

Application Guide For Advance@NUS Programmes Applicants

SCALE Online Application Portal



Things to note before applying:

- 1. Read through the information on SCALE website at <u>Advance@NUS</u>.
- All information declared in your application MUST be supported with documents for verification. Any documents that are not in English must be accompanied by a certified English translation. Please have the necessary documents ready to upload. You will find the list of required documents under the section <u>How to Apply</u>. All documents should be in PDF format, not exceeding 1.5MB. Color copies are preferred.

Click on the links below for more information:		
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	+	
HOW TO APPLY	+	
ADMISSION TIMELINE	+	
TUITION FEES AND FINANCIAL AID		
ACCEPTANCE AND REGISTRATION INFORMATION		
SCHOLARSHIPS		
OTHER INFORMATION		
FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS +		

- 3. The **non-refundable** and **non-transferable** application fee of **\$\$53.50** (inclusive GST) is payable only via VISA, Mastercard, AMEX, Alipay or PayNow.
- 4. You are only allowed to apply for **ONE** full-time undergraduate degree programme.
- The application portal will close by the stipulated deadline indicated under the section <u>Admission Timeline</u>. Late applications will not be accepted.



Step 1: Begin your application

NUS National University of Singapore			
Advance@NUS			
New Application	Current Application		
Welcome to the Advance@NUS Application Portal!			
Application Period for August 2022 Intake: CLICK HERE TO APPLY 1 December 2021 (At 1:00am) to 28 February 2022 (at 12:00pm)			
Please read the User Guide carefully before starting your application.			
Please ensure that your information is entered correctly in the application form and you have all of the required supporting documents ready to be uploaded. You will find the list of required documents here. Any incorrect or incomplete information entered will delay the processing of your application. A non-refundable, non-transferable application fee is required to submit your application.			
This portal is best vie Google Chron Mozilla Firefox Microsoft Edg Safari version Internet Explo	ewed with the following browse the version 43 or later to version 42 or later e version 38 or later 9.0 or later rer 11 or later	Ers:	

- 1. Ensure you are using one of the compatible browsers as listed.
- Check that you are applying to the correct intake and take note of the application period stated.
 Any request for late submission of application after the application period will not be entertained.
- 3. Click CLICK HERE TO APPLY to begin your application.
- 4. Answer the following two questions to check your eligibility for the programme:

Instructions: Advance@NUS is for adults with work experience who have not previously earned a Bachelor's degree. Before you begin your application, we need to make sure you are eligible. Please answer the following questions:
a) Have you successfully completed and been awarded a Bachelor's degree? OYes ONo
b) Do you have at least four years of full-time working experience (excluding National Service)? OYes ONo



Step 2: Create your login password

ou are required to first create a	a password that will allow you to access your account in this application porta
our password must fulfill the	following rules:
linimum length of 12 character	S
Aust contain at least one upper	case letter
Aust contain at least one lower	case letter
Aust contain at least one number	
rust contain at least one sympt	Ji Email: *
	Elliali.
	Create Password: *
	Confirm Password: *

- 1. Enter your email address and create a password that fulfill the rules as stated. This password will be used to access the application portal.
- 2. Check the box and click Proceed.

Note: An email notification with your Application Number will be sent to your email address.

NUS National University of singapore			
Advance@NUS			
New Application Current Application			
Application Account Details	A confirmation of your new account has been sent to the email provided.		
Selection of Programme *	Application Details		
Personal Particulars *	Application Number CE22100006		
Contact Information *	Official Name Applicant		
Upload Identity Documents	NRIC/FIN Number Program Applied to		
National Service (NS) Information *	Application Status		
Professional Qualifications *	Application Status		
Personal Statement *	Your application is not yet complete. Please complete your application (sections to the left marked with a * need to be completed), and submit all required documents and the application fee.		
Referee *	If you have any further queries, please email to ApplytoAdvance@nus.edu.sg. Thank you.		
Academic Qualifications *			



Step 3: Login to your application and select your programme

NUS National University of Singapore	
Advance@	NUS
New Application	Current Application
To login to your current	application, please enter your Application Number and Password below. You may check your email for the Application Number. Application No.: * Password: *
	Login Forgot Password?

