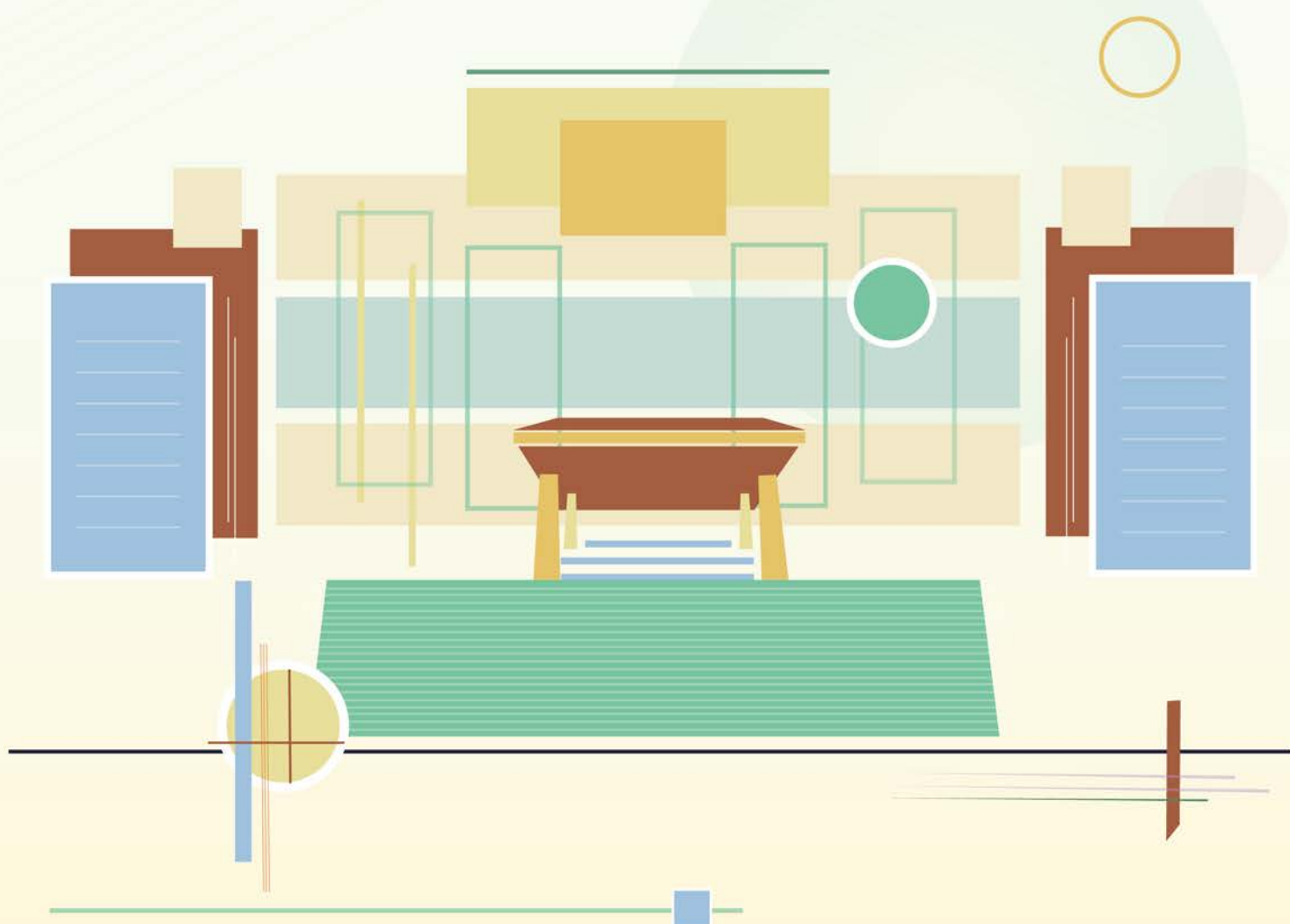




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# WELCOME TO XJTLU



## MESSAGES FROM PRESIDENTS

### Dear Students,

Welcome to Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University (XJTLU)!

We hope that the summer sun not only marks the end of your high school journey but also energizes you for the upcoming university life.

At XJTLU, we regard students as young adults. You must bravely step out of your parents' protection, actively face various challenges such as developing proactive learning skills, balancing academics and extracurricular activities, getting along with roommates and classmates, and resisting the temptation of excessive online gaming, among others. You should learn to take responsibility for yourself, your family, and society. Transitioning from a child to an adult is challenging and sometimes painful, but it is precisely the fertile ground for growth.

XJTLU's core philosophy is "happy life and successful career," aiming to nurture students into global citizens with international perspectives and competitiveness. However, the realization of this philosophy and goal relies on your comprehensive development, various skills training, and personal growth during your time here. The university has established a "Five-Star" education model that adapts to global development trends and needs, integrating Eastern and Western wisdom, culture, and educational essence. We continuously strengthen our education philosophy focused on students' healthy growth, interest-driven and learning-centered approach, advocating for research-led learning. Obtaining dual degrees is merely a by-product of your studies; the lifelong benefits include your healthy development and the ability to utilize XJTLU's international learning environment and global educational resources to

enhance your lifelong learning capabilities, integrate and apply knowledge to solve problems, and improve your abilities in innovation, collaboration, and execution, especially your leadership in navigating the complex and ever-changing future world.

Under the influence of long-term exam-oriented education, parental protection, and "spoon-fed" teaching methods, you may be accustomed to passive learning: listening to teachers, memorizing knowledge points, and excelling in exams. This learning habit is not conducive to training the skills needed for the future. In order to address increasingly complex and pressing global challenges—especially the reshaping of human life and society by AI—you must strive to shift from passive learning to active learning, learn in collaboration with AI, and gradually transition toward research-oriented learning, "challenging" teachers and existing knowledge, enhancing classroom interaction and teamwork, actively participating in various innovations and practices, adapting to diverse teaching methods, and proactively using the "four-in-one" mentor system of Academic Advisors, Development Advisors, External Mentors, and Buddies, as well as various opportunities, resources, and the One-stop Student Service Centre for support.

To cultivate elite talents with curiosity, critical thinking, creative behavior, complex minds, lifelong learning, and cross-cultural leadership skills, XJTLU has developed and innovated its unique educational system by integrating the flexibility of American education, the quality control system of British education, and the foundational emphasis of Chinese education.

The XJTLU 1.0 model has upgraded the globally popular programme-based education system, initially forming an innovative "International Professional

Elite" training model. The sixteen cohorts of graduates to date have delivered outstanding performances, proving the feasibility and high quality of this educational model.

Facing the challenges of the era of digitalisation and AI, XJTLU remains true to its original aspirations and focuses on the future. Continuing to deepen and perfect the 1.0 model, XJTLU has pioneered the new "Syntegrative Education (SE)" or XJTLU 2.0 model. This model aims to train "International Industry Elites" who can stand on the shoulders of AI and robotics to lead new industries, and it explores new concepts for future universities and campus forms. SE integrates general education, programme-based education, industry education, management, and entrepreneurship education, merging campus learning, corporate practice, industry leadership, and social development to cultivate international industry elites with solid professional foundations, deep industry expertise, strong cross-cultural leadership, and entrepreneurial spirit, skilled in imagination and integrative innovation, thereby helping students to pioneer new industries and grow into talents capable of quickly integrating into society and taking the lead in their fields. In 2022, a brand-new international campus supporting symbiosis, syntegeation, innovation, and entrepreneurship was established in Taicang, Suzhou. Seven industry-themed schools were created, and to date, three cohorts of graduates have confidently stepped into society, demonstrating through their outstanding performance the value of the SE model, and significantly expanding the scope of XJTLU's educational exploration.

On the 15th anniversary of its establishment, XJTLU has fully launched its 3.0 model, deeply exploring how universities can integrate into society, leverage various resources, and create an industrial innovation



# WELCOME TO XJTLU

ecosystem linked by education. The flagship projects of the established XJTLU 3.0 model include: XJTLU Wisdom Lake Academy of Pharmacy, Academy of Future Education, Academy of Film and Creative Technology, XJTLU - JITRI Academy of Industrial Technology, and its innovation platforms: XJTLU AI Innovation Alliance, College of Industry-Entrepreneurs, X-Eco Mall and the XJTLU Advanced Materials Research Center, the Post-Quantum Migration Interdisciplinary Lab, and the Institute for Low Altitude Innovation along with a series of other newly launched interdisciplinary innovation centres, aiming to play the role of a “catalyst” and “adhesive” in cooperation with governments, international industries, financial alliances, and social resources to provide you with a richer and more outstanding immersive learning, research, and practical environment.

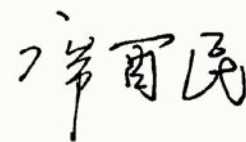
To support your learning experience and the effective implementation of the three different educational models, XJTLU established the Learning Mall in 2020. This initiative leverages XJTLU’s world-class campus environment and advanced technology to integrate excellent global online educational resources and providers, achieving a deep integration of on-campus and off-campus, online and offline resources to support interest-driven and personalized lifelong learning for students and society at large.

