

2024 UASR “Global Youth Leadership” Summer Camp

Xi’an Jiaotong University
University Alliance of the Silk Road



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Xi’an Jiaotong University (XJTU), established in 1896, is a national key university directly administered by the Ministry of Education of China. In the 2023 ShanghaiRanking, **XJTU is ranked first in Western China**. As a comprehensive research university, the university includes 32 schools, nine undergraduate colleges, and three affiliated hospitals, offering a wide range of programs in science and engineering, medicine, economics, management, humanities, law, philosophy, art, education, and interdisciplinary studies.

The 2023 ShanghaiRanking’s Global Ranking of Academic Subjects places 38 XJTU disciplines on its list, with 23 in the global top 100, 11 in the top 50, and four in the top 10. **XJTU’s mechanical engineering has maintained the No. 1 position** for two consecutive years. The 2023 Essential Science Indicators ranked **XJTU’s engineering programs in the top 1%**. Both the Management School and the Law School at XJTU have achieved QS Five-Star accreditation. Today, XJTU boasts eight first-level national key disciplines, **eight national key laboratories**, ten national engineering and technology research centers, and two national innovation platforms fostering industry-education integration.

XJTU’s international education can be traced back to 1955. In 2013, XJTU was awarded the title of the “Demonstration Base for International Education in China” by the Ministry of Education of China. As of 2023, a total of 3,068 international students from 130 countries were studying at XJTU. Among these students, 2,906 were pursuing degrees, including 1,142 undergraduates, 863 master’s, and 901 doctoral students. **As of Spring 2024, XJTU holds the No. 1 rank for international degree education in Western China and is among the top 5 most popular institutions in China for international degree-seeking students.**

Located in Xi’an, one of the world’s four great ancient capitals, XJTU is nestled in a city that has been the cradle of Chinese civilization and the starting point of the Silk Road. The city’s rich history and vibrant culture, combined with XJTU’s academic strengths, contribute to a dynamic educational environment that attracts students and scholars worldwide.

I. Summer Camp Introduction

In 2015, XJTU initiated the “Silk Road University Alliance” (UASR), which now includes 179 higher education institutions across 40 countries and regions. Within the UASR framework, XJTU has hosted the “China-Central Asia Higher Education Cooperation Forum” and launched branded projects, such as the “UASR Summer Camp”, “Silk Road Youth Leaders Program”, and “Belt and Road Electric Power Engineering Workshop”. The XJTU “Belt and Road Industry and Education Alliance” focuses on key industry chains within the Belt and Road initiative, fostering an alliance that integrates industrial production, academia, and research to support the socio-economic development of all participating countries and regions.

The 2024 UASR Summer Camp is designed to cultivate global young leaders who are aware of the complexity of global issues and international challenges, and who possess the essential skills for effective communication and collaboration across diverse cultural and geographical boundaries within our increasingly interconnected global community. Drawing on XJTU’s leadership within the UASR and the resources of its I-Harbor campus, including eight national key laboratories, the camp will feature lectures by distinguished domestic and international scholars. Participants will have the opportunity to explore cutting-edge research fields, such as intelligent manufacturing, quantum mechanics, big data, 3D printing, and international laws. Nurturing friendships and mutual understanding through interactive sessions, the camp offers intercultural experiences that highlight the unique strengths of Chinese higher education.

II. Duration: July 17-24, 2024

III. Eligibility

1. Applicants are requested to submit a scanned copy of their valid ordinary foreign passport.
2. Individuals aged between 16 and 30 are welcome to apply.
3. Applicants are expected to be in good physical and mental health.

IV. Application Documents

Please provide the following application materials as required:

1. Photocopy of your passport
2. Curriculum vitae (CV)
3. Notarized copies of your high school academic transcripts
4. Behavior record issued by your current high school or university
5. Physical Examination Record for Foreigners. Please download the form at <http://sie.xjtu.edu.cn/en/2.pdf> and complete it in either Chinese or English. Applicants must undergo all the examinations as required by the form. Incomplete forms, or those without the doctor’s suggestion, signature, or the hospital’s seal will be considered invalid. The physical examination results are valid for six months.

V. Application Steps

To apply, please follow these steps:

1. Log into the online application system at <http://isso.xjtu.edu.cn/recruit/login>;
2. Choose the “Summer Camp” program;
3. Fill out the information and upload the required documents;
4. Click “Submit” to complete the application.

VI. Fees and Scholarships

Items	Fee (RMB)
Application Fee	500
Tuition & Accommodation Fees	3,000
Total	3,500

Please notes:

- The fees cover academic lectures, company visits, Chinese language courses, and cultural activities.
- If students arrive on time, airport transportation will be provided free of charge. The specific schedule will be stated in the Admission Notice.
- The accommodation fee includes a double room with a private bathroom; however, catering is not included.
- Upon evaluation, applicants with outstanding performance may be awarded scholarships at one of the following three levels.

1. First Prize: 3,500 RMB
2. Second Prize: 2,500 RMB
3. Third Prize: 500 RMB

VII Application Deadline: May 30, 2024

VIII Contact Information

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2024 UASR “Global Youth Leadership” Summer Camp Schedule (July 17 - 24, 2024)

Date	7/17	7/18-7/23	7/24
Arrangement	Arrival in Xi’an, airport pick-up, check in, campus card issuance, etc.	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Lecture Series by Leading Scholars: Renowned professors from XJTU are invited to present on cutting-edge topics, such as “Big Data and Scientific Innovation”, “Integration of Materials and Human Civilization”, “Innovation of 3D Printing and Industrial Revolution”, and “Economic Wisdom in Life”. These sessions will provide insights into academic trends and frontier research.2. Dialogue with Renowned Scholars: Participants will have the opportunity to engage in academic discussions with scholars and entrepreneurs from both domestic and international backgrounds.3. Visits to Leading Technology Enterprises: Participants will visit top Chinese high-tech companies, such as BYD and Shaanxi Automobile Holdings, to experience the advancement of science and technology and inspire innovative thinking for the future.4. International Youth Exchange Events: The camp provides a platform for exchanges between Chinese and international youth, promoting friendships through roundtable discussions and sports exchanges.5. Exploration of Traditional Chinese Culture: Participants will experience traditional Chinese culture by practicing Tai Chi and Dragon Dance and by learning to appreciate the city’s cultural heritage through visiting its historical sites.6. Chinese Language Courses and Cultural Workshops: XJTU lecturers will offer participants Chinese language courses along with Chinese painting, Chinese calligraphy, and other cultural activities.	Commencement