- 1. To continue your application, retrieve the Application number from your email mailbox.
- 2. Upon successful login, navigate to [Selection of Programme].
- 3. You are allowed to select only ONE full-time programme.

NUS National University of Singapore			
Advance@NUS			
New Application Current Appl	ication		
Application Account Details	Selection of Programme		
Selection of Programme *	The Advance@NUS application process considers the quality of your work experience: the level(s) of responsibility you have had, whether you have progressed in a job or career, and how you have responded to challenges. You provide this information to us by describing your positions, and also in open-ended questions.		
Personal Particulars *	Please take the opportunity to show us what makes you a great candidate. Your application will be read by multiple individuals, each of whom will evaluate the substance and quality of what you submit.		
Contact Information *	······································		
Upload Identity Documents	To begin, please select the programme you wish to apply to:* Please Select V		
National Service (NS) Information *	You will not be able to change this selection after you submit your application.		
Professional Qualifications *	Save		

IMPORTANT! Please click after completing each section for the portal to capture your records. Information will be lost if you proceed to the next section without saving your data.



Step 4: Provide your personal particulars

Advance@NUS			
New Application Current Ap	plication		
Application Account Details	Personal Particulars		
	First Name *		Last Name *
Selection of Programme *	E.g. Wee Kiang		E.g. Lim (Surname)
Personal Particulars *			(If you do not have a last name, please key in a minus(-) sign)
Contact Information *	Official Name (as in NRIC or passport) *		
Upload Identity Documents	E.g. Lim Wee Kiang		
National Ocasian (NO)	Date of Birth (dd/mm/yyyy) *		Place of Birth *
Information *		100 and	Please Select
Professional Qualifications *	Citizenship *		Passport Number *
Personal Statement *	Please Select	~	
	Type of NRIC *		
Referee *	Please Select	~	
Academic Qualifications *	Employment Pass Type/Valid Pass Type *		Foreign Identification Number (FIN) *
Next-of-Kin *	Please Select	~	
	Gender *		Marital Status *
Tuition Grant Scheme *	Please Select	~	Please Select
Declaration *	Race/Ethnic Group *		Religion *
	Please Select	~	Please Select

- 1. The *"Official Name"* must be as per NRIC/passport, i.e., if there is any special character in your name (e.g., comma), it should be included. *Hanyu Pinyin* is <u>not</u> required.
- 2. The "Last Name" refers to your Surname or Family Name.
- 3. For Singapore Permanent Residents (SPR), please select [S'PORE BLUE] under "Type of NRIC". Your "Citizenship" should follow the Nationality indicated at the back of your blue NRIC.





Step 5: Provide your contact information

Application Account Details	Contact Information
Selection of Programme *	Postal Address
Personal Particulars *	Block/House No * Street Name/Building Name * (Do not use short form) Unit No State/City
Contact Information *	Country * Postal Code
Upload Identity Documents	- Please Select V
National Service (NS) Information *	Email *
Professional Qualifications *	
Personal Statement *	Home Telephone * Handphone *
Referee *	country area number country area number country area number country area number
Academic Qualifications *	
Next-of-Kin *	Save

1. A **valid residential address** of your current residing home is required. It should be as per indicated at the back of your NRIC for Singapore Citizens and SPRs.

Note: If you have shifted house and have yet to update your NRIC, you are to submit a recent billing statement/letter that shows your full name and latest current address as supporting document to <u>scale.admissions@nus.edu.sg</u>.

- 2. A **valid contact number** must be provided for urgent matters. The country and area codes are **not** required if you are providing a Singapore number.
- 3. Click Save

Step 6: Upload your Identity Documents

- 1. For Singapore Citizens, please upload **Pink NRIC (front and back)** in PDF format.
- 2. For Singapore PRs, please upload **passport (biodata page)**, **Blue NRIC (front and back)**, and **Re-entry Permit** in PDF format.