To ensure the continuous upgrade of XJTLU’s education, promote personalized learning and teaching innovation, and implement more flexible credit education, XJTLU launched the Extended Study Scheme (ESS) in 2022, allowing you to choose programmes according to your life plans and design your learning journey based on personal interests, further unlocking your potential and embarking on a more spectacular life.

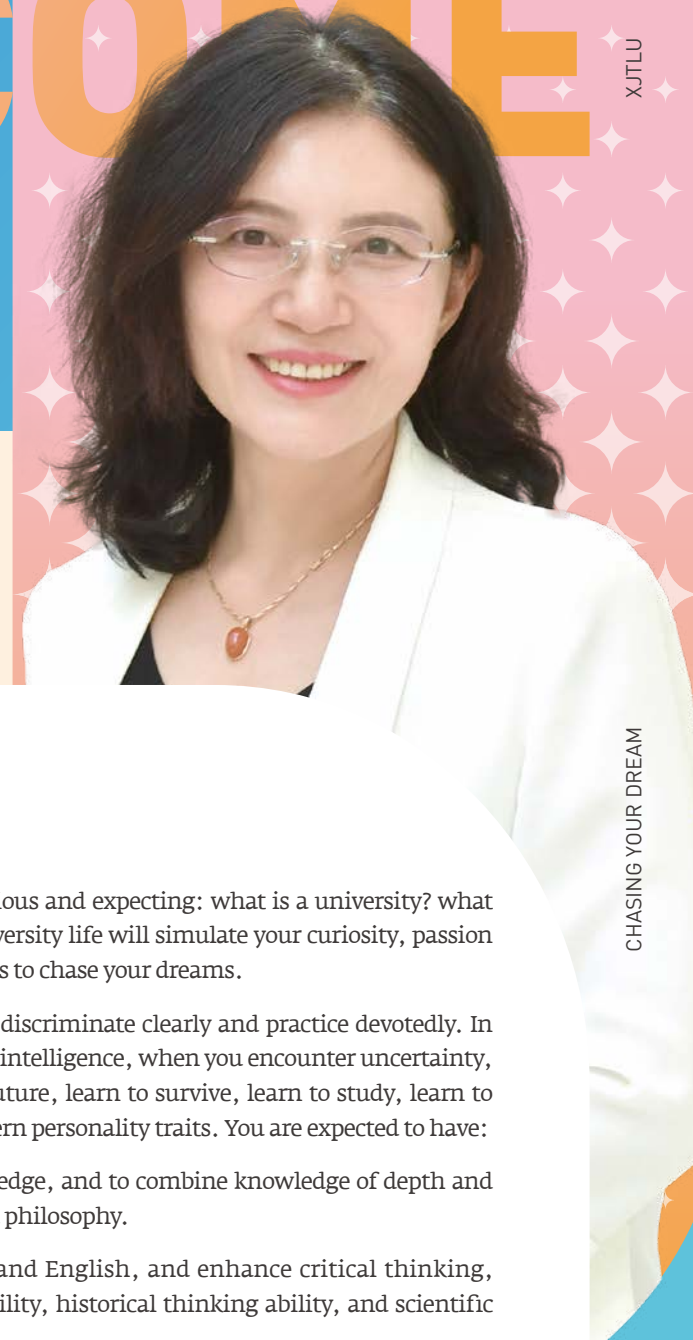
Facing the era of artificial intelligence and robotics, XJTLU has, based on many years of “digitalization” exploration, comprehensively reviewed, innovated, and upgraded existing teaching and support systems through the “Education+AI” project initiated in 2024, and integrated into society to carry out “+AI” cross-industry projects, aiming to lead educational innovation and industrial transformation from dimensions of educational systems, organizational management, and cooperation among industry, academia, government, and society.

In summary, XJTLU will provide you with a stage for growth and self-expression, assisting you in achieving a transformation across three dimensions and nine aspects: from a child to a young adult and then to a global citizen; from passive learning to active learning and then to research-led learning; from blind learning to interest-driven learning and then to valuing life planning. These transformations will benefit you for a lifetime. At XJTLU, the more proactive you are, the more you will gain.

We hope you quickly adapt to the new environment and enjoy a fulfilling and meaningful university life at XJTLU!



PROFESSOR YOUMIN XI  
EXECUTIVE PRESIDENT, XI'AN JIAOTONG-LIVERPOOL UNIVERSITY  
PRO-VICE-CHANCELLOR, UNIVERSITY OF LIVERPOOL



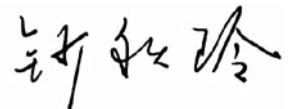
## Dear Students,

Welcome to Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University (XJTLU).

Now, you are drawing the curtain of a new life. You must be curious and expecting: what is a university? what can a university do for me and for society? My answer is this: university life will simulate your curiosity, passion and thirst for knowledge. It will empower you to spread your wings to chase your dreams.

Strive to learn extensively, inquire thoroughly, ponder carefully, discriminate clearly and practice devotedly. In the era of globalisation, digitisation, internetisation and artificial intelligence, when you encounter uncertainty, ambiguity, complexity and unpredictability, learn to face your future, learn to survive, learn to study, learn to pledge, learn to create and become an innovative talent with modern personality traits. You are expected to have:

- Knowledge: be able to integrate disciplinary and general knowledge, and to combine knowledge of depth and breadth in natural sciences, social sciences, literature and art, and philosophy.
- Capability: improve oral and writing skills in both Chinese and English, and enhance critical thinking, aesthetic appreciation, quantitative and qualitative reasoning ability, historical thinking ability, and scientific analysis ability.
- Responsibility: improve self-management and social responsibility, enhance ethical and moral sense, develop cross-cultural, inter-ethnic understanding and cognitive skills, be tolerant, generous, charitable, compassionate, and grateful.
- Personality: be active, positive and optimistic, maintain curiosity and keep an open mind, adapt to diverse and changing cultural environments, find the inner strength to deal with challenges and take opportunities.
- Behaviour: integrate your knowledge and practice, commit your pledge, be confident, independent and disciplined, be able to apply knowledge to new problems, and foster a creative awareness, innovative ability and habits.



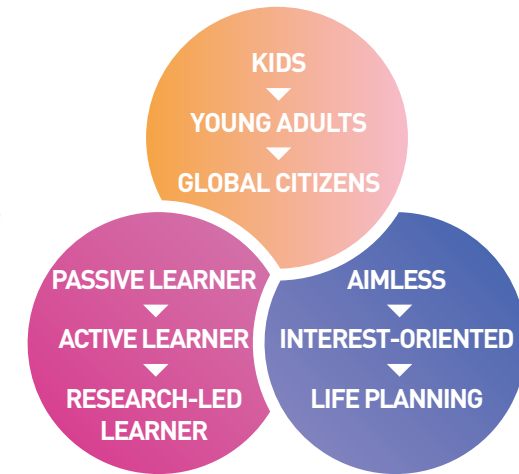
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# EDUCATION MODE

