training will take precedence during clinical elective posting. Students are to only engage in scholarly project during their pockets of free time.</p>	<p>1) Year 2 and above.</p> <p>2) Induction materials will be given to students on the first day of the posting.</p> <p>3) Students to bring along White Coat & Stethoscope.</p> <p>4) Students are strongly encouraged to have a local mobile number (with data connection) for ease of communication during posting.</p> <p>5) Strictly no arrangement of any Cardiology attachment session.</p>

Singapore National Eye Centre (SNEC)

Ophthalmology	Not taking in any students in 2022
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