3. Click Save



Step 7: Provide National Service (NS) information

Application Account Details	National Service
Selection of Programme *	National Service Status *
Personal Particulars	COWFLETED
Contact Information	Enlistment Date (dd/mm/yyyy) * Operationally-Ready Date (dd/mm/yyyy) *
Upload Identity Documents	Contract Service? *
National Service (NS) Information *	○ No ○ Yes
Professional Qualifications *	National Service (NS) Document
Personal Statement *	
Referee *	
Academic Qualifications *	Drag & drop files here
Next-of-Kin *	
Tuition Grant Scheme *	
Declaration *	
Check and Submit	Select file
Change Password	Save
Logout	

- 1. Select the appropriate status of your NS. Select [Not Applicable] if this is not relevant to you.
- 2. Applicants who have completed the 2 years NS liability are to indicate the ORD date as stated on your Certificate of Service (COS).
- 3. For applicants who are still serving your NS, select [Currently Serving] from the dropdown list. You are to ensure your ORD date is before the commencement date of the intake, and an official letter from MINDEF stating the enlistment date and expected ORD date is to be submitted.
- 4. For applicants who are regular officers (i.e., you are on a contract with MINDEF), select [Pensionable/Contract SAF/Civil Defence Officer] from the dropdown list and indicate [Yes] under "Contract Service". You must have served passed the 2-years liability, and an official letter from MINDEF with the enlistment date and expected Service Completion Date is to be submitted.
- 5. Applicants who have indicated **[Exempted]** in the application will need to submit the exemption letter.
- 6. Click Save



Step 8: Professional Qualifications

Application Account Details	Professional Qualifications		
Selection of Programme *	Your employment history is a critical part of your application. The information you provide here will be used in the selection process; please takes this opportunty to highlight your career.		
Personal Particulars *	We are interested in your employment history over the last 10 years. You are welcome to list positions held earlier if you feel they paint a more complete picture.		
Contact Information *	If you held different positions within the same company, use a new entry for each position. We want to know if you have advanced!		
Upload Identity Documents	For each position please list your primary responsibilities. You do not need to use complete sentences, but it is important that you provide as much information as possible about what you do.		
National Service (NS) Information *	We are interested in your career trajectory, and in obstacles or challenges you have faced professionally. If youhave been promoted, given a demanding project, or taken on a leadership role, please be sure to tell us about it.		
Professional Qualifications *			
Personal Statement *	Total work experience: 0 Months in last 10 years. (Minimum 48 Months) experience in last 10 years by term starts.		
Deferee *	Current Employment		
Releiee	Are you currently employed? * O No O Yes		
Academic Qualifications *			
Next-of-Kin *			
Tuition Grant Scheme *	Save		
Declaration *	Dravieve Employment		
Check and Submit	Previous Employment		
	Previous Position Add		
Change Password			
Logout			
	If there is an amployment ran, please tell us more. What did you do during the period you were not working?		
	n mere is an employment gap, please tell us more, what did you do during the period you were not working?		
	(Max. 400 characters) 0 / 400		
	Save		
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- 1. If you are currently <u>not</u> employed, select [No] and share what you have done since your last employment.
- 2. Ensure that the total employment (both current and/or Previous Employment) adds up to **4 years** (by term start).
- 3. If there is an employment gap (*e.g.: February 2019 to February 2020*), please share what you did during the period you were not working.



Current Employment			
Are you currently employed? *	○ No		
Title/Position *			
Current Job Position From (dd/mm/yyyy) *			
Company Name *			
(Max. 50 characters)			
Present Salary Range			
Please Select 🗸			
Note: This does not impact your application but provides a fuller picture of your employment history.			
Primary Job Responsibilities *			
(Max. 400 characters)	0 / 400		
Note, we suggest pullet points; you do not need to use complete sen	lences.		

4. Select **[Yes]** if you are currently employed. Under **Primary Job Responsibilities**, you do not need to write in complete sentences. Use the limited space to give us as much information as possible. Be specific about your role and duties.

Note: Title/Position should be similar to what is on your resume, LinkedIn page or business card.