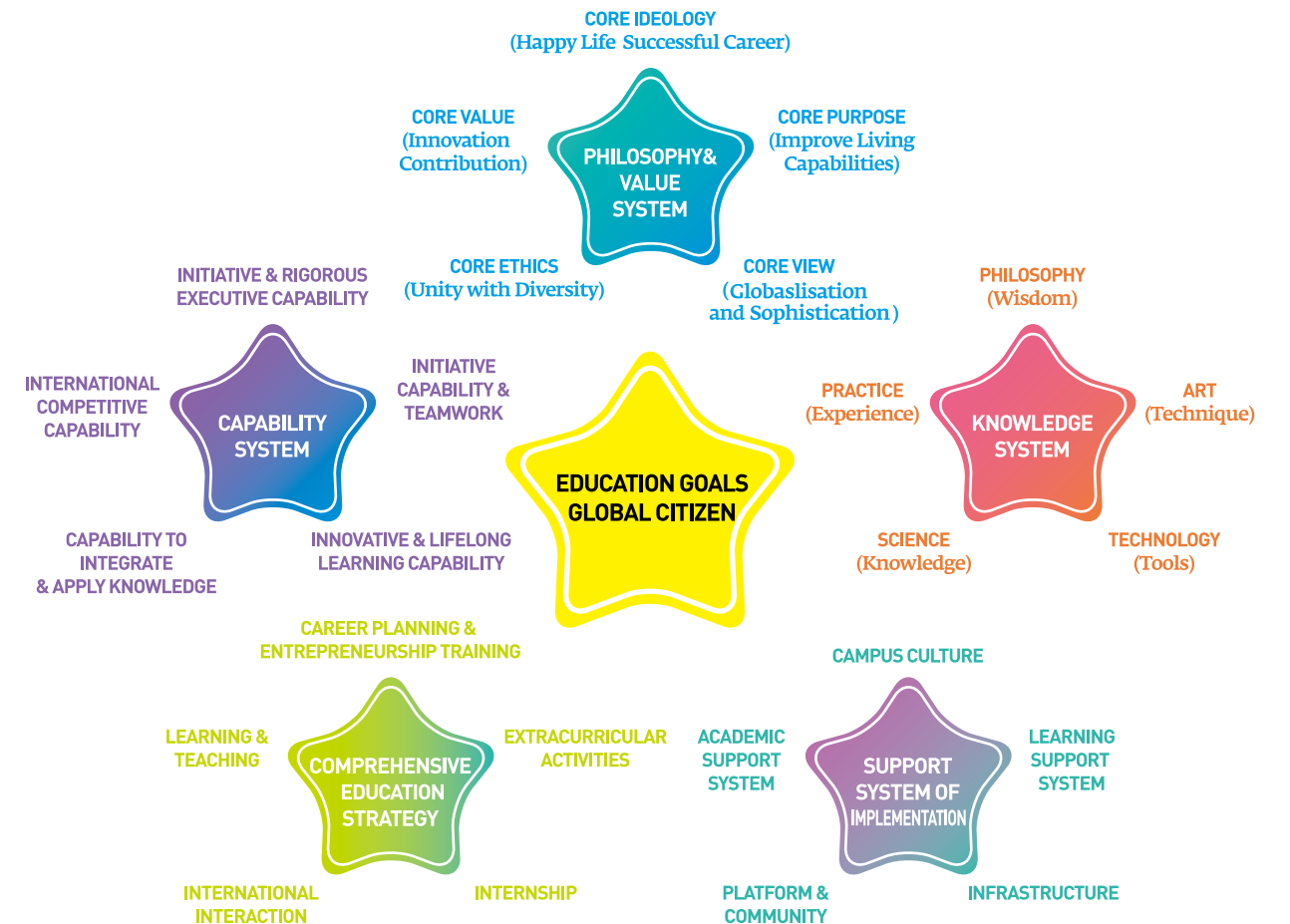


## PRESIDENT XI SAYS XJTLU HELPS STUDENTS ACHIEVE THREE TRANSFORMATIONS!



## XJTLU FIVE-STAR EDUCATION MODEL

For Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University students, the transformation to 'young adults' is just the first step. The mission of XJTLU is to cultivate students to be 'global citizens'. One of the core parts of becoming global citizens is to equip themselves with international competitiveness. After constant explorations, XJTLU has put forward three systems, namely the Philosophy & Value System, the Capability System, and the Knowledge System, which represent students' development and growth in three dimensions. To achieve this goal, we combine the best of eastern and western education models, resulting in a Comprehensive Education Strategy and Support System of Implementation. Because of the pentagram presentation, the education model is outlined as the "Five-Star Education Model." (See details below)





## “FOUR-IN-ONE” MENTOR SYSTEM

### ACADEMIC ADVISOR

How should you plan your four years of university study and research? Should you pursue a master’s degree or aim directly for a PhD? What if you find another major more interesting? What should you do if you fail an exam? These are the questions students often discuss with their Academic Advisors after knocking on their office doors.

“Never fear AI. Instead, stand on its shoulders. Your thinking, your methods, and your ability to innovate - these are the true things you will take away from university.”

— **Professor Eng Gee Lim**

Academic Advisor, School of Advanced Technology (SAT) and Academy of Artificial Intelligence (AOA)

ACADEMIC ADVISOR:  
**SEVENTEEN YEARS OF DEDICATION BY A  
STAR EDUCATOR**



### STUDENT DEVELOPMENT ADVISOR

The international style of the university means that you are welcome to communicate with Development Advisors (DAs) if you are having any doubts regarding your life or development. DAs will bring together resources from across the whole university to give you appropriate advice and assistance based on respect for and trust in you. Meanwhile, DAs will leave space for your free development, rather than interfering excessively in your life.

“Student Development Advisors are more like ‘runners of a marathon’, we are not ‘managing’ you or ‘leading’ you to go, but accompany and guide each runner to grow along the way.”

— **Mrs. Hualin Yang**

Student Development Advisor

STUDENT DEVELOPMENT ADVISOR  
**“COLLEGE IS A MARATHON, AND YOU NEED  
RUNNERS TO GROW WITH YOU.”**



### EXTERNAL MENTOR

The XJTLU External Mentor Project is a vital pillar of Xi’an Jiaotong-Liverpool University’s unique educational system. Its original purpose is to assist students during the critical transition from campus to society. By bridging gaps in real-world experience, it provides students with practical wisdom and guidance from industry professionals.

Mentors, with their rich career insights and life experiences, empower students with clarity and motivation, fostering continuous growth in competencies, knowledge, skills, and judgment. This prepares them to seamlessly integrate into society and extend their development to broader life and career stages.

Initiated in 2009, the XJTLU External Mentor Project, underpinned by the ethos of ‘Light and Wings’, operates under the guiding principle of ‘Walk with the outstanding person, be outstanding’. Its mission is to establish meaningful connections between students and distinguished professionals from a wide array of societal sectors. Presently, the project encompasses over 1,500 elite mentors from diverse professional backgrounds.

The project facilitates personalised support, shares valuable industry resources, fosters university-corporate collaborations, enhances the integration of industry with education, and offers access to both research and practical projects, among extensive other practical activities.

Through these comprehensive strategies, it aims to impart practical experience and industry insights, providing students with varied mentorship and extensive growth opportunities. Their guidance helps students gain early exposure to industry trends, accumulate hands-on experience, and build essential resources and capabilities, laying a solid foundation for future career success.

“Approaching XJTLU External Mentors, you will gain not only advice and insights but also opportunities to discover the best version of yourself. “The life experience shared by an external mentor may be even more invaluable. I am willing to work with you to create a better tomorrow!”

— **External Mentor Dingding Han**

Joined the XJTLU External Mentor Program in 2021, Fudan University

EXTERNAL MENTORS:  
**WALK WITH THE OUTSTANDING PERSON, BE OUTSTANDING.**



### BUDDY PROGRAMME

The Buddy Programme at XJTLU assists new students in adapting to university life through peer mentoring while building a platform for cross-cultural engagement.

Chen Weiye, a first-year student majoring in Applied Mathematics, initially found calculus and linear algebra challenging. “At the beginning, I couldn’t understand much in class. So I kept ‘bothering’ my big buddy - often sending her questions on WeChat even when she was relaxing - but she always responded patiently.”

“Thanks to this new approach, freshmen can now receive well-rounded support from multiple big buddies.”

BUDDY PROGRAMME  
**“BRINGING DEVELOPMENTAL OPPORTUNITIES TO EACH OTHER.”**





## ACADEMIC ADVISOR

All academic staff act as Academic Advisors to a certain group of designated students in their schools. Your Academic Advisor is expected to be available for at least one hour per week to answer your queries as responsibilities advisees. Their roles are mainly:

- to advocate for you if you are in serious personal or academic difficulty
- to provide references for you as appropriate
- to support you in fulfilling the requirements of work placements and sign off of these placements
- to answer questions and give advice to their advisees about their academic and career development, such as selections on optional modules, Extended Study Scheme (ESS) modules and the undergraduate programme of study
- to discuss any prolonged or recurrent absences or lack of engagement

During Stage 1, your Academic Advisor will be a Stage 1 language or mathematics teacher. After the Programme Choice event in Semester 2, when you are admitted into a programme of your choice, your Academic Advisor will be an academic staff member from the School that your programme of study belongs to.

You can check your Academic Advisor’s information on the programme and module page of e-Bridge. Communications between you and your Academic Advisor are, in the first instance, confidential. Where there is any concern about the health or safety of the student or of other members of the university community, the Academic Advisor may share the information with the relevant office on campus for follow-up.

## STUDENT DEVELOPMENT ADVISOR

### Dear Students

Welcome to Xi’an Jiaotong-Liverpool University!

A brand-new chapter of university life is about to begin. Are you full of anticipation? The Student Development Advisor at XJTLU will accompany you throughout your academic journey, offering comprehensive support and guidance. We’re here to help you transition smoothly from high school to university, and to ensure your time at XJTLU is both fulfilling and unforgettable.

### YOUR DEDICATED DEVELOPMENT ADVISOR: A MENTOR AND ALLY THROUGHOUT YOUR UNIVERSITY LIFE.

At XJTLU, every student will have a dedicated Development Advisor. Development Advisors (DAs) are mentors, friends, and a reliable support system. Like a trusted ‘old friend’, your DA will accompany you through every stage of university, sharing experiences, helping you overcome difficulties, and offering guidance. We will pay attention to your overall performance, fully understand your learning and living situations, guided by XJTLU’s ‘Three Transformations’, support your personal development, and provide timely feedback.

### THE ‘THREE TRANSFORMATIONS’: LIGHTING THE WAY ON YOUR UNIVERSITY JOURNEY

University life marks the critical stage for achieving the ‘Three Transformations.’ As one of the four key roles in XJTLU’s holistic advising system, Development Advisors aim to guide students through this transformative process by acting as:

- Advisors who help you navigate your growth journey
- Coordinators who connect you with various university resources, and
- Experts who provide professional, student-centred support.

To help you achieve these ‘Three Transformations’, we offer the following support:

#### INDIVIDUAL SUPPORT

Focusing on the overall performance of individual students at XJTLU, we have a comprehensive understanding of students’ life and learning during your school years, and support students and give you feedback to help you grow with the guiding principle of ‘Three Transformations’ of XJTLU. We provide a variety of opportunities for outstanding students to expand their abilities and motivate them to develop. We provide specialised support for students facing challenges, including academic risks (missing exams, failing classes, repeating modules) , school integration, interpersonal interactions, etc., and work together with the faculty to support students’ growth and development in both life and academics.



COMMUNITY CONSTRUCTION	We help students build their communities through the schools and classes. Through various support programmes, themed class meetings, class activities, and workshops in their schools, we enrich the students’ experience at school, take the lead in new student orientation and graduation education, and form an integrated support system.
RESOURCE INTEGRATION	Integrate various student service and support resources at the school and university levels, and establish a collaborative system with Academic Advisors, External Mentors, and peer mentors (first-year students) to jointly provide support for student growth.
CAREER SUPPORT	According to the features of students in different schools, majors and stages, we recommend a variety of career development services and resources for students, as well as coordinate workshops on further education and employment, and provide one-on-one evaluation, interview and resource recommendation services for students in their last year and alumni within 6 months of graduation.
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT	Student Development Advisors respond to emergency cases according to the emergency procedures of the university.

To learn more, or contact your Development Advisor, please visit e-Bridge. For inquiries about XJTLU’s Student Development Advice Centre, please contact [sda@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:sda@xjtlu.edu.cn).

We look forward to meeting you at XJTLU!

## THE XJTLU EXTERNAL MENTOR PROJECT

The XJTLU External Mentor Project was initiated in 2009 with the aim of empowering students to improve their social adaptability through practical guidance from industry elites. Over 1,500 mentors assist students in gaining industry knowledge and accumulating resources through personalised mentoring, resource sharing, and university-enterprise cooperation, enabling a seamless transition from campus to society. The project adheres to the philosophy of ‘Walk with the outstanding person, be outstanding’, to enhance students’ comprehensive growth.

XJTLU EXTERNAL MENTOR-STUDENT ONLINE MUTUAL-SELECTION	The XJTLU External Mentor-Student Online Mutual-Selection is conducted at the beginning of each semester, open to students from the first year to the postgraduate level. Through this mutual selection process, exclusive mentoring relationships are established, creating diversified and personalised guidance opportunities.	
THE NAVIGATION SERIES: ON-CAMPUS LECTURES	The Navigation Series activities, themed ‘Piloting Your Career Path, Charting Your Future’, invite External Mentors to campus for industry sharing sessions and face-to-face discussions. These events facilitate in-depth conversations about the past, present and future of various industries whilst exploring endless practical and entrepreneurial opportunities together.	
XJTLU EXTERNAL MENTOR RESEARCH OR PRACTICAL PROJECT	The XJTLU External Mentor Research or Practical Project provides students with research or practical opportunities based on mentors’ professional expertise and work experience. These projects immerse students in the latest industry trends and research developments whilst helping them accumulate career-critical skills. By integrating academic knowledge with practical work requirements, mentors guide students to participate in real work scenarios for experiential learning and growth.	
ABOVE CLOUD—EXTERNAL MENTOR ONLINE 1V1 CONSULTATION	Above Cloud is a one-on-one online career consultation activity launched by the XJTLU Career Centre. Each session invites several external mentors to open consultation slots in the mentor consultation section of the XJTLU Career Centre website. Students can access personalised online consultations to obtain cutting-edge industry information, graduation direction guidance, career interest development, and customised career planning advice.	
MORNING STAR CAREER CONSULTATION MENTOR GROUP	The Morning Star Career Consultation Mentor Group invites external mentors to the XJTLU Career Centre, providing students with opportunities for face-to-face communication with elites from various fields. Catering to the diverse needs of students from different majors, weekly consultation themes are set and open to all students, offering professional, customised and in-person guidance.	



## BUDDY PROGRAMME

Since its establishment in 2009, the Buddy Programme has embodied a heartwarming tradition that transcends time through the playful terms 'Big Buddies' and 'Little Buddies' terms that symbolise the intergenerational bond of support. Operated by the Buddy Programme Executive Committee (BPEC), a student-led organisation, this peer initiative constructs a comprehensive growth network spanning academics, daily life, and culture through four support systems: local buddy, class buddy, overseas buddy and alumni buddy. Each academic year at the start of term, Big Buddies act as guides, accompanying Buddies through the 'three transformations'. Their support includes full-English course adaptation guides, Suzhou living handbooks, and cross-cultural exchange insights, all designed to facilitate this transitional journey. As President Youmin Xi noted, the 'Buddy Programme means walking alongside friends, fostering mutual aid for shared growth, and achieving common prosperity through symbiosis.'

This vision comes to life in countless moments: when international freshmen receive handwritten welcome cards at the airport, or when local students share Mid-Autumn traditions at cultural salons. More than a one-way assistance model, this reciprocal journey of growth bridges distances and cultures - Malaysian students bringing Jiangnan tea snacks back to their homeland, British exchange students greeting others with the Suzhou dialect '侬 好' and countless Little Buddies eventually evolving into Big Buddies themselves. Together, they weave XJTLU's unique international humanistic bond, where every connection nurtures both individual growth and collective belonging.

### LOCAL BUDDY

Before the first year students enroll, local buddy, as the local seniors, answer questions and overcome doubts for the freshmen in the official QQ group of the student hometown and help everyone understand the study and life of XJTLU in advance.

### CLASS BUDDY

After the first year freshmen enrolment, the Class Buddies guide the freshmen to familiarise themselves with the campus, adapt to XJTLU, and answer various questions they have after entering XJTLU.

The Buddy Programme provides several big buddies for each administrative class to help freshmen adapt to university life smoothly. In order to make it easier for freshmen to participate in campus tours and other activities, we randomly assign a big buddy to each freshman. The freshmen will receive information such as the name and email address of the big buddy from the Buddy Programme Executive Committee ([Buddy@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:Buddy@xjtlu.edu.cn)) before the start of semester. We strongly encourage all freshmen to take the initiative to send the first greeting email to their big buddy and open a new chapter exclusive to you!

### TIPS FROM THE BUDDY PROGRAMME

Big buddies are a group of volunteers who are eager to help the younger students. They are not only the peer mentors of the freshmen, but also experienced seniors.

So how should a freshman start the first step of friendship with the big buddies?

- **Respect:** respect means acceptance and equality. Polite manner and appropriate content are the first steps in learning how to socialise with peers.
- **Sincerity:** sincerity is based on the concern and love for each other, and it is also based on the conditions of self-acceptance, self-confidence and humility. When we care about each other with sincerity, we will often reap corresponding care.
- **Empathy:** put yourself in the shoes of others to understand the mood and viewpoint of the person concerned. As a little buddy, we accept the care and love of the big buddy, but perhaps they also need the encouragement and understanding of the younger students. Caring is never one-sided, but a virtuous circle that goes both ways.

We hope that everyone can find a guide to accompany them in the atmosphere of universal love, and become a confident, diverse and free global citizen in the upcoming university life.

# BUDDY



## UNDERSTAND EACH OTHER, HELP EACH OTHER.



### BUDDY DAY

The Buddy Programme encourages 'Big buddies' and 'Little buddies' to help each other. We can enjoy the autumn scenery of XJTLU together, look forward to the first snow in Suzhou together, and write our first wishes to each other etc. The day between big and little buddies is there and is 'Buddy Day.'

## BECOME REAL BUDDIES



### BUDDY DECOMPRESSION GROCERY STORE:

Whenever the end of term is approaching, the Buddy Programme will set up a buddy unzip grocery store around campus. Decompression dolls, free hugs, sending messages to each other are examples. They will relieve the pressure of students before the exams and help them free themselves from the exams.

In addition to the activities organised by the Buddy Programme Executive Committee, we also encourage big and little buddies to meet in various places: Suzhou gardens, libraries, sports fields. All have friendly figures of big and little buddies. In order to commend their dedication, President Xi will also write a letter of thanks to all the buddies this year.



# BUDDY

### OVERSEAS BUDDY

Overseas buddies serve overseas students at XJTLU, helping them adapt to the new life and culture in China as quickly as possible. The Buddy Programme organises exchange activities such as the overseas student welcome party for overseas students and buddies, allowing students to experience different worlds in the happy collision of multiculturalism.



### ALUMNI BUDDY

Alumni buddy refers to students who have graduated and used to be XJTLU buddies. After graduation, they will actively share their experiences with XJTLU students to help them grow.

Adhering to the culture of a 'Pan-loving Public', the Buddy Programme is committed to passing on the concept of mutual help among peers. Every April, the Buddy Programme will recruit a new class of buddies. At that time, the little buddies will become experienced seniors to provide support and help to the next batch of freshmen, so that the spirit of mutual help will be passed on. Every year, there are many heart-warming stories between buddies and freshmen, and they realise self-growth through the mutual help of peers.

2025 Buddy Story  
'Once Warmed by Others' Light, We Now Strive to Glow.'

'When the Silk Road Meets Mauritius: Two Big Buddies  
Overseas Diary of Breaking Down Barriers.'