5. Click Save



Step 9: Provide Two Personal Statements

Application Account Details	Personal Statement ?
Selection of Programme	This is one of the most important parts of your application. In this section, you will respond to two prompts. What you write here will help
Personal Particulars	us get to know you better and to understand your reasons for seeking an undergraduate degree at NUS. Please answer the questions in a clear, concise and well-organised manner. We read your responses carefully; the quality of your writing matters.
Contact Information	What is your motivation for coming to NUS? Why is this program of interest to you? How do you think it will help your career or affect your trajectory? Please focus on your interest in the Bachelor Of Computing (Computer Science), rather than on personal details or
Upload Identity Documents	employment information.* 💿
National Service (NS) Information	
Professional Qualifications *	
Personal Statement *	
Referee *	
Academic Qualifications *	(500 - 1000 characters) 0 / 1000
Next-of-Kin *	In this space, tell us about an interesting project you took on, an idea you had that was implemented, or a challenge you had to deal with
Tuition Grant Scheme *	in your job. Alternatively you may describe a problem at work that you would like to solve, and how you would go about solving it. If it was a group project/effort, please elaborate on your contribution. * 💽
Declaration *	
Check and Submit	
Change Password	
Logout	
	(500 - 1000 characters) 0 / 1000
	Save

- 1. Complete the personal statements with **at least 500 characters**.
- 2. Do **not** to keep the page idle for more than 20 minutes as there will be a time-out.
- 3. Use 🕜 ProTips to guide you along.
- 4. Click Save



Step 10: Provide Two Referees to support your Advance@NUS application

Application Account Details	Referee ?					
Selection of Programme	Please provide us with the names of two referees. One of them must be a current or previous supervisor, the other can be a supervisor or co worker.					
Personal Particulars	or co-worker.					
Contact Information	serve as your referees. For security reasons their email addresses must be work, not personal, addresses. We cannot accept @yahoo.com, @hotmail.com or other generic email addresses.					
Upload Identity Documents	Once you trigger your referee requests you will not be able to change who receives the request. However if a referee fails to respond					
National Service (NS) Information	within 5 days, the request will expire. At that point you may choose another referee, or try again with the original referee. The absence of referee reports may result in a delay in processing your application.					
Professional Qualifications *	Referee 1 Information 📀					
Personal Statement						
Referee *	Name of Referee * Company Name*					
Academic Qualifications *	Title/Position * Company Email*					
Next-of-Kin *						
Tuition Grant Scheme *	Mobile Number * Relationship to You * country area number					
Declaration *	country area number Please Select 🗸					
Check and Submit Change Password Logout	Once you click "Save and Send Email" an email will automatically be sent to your referee. You will not be able to change this referee for 5 days. Save Save					
	Referee 2 Information ?					
	Name of Referee * Company Name *					
	Title/Position * Company Email *					
	Mobile Number * Relationship to You *					
	country area number					
	country area number Please Select V					
	Country and area codes are not required for Singapore number					
	Once you click "Save and Send Email" an email will automatically be sent to your referee. You will not be able to change this referee for 5 days. Save Save and Send Email					

- 1. Personal email addresses are **not** permitted; you must provide professional email addresses for both of your referees (*e.g.: work company emails*).
- 2. Your referee will receive an automated email notification from NUS to submit a referee report after you click Save and Send Email. A link will be provided in the email.
- 3. Your referees will be prompted to verify their identity by using their mobile number that you have provided in your application. Hence, it is important that you check and ensure that you have entered the **correct mobile number**.
- 4. Please remind your referees that the link will **expire within 5 days** from the date you trigger the email.