We believe that with the joint efforts of big and little buddies, the culture of the Pan-loving Public will fill the campus. The Buddy Programme is a mutual help as a torch, a peer inheritance.

For more information about the Buddy Programme, please scan to follow our WeChat official account of the Buddy Programme Executive Committee:





# CAMPUS LIFE

## YOU STOP, WE HELP.

Dear Students,

Congratulations and welcome to XJTLU. This is the One-Stop Student Service Centre, the first source for answers about your subsidy scholarship, household, student archive and other non-academic affairs. Make the One-Stop your first stop! Scan the two QR codes to submit your application and to obtain an electronic copy of Student One-stop FAQs.



Scan us to submit your application



E-book of Student One-stop FAQs

## STUDENT ONE-STOP

### WHAT IS THE ONE-STOP STUDENT SERVICE CENTRE?

Since its establishment in 2009, the One-Stop Student Service Centre has been committed to providing excellent services and support to all students and aims to create an efficient communication channel for students, parents, and the university, and to various departments within the university.

It covers services like consultation, on-campus affairs, and other related issues. You can find the solutions to most Non-academic problems here.

### THE SERVICES AT THE ONE-STOP STUDENT SERVICE CENTRE

Generally speaking, our service is divided into two parts: consultations and applications.

The consultation service accepts any non-academic enquiries related to the university. If you are confused or in difficulty, contact us and we can give you initial assistance and refer you to appropriate specialist teams if necessary. You may also refer to FAQs collected on the One-Stop office website.

Application services are listed in detail as below.

- Medical Insurance
- Household Transfer Application and Student Archive Application
- Student ID Card Replacement
- Student Booklet Registration and Replacement Application
- Rooms and Facilities Booking for Student Organisations
- Non-academic Scholarship & Subsidy Application (Please see the relevant item in Appendix)
- Provincial and University Appraisal

Additionally, the One-Stop Student Service Centre receives suggestions and complaints. Any suggestion or complaint will be welcomed and responded to in a timely manner by us.

### HOW CAN I USE THE ONE-STOP STUDENT SERVICE CENTRE?

You may get help from the One-Stop Student Service Centre in the following ways.

	SIP Campus	XEC Campus
<b>Location</b>	Central Building-115E	H Building-1003 Reception 1
<b>Opening hours</b>	9:00-12:00, 13:00-17:00	9:00-12:00, 13:00-17:00
<b>Tel.</b>	0512-88161854	0512-88970501
<b>Email</b>	<a href="mailto:onestop@xjtlu.edu.cn">onestop@xjtlu.edu.cn</a>	<a href="mailto:studentonestop.TC@xjtlu.edu.cn">studentonestop.TC@xjtlu.edu.cn</a>
<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://studentonestop.xjtlu.edu.cn/">http://studentonestop.xjtlu.edu.cn/</a>	<a href="http://studentonestop.xjtlu.edu.cn/">http://studentonestop.xjtlu.edu.cn/</a>

## APPENDIX: XJTLU STUDENT SUBSIDY PROGRAMME

XJTLU's subsidy system, combined with the university's unique characteristics, consists of national scholarships, subsidies and loans as well as university scholarships. Let's have a quick look at it now.

<b>STUDENT LOANS</b>	<b>Locally Granted Student Loan.</b> Students with financial difficulties can apply for a loan (RMB 20,000 per person per year) to pay for tuition fees and accommodation fees. Students can contact their local Subsidy Centre for detailed application procedures.
	<b>Entry Scholarships</b> The Entry Scholarship is set up to reward students with outstanding academic performance, critical thinking and interdisciplinary creative problem-solving skills, and international perspective and competitiveness. The scholarship is renewable subject to the fulfilment of the appropriate criteria, as set out in the Regulations for Entrance Scholarship for Local Undergraduate Students.
	<b>Progression Scholarships</b> Students can be granted RMB 5,000 or 10,000 when meeting the conditions of the progression scholarship.
<b>SCHOLARSHIPS, SUBSIDIES AND HONORS</b>	<b>National Scholarships</b> The national scholarship (RMB 10,000 per person per year) is granted to outstanding students in Y2 and above. The number of students who receive the scholarship is subject to the quota allocated by the Education Department of Jiangsu Province.
	<b>National Encouragement Scholarships</b> The scholarship (RMB 6,000 per person per year) is granted to outstanding Y2 and above students with financial difficulties. The number of students who receive the subsidy is subject to the quota allocated by the Education Department of Jiangsu Province.
	<b>National Subsidies</b> Students with financial difficulties could apply for the subsidy which is granted according to difficulty level with RMB 3700 per person per year on average. The subsidy object is affirmed by family economy situation which will be verified every academic year. Students need to apply on Jiangsu Student Subsidy Application System in Semester 1. Students who are retired soldiers will be granted the national subsidy of RMB 3700 yuan per person per year
<b>SPECIAL-PURPOSE SUBSIDIES</b>	<b>Appraisal</b> Outstanding students, student cadres and students with achievements in certain areas will be granted related honors, which include University-level and Province-level Outstanding Student and Excellent Student Cadre, etc.
	<b>Military Service Education Subsidies</b> Local students who are enrolled and enlist in the military will receive tuition fees reimbursements for enlistment or tuition fee remission for discharge from the military, with the funding amount not exceeding RMB 20,000 per person per year.
	<b>Grass-Roots Employment Subsidies</b> Undergraduates working in related grass-roots communities in northern Jiangsu areas will be granted no more than RMB 8,000 per person per year for a tuition fee waiver after serving in their jobs for 36 months.

For more information about XJTLU student subsidies, feel free to contact One-Stop Student Service Centre.

Tel.: 0512-88161854-1

Opening hours: 9:00-12:00, 13:00-17:00, Monday to Friday

Email: [Scholarship@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:Scholarship@xjtlu.edu.cn)

**Reminder:** Please make sure to send your queries about student subsidies through official university channels and beware of phishing and fraud.



China Student Aid



Jiangsu Student Aid



## LOCAL STUDENT ACCOMMODATION SUPPORT

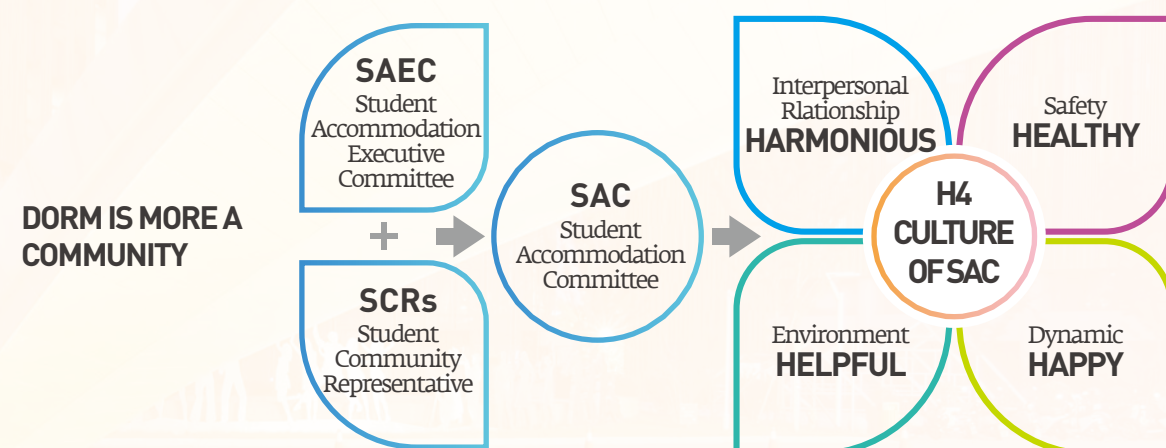
### Dear Students

The Dushu Lake Science & Education Innovation District has adopted a socialisation management model for student accommodation. The SDLSED (Suzhou Dushu Lake Science and Education Development Co., Ltd) builds and manages the student dormitories. The SDLSED employs property management companies to provide property services for students. Usually, four undergraduates share one dorm, which is equipped with a bathroom, furniture, air-conditioner, water heater, and other things. Room facilities may vary as different halls were built at different times. Local accommodation resources and services in this town are shared by both XJTLU students and students from other universities together.

The XJTLU Entrepreneur Apartment (Taicang) project is invested, constructed, and managed by the Taicang Culture and Education Investment Group Co., Ltd, adhering to a unified property management service model. It provides three room types: single, double, and quadruple occupancy, all equipped with furniture, lighting systems, air conditioning, private bathrooms, and balconies, complemented by shared communal spaces within the building. Although these two projects are administered by distinct management entities, both implement centralised management of student accommodation resources through socialized operational frameworks, ensuring efficient integration of housing services.

The Student Accommodation Support Team (SAST) provides accommodation application and counselling services to local students. The Student Accommodation Committee was established in 2009 as a student self-government organisation. For accommodation support, students can contact the Student Accommodation Support Team or the Student Accommodation Committee.

- The Student Accommodation Committee provides students with daily business support such as accommodation counselling, suggestion collection, accommodation culture creation, etc. Through a series of business support, the Student Accommodation Committee hopes to help students develop good living habits, create a healthy residence culture, and solve the difficulties encountered by students in their daily lives.
- As a bridge between student residents and dormitory owners, the Student Accommodation Committee actively communicates and coordinates with property managers through meetings, and tries its best to strive for optimal dormitory services for XJTLU students.
- The Student Accommodation Committee cooperates with the property management of the dormitory area to conduct regular dormitory safety visits to strengthen students' awareness of dormitory safety.
- The Student Accommodation Committee regularly participates in the night duty service of each dormitory area to provide students with convenient dormitory support.



Dormitory life is a unique chapter of university life. In this small world of dormitories, students from all over the country learn, live and grow together. In order to create a harmonious, healthy, happy, helpful dormitory community culture, and to help students better adapt to their university lives, the Student Accommodation Support Team (SAST) provides students with three aspects of warm tips on overall dormitory adjustment, dormitory public safety and dormitory community life.

## WARM TIPS FOR OVERALL DORMITORY ADJUSTMENT

To protect students' rights and interests in accommodation, the overall adjustment of dormitories is an initiative to cope with the pressure on dormitory resources at this stage to create an orderly and harmonious living environment for students.

- To optimise the accommodation resources and to enhance your living experiences, it is expected that some student dormitories will be reorganised and adjusted according to the dormitory resources every year.
- The aim is to create a more harmonious and convenient living environment for students, and at the same time ensure the rational allocation and efficient use of dormitory resources.
- This will help students to better integrate and lay a good foundation for the accommodation arrangements in the new academic year.

## TIPS FOR DORMITORY PUBLIC SAFETY

**Dormitory safety is the primary defence of collective life. As a “small family” living together, students should always keep safety in mind:**

- Prohibit smoking (including electronic cigarettes) in all areas of the dormitory.
- Don't use open flames, burn things, etc., and stay away from combustible materials.
- Unauthorized wiring and the use of prohibited electrical appliances are strictly forbidden.
- Don't put electric items such as sockets and chargers on the bed.
- Turn off the water and electricity, unplug the cords, and switch off the lights before leaving the room.
- Charging of all large-capacity power batteries and accumulators indoors is strictly forbidden. For electric two-wheelers, parking and charging must be conducted in accordance with the property management's stipulated requirements.
- Prohibit putting rubbish and sundries at the entrance of the dormitory, and ensure that the fire escape is clear.

## TIPS FOR DORMITORY COMMUNITY LIFE

**Dormitory life is the cradle of common growth in the university journey. During the days of living together, except for the ‘dormitory agreement’ signed by roommates, understanding and consideration are the basis of harmony:**

- Respect for work and rest time. Uniformly agree on a shared schedule for lights out, sleeping / waking up to reduce noise and avoid disturbing your roommates.
- Maintain cleanliness. Take turns to clean the common areas, store your personal belongings neatly, and clean up rubbish in a timely manner to maintain the quality of life in the dormitory.
- Protect your roommate's privacy. Don't touch your roommate's belongings without permission, and ask for permission to borrow things. Use common space reasonably and avoid prolonged occupation.
- Reduce noise interference. Wear headphones when listening to music, watching videos or playing games, and avoid loud noises in the dormitory.
- Tolerance of differences. Respect different living habits and cultural backgrounds. Communicate frankly when encountering conflicts in the dormitory, think constructively, and negotiate to solve the problem, or ask teachers to help mediate if necessary.
- Help each other. Share small gifts and other small kindnesses to create a friendly and supportive atmosphere in the dormitory.

## CONTACT US

### SIP Campus

Tel.: 0512-88973000

Location: Counter 4, 115E, Central Building

Opening hours: Monday to Friday 9:00-12:00, 13:00-17:00

Email: [Accommodation@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:Accommodation@xjtlu.edu.cn)

### XEC Campus

Tel.: 0512-88970503

Location: Counter 2, Lobby, First Floor, Building H

Opening hours: Monday to Friday 9:00-12:00, 13:00-17:00

Email: [Accommodation.TC@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:Accommodation.TC@xjtlu.edu.cn)



**Example Case:**  
This is a story of adapting to university life.



**SCC Website:**  
Log in using your university account after enrollment to make an appointment. Or find out more about our workshops and booklists on psychology and counselling.



**Extended reading on counselling:**  
Scan the QR code for more details!



CONTACT US

**SIP Campus:**  
Tel.: 0512-88161815  
Location: Central Building 285  
Email:  
[counsellingservice@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:counsellingservice@xjtlu.edu.cn)

**XEC Campus:**  
Tel.: 0512-89167611  
Location: C-1021  
Email:  
[counselling.tc@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:counselling.tc@xjtlu.edu.cn)

STUDENT COUNSELLING CENTRE (SCC)

Dear Students

Congratulations on your successful completion of the National College Entrance Examination and the beginning of this exciting new chapter! The Student Counselling Centre has assembled a high-quality team of professional counsellors to provide you with care, support, and educational guidance, ensuring your university journey is both fulfilling and well-supported every step of the way.

WHAT IS COUNSELLING?

Clients bring their problems to counselling and then, under the joint efforts of clients and counsellors, clients find the inner insight collaboratively with the counsellor. Further on, clients will develop further self-growth.

Counselling can be conducted not only by talking, but also by sand play or art therapy. During this process, relative to giving direct guidance, education or opinions, counsellors put more efforts on exploring clients' own power to improve their current distresses. In this way the counsellor can help clients develop the ability to deal with difficult situations after the end of counselling.

HOW TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT FOR INDIVIDUAL COUNSELLING

You can personally schedule psychological counselling appointments directly through the SCC website. The website URL can be found in the QR code on the right.

WHAT ISSUES CAN I TAKE TO THE XJTLU STUDENT COUNSELLING CENTRE?

The scope of counselling includes academic stress, interpersonal problems, emotional confusion, family relationships, career planning and other issues, as well as counselling for depression, compulsion, anxiety, social phobia and other psychological disorders. It should be noted that the counselling for all kinds of psychological disorders can only have an effect and significance on the basis of medical diagnosis and stable medication.

OTHER SERVICES WE PROVIDE

ONLINE ADAPTATION SURVEY FOR FIRST-YEAR STUDENTS	In order to gain a better knowledge of the adaptability of new students, SCC will invite all first-year students to complete an online test, which will also remain confidential.
PSYCHOLOGY WORKSHOP	SCC will invite professional counsellors outside the university to hold psychology workshops on different topics, such as 'Mindfulness and Meditation,' 'Interpersonal Communication,' 'Manage your stress' and 'Emotion Lab,' for all students at XJTLU.
PSYCHOLOGICAL EDUCATION LECTURES	SCC also provides Psychological education lectures for XJTLU's students, covering multiple topics such as 'Interpersonal Relationships,' 'Depression,' and 'Psychological Adjustment for New Students.'
COUPLES COUNSELLING AND FAMILY COUNSELLIN	SCC also provides couples counselling and family counselling services for students. For details, please contact the SCC to schedule an appointment. These services are primarily short-term, with each cycle consisting of 4-6 sessions, and require the participation of all relevant family members.
GROUP COUNSELLING	SCC also provides group counselling services for approximately 6-10 individuals who meet face-to-face with a trained group counsellor. Group counselling is commonly used for people with normal mental problems and it usually consists of 3-10 sessions of 1.5 hours each time.

STUDENT GUIDE TO IT SERVICES

Dear Students

Welcome to Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University for your new college life here! Management Information Technology and System Office (MITS) provides IT support and services to facilitate learning, teaching, research, and day to day office work. Areas of expertise include IT Network/ Intelligence Facility, Application Development, Data Management, Data Centre/ Maintenance, Helpdesk services, Education and research support. Students should abide by all MITS-related rules and regulations.

Please refer to E-Support (<https://esupport.xjtlu.edu.cn>) for more IT related FAQ and policies.



E-Support

XJTLU ACCOUNT

Each student has a unique account. Please scan the QR code and follow the instructions to activate your account. If you have any issues with activation, you can contact [UIMAdmin@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:UIMAdmin@xjtlu.edu.cn). In case of a spelling mistake in your username, please send the correct spelling to [StudentRecords@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:StudentRecords@xjtlu.edu.cn)



Guide for Account Self-activation



Guide for Account Self-service

After activation, the account can be used to log into campus computers, Wi-Fi, Email, Box Cloud Storage (XJTLU Box), the library system and any other campus IT system. (Links to all the systems: <https://ehall.xjtlu.edu.cn>).



E-Hall

TO UPDATE YOUR XJTLU ACCOUNT PASSWORD

Log into <https://sso.xjtlu.edu.cn> > Click "Password" tab > Input your old password, new password and confirm the new password> Click "OK".

\*Passwords expire every 360 days.



SSO

TO RETRIEVE YOUR XJTLU ACCOUNT PASSWORD

Open <https://sso.xjtlu.edu.cn>, and click on the link "Forgot Password" on the login window.

Follow the procedures to retrieve your password.

LOGGING INTO A CAMPUS COMPUTER

Press the "Space bar" to make the login window appear.

Input your username and password and press "Enter" to log in.