Step 11: Provide education background

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Application Account Details	Academic Qualifications	
Selection of Programme	In this section please share your post-secondary educational history with us.	
Personal Particulars	Diploma	Add
Contact Information	Advanced Diploma	Add
Upload Identity Documents	Specialist Diploma	Add
National Service (NS) Information		Add
Professional Qualifications	Nitec/Higher Nitec Qualifications	Add
Personal Statement	University Education	Add
Referee	Note: Please provide details about ANY university-level coursework you have undertaken, even if not completed.	
Academic Qualifications *	Other Qualification	Add
Next-of-Kin *	Singapore-Cambridge GCE A Level/STPM or equivalent	Add
Tuition Grant Scheme *	IELTS	Add
Declaration *	PTE	Add
Check and Submit		
Change Password	SAT	Add
Logout	TOEFL	Add
	is upioma	Add

1. Click [Add] to enter details about your qualification.

Note: All documents, such as certificates and transcripts (including explanatory notes), must be uploaded for any qualifications declared in this section.

Step 12: Provide Next-of-Kin contact information

- 1. In case of emergency, your next-of-kin will be contacted. Hence, it is important that you provide a valid contact number. It can be a family member, a relative or a close friend.
- 2. The country and area codes are **not** required if you are providing a Singapore number.

3. Click Save



Step 13: Read and understand the Tuition Grant Scheme



- Select the checkbox to acknowledge that you have read and understood the Tuition Grant Scheme information and click save.
- 2. You can find out more details about Tuition Grant here.



Step 14: Complete the Declaration section truthfully

Application Account Dataila	Disabilities and Special Needs					
Application Account Details	Do you have any past or current 1) medical, e.g. epilepsy, allergies, tuberculosis, 2) mental health, e.g. anxiety, eating disorder,					
Selection of Programme	depression, 3) disability or learning needs, e.g. autism, dyslexia, visual impairment, which may or may not cause you to require support or facilities while studying at the University? •					
Personal Particulars	○ Yes ○ No					
Contact Information	Note: Disclosure will not disadvantage your application. The information will enable the University to develop a better understanding of					
Upload Identity Documents	to make the student experience a positive one. As such, accurate information is vital for the University to make reasonable adjustments where possible to support specific needs.					
National Service (NS) Information						
Professional Qualifications	Source of Information					
Personal Statement	How did you learn about this programme (select all that are applicable) *					
Referee	Nothing selected					
Academic Qualifications						
Next-of-Kin	Declaration					
Tuition Grant Scheme	1. Have you ever been convicted of an offence by a court of law or a military court (court martial) in any country, suspended or expelled from an educational institution or terminated from your employment for any reason, or are there any court or disciplinary proceedings					
Declaration *	pending against you in any country? *					
Check and Submit	O tes O NU 2. Are your currently or have you over been, charged with or subject to disciplingly action for any type of misconduct, exhelicitle or					
Change Password	2. Are you currently, or have you even been, charged with or subject to disciplinary action for any type or misconduct, scholastic or otherwise, at any Educational Institution? *					
Logout	○ Yes ○ No					
	3. Are you currently, or have you ever been, under investigation of subject to enquiry of any misconduct, scholastic or otherwise, at any Education Institute? *					
	○ Yes ○ No					
	4. Are you currently applying for admission to another degree programme offered by NUS or other local or overseas institution for the coming session? *					
	○ Yes ○ No					
	5. I agree to receive marketing, advertising and promotional information from NUS via postal mail, electronic mail, sms or mms and/or fax. *					
	○ Yes ○ No					
	6. I agree to receive marketing, advertising and promotional information from NUS at my telephone number provided above via voice call / phone call. *					
	○ Yes ○ No					
	I hereby declare that all information provided by me in connection with this application is true, accurate and complete. I understand that any inaccurate, incomplete or false information given or any omission of information required shall render this application invalid and NUS may at its discretion withdraw any offer of acceptance made to me on the basis of such information or, if already admitted, I may be liable to disciplinary action, which may result in my expulsion from NUS. And I hereby authorise NUS to obtain and verify any part of the information given by me from or with any source (such as Ministry of Education), as it deems appropriate.					
	I declare and warrant that for any personal data of other individuals disclosed by me in connection with this application, I have, prior to disclosing such personal data to NUS, obtained the appropriate consent from the individuals whose personal data are being disclosed, to permit NUS to collect, use and disclose such personal data for purposes related to this application, as set out fully in the Personal Data Notice & Consent.					
	I agree that all such information provided by me in connection with this application may be disclosed to authorised NUS personnel or third parties on a need-to-know basis for purposes related to this application, as set out fully in the Personal Data Notice & Consent. Third parties include (i) the Ministry of Education, other government agencies or statutory bodies or non-government agencies authorised to carry out specific Government services or duties and (ii) persons or organisations providing students with financial aid.					
	□ I have read and agree to the terms and conditions contained in the Personal Data Notice & Consent.					
	Save					