EMAIL

The student email address is [Firstname.Lastname25@student.xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:Firstname.Lastname25@student.xjtlu.edu.cn). The mailbox capacity is 5GB and the attachment size limit is 30MB. Emails can be managed via XJTLU Webmail access at <https://mail.xjtlu.edu.cn>. (When logging into the webmail use only "Firstname.Lastname25", not the full email address).

**Reminder: official notices from the university are usually communicated by email.** You need to develop the habit of checking your email every day to avoid missing important notices. You can scan the QR code to obtain the binding guide. If the device fails to bind to the mailbox, you can use the XJTLU Webmail.



Setup email on phones



STUDENT ID CARD

- The card can be used to:
- Borrow library books
  - Do self-service printing
  - Take city buses and subways

Wi-Fi (WIRELESS NETWORK)

- Connect to the university's free Wi-Fi network:
- Connect to the XJTLU Wi-Fi network
  - The authentication page will pop up automatically. If the authentication page fails to pop up automatically, you can enter the address of the authentication page: <https://netauth.xjtlu.edu.cn>
  - Log in with your username and password (Device Limit: 5)

PRINTING

MITS provides public self-service printing. You may submit your print jobs from any campus PCs, webpage, or email. Once a print job has been submitted, you can get the printouts by swiping your ID card on any campus public self-service printer. Please refer to E-Support for related FAQs.

COMPUTER LABS

- Lab computers are preinstalled with Microsoft Windows or Mac OS and a variety of software; students can log in with XJTLU accounts
- All computers connect to the network with free internet access
- Computer labs are open from 8:00 to 22:00 every day during teaching weeks. Only limited labs are available during the holidays
- Property Management Office will clean up personal belongings from 8:00 to 8:30 during teaching weeks. Do not leave personal belongings in computer labs. Please refer to the notices at lab entrances for more information
- Students may freely access labs without classes, maintenance, or scheduled events

SIP Campus

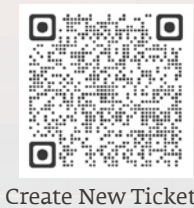
Tel.: 0512-88161250  
Location: Room 956A, Central Building  
Service Hour: 9:00-12:00, 13:00-17:00 on weekdays  
Email: [IT@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:IT@xjtlu.edu.cn)

Student IT Helpdesk (Teaching weeks only)  
Location: Library 4th Floor, Central Building  
Service Hour: 9:00-17:00, 18:00-21:00 on weekdays, 9:00-17:00 on weekend

XEC Campus

Tel.: 0512-88970505  
Location: Counter 11, reception desk of the 1st floor of H Building  
Service Hour: 9:00-12:00, 13:00-17:00 on weekdays  
Email: [IT.TC@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:IT.TC@xjtlu.edu.cn)

If you encounter IT related problems, you can scan the QR Code to create a new helpdesk ticket

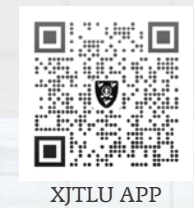


Create New Ticket

XJTLU APP

The XJTLU APP is a uniform and easy method on mobile devices that intends to provide XJTLU staff and students with the means to benefit from accessing the data produced by a wide range of application systems across the campus.

You can download it by scanning the QR code.



XJTLU APP

INFORMATION SECURITY TIPS

Security tips while using electronic products

- Keep the Operating System (OS) & Apps Updated
- Install Security Apps/software, e.g. Anti-virus apps/software
- DO NOT install Apps/software from untrustworthy sources
- DO NOT Visit Suspicious Links or Quick Response (QR) Codes

Beware of phishing emails

- Check the sender's email address rather than the display name
- Remember that the university or any legitimate companies will never ask for any sensitive information online
- DO NOT Open any e-mails or follow any URL links from non-verified sources
- DO NOT Open attachments from unknown e-mails, as they may contain computer Trojans





HEALTH AND SAFETY

Dear Students

The Health and Safety Affairs Office secures health and safety for all students and staff, and is responsible for holistic coordination of public health, laboratory health and safety, and public security. We pay close attention to health and safety of XJTLU members.

There is a Pre-hospital Care Room in the university

SERVICE SCOPE	● Debridement, sterilising and dressing for general trauma
	● First aid on the spot and preliminary treatment of accidental injury
LOCATION	Foundation Building G59 (SIP); G1019 (XEC)
OPENING HOURS	Working days, Monday and Thursday, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m. (No permanent duty personnel. Please call the contact person on off-hours.)
CONTACTS	Ms. Jin Tel: 0512-81884630 (SIP)
	Ms. Liu Tel: 0512-88970524 (XEC)

According to the law, the Pre-hospital Care Room CANNOT provide disease diagnosis or treat you with medicines.

- First-aid kits are distributed to the Campus Service Centre, academic departmental secretaries, labs and the Health and Safety Officer. All medical supplies are free to use. But NO medicine is provided in the first aid kit. Keep your own medicines with you if necessary.
- Some first-aid equipment such as cervical collar, head holder, stretcher and wheelchairs are available for use on campus.

MEDICAL RESOURCES SUPPORT OFF-CAMPUS

Campus	Name	Address	Contact
SIP	Hospital around campus	The Fourth Affiliated Hospital of Soochow University (Suzhou Dushu Lake Hospital)	9 ChongWen Road, SIP, Suzhou 0512-65955080 
	Vaccination clinic around campus	Moon Harbor Community Health Station	4F, 198 QiYue Street, SIP, Suzhou 0512-62730741
	AIDS free consultation testing clinic	Suzhou SIP CDC	7F, Block A (Public Health Centre ),Suhong West Road 200, SIP, Suzhou 0512-67614233
XEC	Hospital around campus	Taicang First People's Hospital	58 Changsheng South Road, Taicang 0512-53101356

POLICE STATION REMINDER

SUZHOU INDUSTRIAL PARK YONG'AN'QIAO POLICE STATION REMINDER

“DON’T BE GULLIBLE, DON’T CASUALLY ADD STRANGERS, TRANSFER MONEY CAREFULLY”

EIGHT QUESTIONS TO ASK YOURSELF, TO PROTECT YOURSELF

- Ask yourself before committing to an order, how can you make unbelievably easy money with your fingers?
- Ask yourself before online dating, why does the beauty with a sweet voice, the gentle, handsome, rich boy still need online dating?
- Ask yourself before online loans, unsecured and interest-free, why doesn't the other party directly send money to you?
- Ask yourself before clicking on an unfamiliar link and check the information, why do you have to download a bunch of things?
- Ask yourself before managing your finances, why do invincible investment masters help you even though they are strangers to you?
- When receiving an arrest warrant, ask yourself and think carefully, why should you be notified in advance? Are the police too idle or afraid that the bad guys will run away?
- Before transferring money to a leader, ask yourself, do they think that they have been a leader for such a long time they can openly accepting huge amounts of money to their own WeChat?
- Before chatting naked, ask yourself, do you know and trust the person at the other end? If in any doubt, don't do it.

<b>Yong An Qiao Police Station(SIP)</b> Location: No.155, Linyi Road, Suzhou Industrial Park Hot Line: 0512-62850110	<b>XJTLU Police Room(SIP)</b> Location: FB169 Contact number: 0512-81888377	<b>Lu Du Police Station(XEC)</b> Location: No.9, Lujia North Road, Taicang Hot Line: 0512-53458110
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BEWARE OF THEFT

- Establish a correct view of money and consumption. Don’t carry large amounts of cash with you upon your arrival. Please be careful when you set up your bank card pin number. Please pay attention to the use and management of bank cards such as main card, secondary card and parent-child cards.
- Take good care of your personal belongings. All students must look after and carry your own valuables, and don’t leave items in public area to avoid unnecessary losses.
- Please park bikes, e-bikes and other vehicle in designated areas and lock it when you leave.

CONTACT US

If you have any problems or questions about health and safety, raise them to the Health and Safety Affairs Office.

<b>Health and Safety Affairs Office (SIP campus)</b> Tel.: 0512-88161005 Location: Room CB-1103 Email: <a href="mailto:HSAO@xjtlu.edu.cn">HSAO@xjtlu.edu.cn</a>	<b>Health and Safety Affairs Office (Taicang campus)</b> Tel.: 0512-88970523 Location: Room C-1009 Email: <a href="mailto:HSAO.TC@xjtlu.edu.cn">HSAO.TC@xjtlu.edu.cn</a>
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CALL IMMEDIATELY IN CASE OF FRAUD PHONE 96110 OR POLICE 110

Please pay close attention to National Anti-Fraud Centre and Suzhou Anti-Fraud Centre.



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the Suzhou Anti-Fraud Centre



## CAMPUS MANAGEMENT OFFICE

### Dear Students

Welcome to XJTLU! The Campus Management Office aims to provide high-quality and efficient logistical services, supporting staff and students’ teaching, learning, research and other activities on campus. Our business is closely related to campus life in the following areas:

### CAMPUS SERVICES

**CAMPUS MERCHANTS** Provide various catering services including canteens, western-style food, cafés, convenience stores, etc., and support related facilities like smart take-away cabinets and vending machines.