- 1. Select the checkbox to indicate that you have read and agree to the terms and conditions.
- 2. Click Save



Step 15: Check and Submit

Application Account Details	Check and Submit					
Selection of Programme	Selection of Programme					
Personal Particulars	Personal Particulars					
Contact Information	✓ Contact Information					
Upload Identity Documents	✓ Personal Particulars					
National Service (NS) Information	✓ Contact Information					
Professional Qualifications	✓ Upload a copy of your NRIC					
Personal Statement	✓ National Service (NS) Information					
Referee	Academic Qualifications					
Academic Qualifications	Professional Qualifications					
Tuition Grant Scheme *	✓ Referee					
Declaration	V Personal Statement					
Check and Submit	✓ Next-of-Kin					
Change Password	✗ Tuition Grant Scheme					
Logout	You have not declared.(Tuition Grant Scheme)					
	Declaration					
Submit						

- 1. Sections marked with an × are not yet complete. Revisit the sections to complete all required fields.
- 2. You can only submit your application once all sections are marked with a \blacksquare .
- 3. Click Submit to proceed.



Step 16: Final check on your application

Advance@	ynus					
New Application	Current Application					
Application Accoun	t Details	Application Number : CE22100008		Edit	Payment	Print
View and Print		Selection of Programme				
	I wish to apply for	Bachelor Of Com	puting (Computer Sc	ience)		
Change Password		Personal Particulars				
Logout		First Name	JOHN			

- 1. Check and ensure all details provided in the application are correct. At this point, you are still able to make changes to your application by clicking [Edit] at the top right corner.
- 2. To print or save a copy of your application for reference, click [Print].
- 3. If there are no changes to be made, click Payment to proceed and complete your submission.

IMPORTANT! Your application is NOT considered as submitted until you have completed the application and made payment for the application fee.

Once your application is submitted, NO changes can be made.



Step 17: Payment of Application Fee

Application Account Details	Payment of Application Fee			
Referee				
View and Print	Application Number	CE22100008		
view and i find	Official Name	JOHN SMITH		
Change Password	Address	IIII		
Logout		1 11 1 1		
	Course Applied	Amount to Pay		
	Bachelor Of Computing (Computer Science)	\$53.50		
	Total fee payable:	\$53.50		
	Please <u>DO NOT CLICK</u> back, reload/refresh or close the browser while payment is processing. Proceed to Payment			

- 1. Click Proceed to Payment and follow the instructions on the screen to complete your application fee payment.
- 2. You will be issued an e-receipt upon successful payment. A confirmation email and a copy of the e-receipt will also be emailed to you.

Payment Completed Thank you for making this payment				
Summary				
Payment Date: 4/11/2020 Your Receipt Number: Total Value: \$53.50 WR03004545 Payment Processed: \$53.50 WR03004545 Payment Reference No: ECOLL00005572 Please quote this number if you need to contact us for any reason Receipt Number: WR03004545 Please quote this number if you need to contact us for any reason Payment Method: Allpay Transaction Reference Number: 60980SOP5502107			reason.	
Receipt Description		Quantity	Unit Amount	Amount
SCALE Online Payment System Description: Advance@NUS Aug2021 Bachelor Of Engineering (Mechanical)		1	\$53.50	\$53.50
Amount Received				\$53.50
This is a system generated document "Subject to GST (7%) *Out of Scope for GS Refund Policy All fees paid are non-refundable and n	No signature is required. All amounts T #Zero Rated for GST non-transferable.	in SGD.		

NOTE: Your application will <u>only</u> be processed after the application fee is received. The application fee is <u>non-refundable</u> and <u>non-transferable</u>.