**CLEANING SERVICE** Campus indoor and outdoor environment cleaning service.

**SECURITY SERVICE** Building security and campus patrol, traffic management, vehicle management, etc.

**LOCKER APPLICATION** Provide lockers for undergraduate and master’s students, who can apply for lockers at the beginning of each academic year and use them for the whole academic year. Please check UC notice or log in to the Locker System for more details: <https://microservices.xjtlu.edu.cn/xjtluApi/sso/esb>.

**SHUTTLE BUS RESERVATION (XEC-SIP/SIP-XEC)** A shuttle bus service is provided to facilitate teachers’ and students’ travel between the SIP and Taicang campuses.



Shuttle Bus  
Reservation QR Code

**OVERNIGHT SELF-STUDY SPACE** Provide space for overnight self-study. A room list is attached for reference. Any adjustments will be sent out by University Notice.



Overnight Self-study  
Room List

**Merchant Review Programme:** You are welcome to use the XJTLU Merchant Review Mini Program to comment on campus merchants. You can find all the information about the campus merchants, including their addresses, contact numbers, opening times, and menu information.



Merchant Review  
Program

### POLITE REMINDERS

#### Use of public areas:

- Campus buildings are open from 7am to 10pm.
- During workdays, the security guard will conduct random identity checks on individuals entering the buildings. Please actively cooperate with the identity check by showing your ID card. Starting from 5pm on workdays and throughout non-workdays, the main entrances of all buildings will conduct identity verification. All personnel entering the buildings will be required to assist with identity verification, and those who are not staff, students of XJTLU or official visitors are prohibited from entering the building.
- After 10pm, the buildings will be cleared for the night. Please leave the campus in a timely manner or go to the overnight study rooms.
- Please follow the ‘Regulation on the Use and Management of XJTLU Public Space.’ Please do not occupy seats at will and waste public resources. Unoccupied seats without temporary occupancy cards will be cleared of any property left there.
- To maintain a beautiful campus environment and conserve energy, please turn off the lights, and air-conditioning, and close the windows when you leave classrooms, and put the furniture back in its original position.

#### Campus Traffic Regulations:

- In order to improve the utilisation of campus parking resources, ensure campus traffic safety, and build a safe campus together, please follow the ‘XJTLU Campus Traffic Management Regulations’. Due to limited parking resources on campus, parking permit applications will not be accepted from this academic year. Mass transit is highly encouraged.
- Parking on fire engine access and barrier-free paths is prohibited.
- Electric bicycle parking or charging in the underground areas is prohibited. Shared bike points are located off campus.

#### Campus safety regulations:

- Smoking (including e-cigarettes) is prohibited in campus buildings to avoid the harm of “second-hand smoke” and fires.
- Please pay attention to safe passages along the riverbank, and refrain from climbing over barriers and greenery, in order to prevent accidents.

### CONTACT US

If you have any comments or suggestions regarding the above services, please contact the Campus Management Office:

#### SIP campus

Tel.: 0512-88161071  
Location: 1029, Central Building  
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**CMO Campus Service Centre:**As a comprehensive service window under the Campus Management Office, the Campus Service Centre is committed to providing convenient and efficient one-stop services for all staff and students, including building property services, event support, and a lost and found service. Currently, there are three service centres at SIP campus and one at Taicang campus. The specific information is as follows:

CAMPUS	NAME	LOCATION	PHONE NO.	SERVICE SCOPE
SIP	Campus Service Centre (SIP Campus North 1)	CB115, Central Building	0512-88161060 (24h) 0512-88161066	Foundation Building & Central Building
	Campus Service Centre (SIP Campus North 2)	MA101, Mathematics Building	0512-88161061 0512-88161064	Science Building & Mathematics Building & Engineering Building & Public Building
	Campus Service Centre (SIP Campus South)	HSC20, Humanity & Social Science Building	0512-81888362 0512-81888368	South Campus
XEC	Campus Service Centre (XEC Campus)	D1008, D Building	0512-88970793 (24h) 0512-88970792	XEC Campus



CAMPUS INTRODUCTION

Please remember the name and English abbreviation of each building before you enter the campus. This will help you become familiar with the campus when you walk around the campus with your Buddy. Please scan the QR code to download the campus E-map (the map may be updated):

You can get a hand-drawn map from the XJTLU Museum. It will help you intuitively experience the architectural composition and planning of the north and south campuses and understand the landmarks with our unique campus features, and the stories behind them as well.



SIP Campus map



XEC Campus map



THE FOLLOWING FOUR BUILDINGS ARE OF GREAT IMPORTANCE TO YOUR CAMPUS LIFE:

SIP Campus

Foundation Building

The School of Languages is located in this building. You will take almost all the 1st year foundation courses here. In addition, many clubs' activities are held in the lobby of the ground floor.

Central Building

This is the administration building. Most functional departments are located here, such as the Library, Museum, Registry, X-Global, IT Service Centre, One-Stop Student Service Centre, Student Counselling Centre, Accommodation Service Centre, Student Club Service Centre, Careers Centre, Alumni Association, and more.

Public Building

This is the place where Student Development Advisors are located. If you have any confusion at the beginning of the semester, make an appointment and come to your Development Advisor's office for a consultation.

Gym

Here is the location of physical education classes, physical testing and sports fitness. In your spare time, you can come to the gym to exercise and relax.

The Sports Centre

The Sports Centre, an extension of the teaching area closely connected to the dormitory zone, is situated on a landscaped slope, harmonising with the architectural style of the teaching buildings. It meets students' daily exercise needs, featuring a three-story complex that includes a heated swimming pool and a smart fitness centre. The centre also houses multifunctional venues such as basketball courts, badminton courts, billiards rooms, table tennis halls, indoor golf facilities, squash courts, martial arts rooms, fencing rooms, and dance studios, along with a sports health monitoring system that provides customised training plans for students.

Innovation Factory

The Innovation Factory (IF) is built on a spirit of innovation, entrepreneurship and syntegrative education. It is linked to all the industrial schools at XEC campus and connects all the laboratory facilities with access to 60+ laboratories across the campus. IF as a springboard for innovators at XJTLU to try out ideas in the form of designs and turn them into products, processes or solutions.

XEC Campus

Student Centre, Building J

The Student Centre is located in Building J which is an important venue for student club activities. It houses the Student Club Support Centre, the Art Centre, and the Club Culture Exhibition Centre, which helps students learn about clubs in XEC and establish their own clubs. The centre is equipped with activity spaces such as an instrument room and a dance studio for club activities.

Administrative Service Centre Building H

The H Building of the Administrative Service Centre at XJTLU Entrepreneur College (Taicang) serves as the core management hub of the campus, playing a vital role in daily operations. Functionally, it houses not only the university administrative teams but also facilities such as IT services, a One-Stop Student Service Centre, and the career and further education office.

VOICES OF EXPERIENCE  
- CAMPUS LIFE



'As a Xi'an native, I feared XJTLU's cuisine would feel foreign, but Taicang campus is a gastronomic paradise! Unlike SIP's urban, fusion with Suzhou's bustle, Taicang radiates serene campus charm - dorms, gym, classrooms, admin buildings, and living area blend seamlessly, its quiet surroundings are perfect for savoring college life. The cafeteria dazzles with spicy hotpot, Japanese sushi, and my beloved McDonald's, each bite is a delight. Beyond campus, Wanda Plaza buzzes with restaurants, while Taicang's local noodle shops, with rich jiao tou noodles, evoke my hometown's flavours. Convenience stores and supermarkets, open 12 hours, keep snacks and essentials within reach. A 10-minute stroll from dorm to class weaves efficiency with comfort. One late night, under Taicang's starry sky, I felt the campus's warm embrace. My tips? Wander around Taicang's culinary and convenient corners - you'll fall head over heels in love with this haven!'

— Jiacheng Zhang  
IoT, Class of 2021

'At XJTLU, if you want to quickly integrate into campus life, I highly recommend following a few very practical official WeChat accounts. For example, the 'XJTLU Student Service', which allows you to handle accommodation applications, ID card replacements, and book a counseling session; the 'XJTLU Career Centre', which frequently posts internship opportunities and introduces external mentor programmes; 'XJTLU Self-management' shares lots of tips on study planning, mental health, and time management. In addition, the 'XJTLU Registry' shares the latest academic policies; the 'XJTLU Library' account lets you reserve small study rooms and access past exam papers, and the 'XJTLU IT Service Centre' helps solve printing, network, and technical issues.

If you want to learn more about campus culture and life, you can follow 'XJTLU SNC'(unofficial), which regularly publishes guides on dormitories, course selection, and other campus tips for freshmen. We suggest following these accounts before the semester starts and checking them regularly, as important updates, selection notices, and activity announcements are often posted there first.

SMALL TIPS

“ If you want to smoothly handle the busy start of university life, it's best to bookmark these official platforms early. They will save you a lot of time and energy in your life, studies, and job searching.”

— Momo Wang  
Urban Planning and Design, Class of 2021



# STUDY AT XJTLU

## REGISTRY

### Dear Students

XJTLU Registry welcomes you to your new start! Registry supports XJTLU's core activities of teaching and learning, manages student registration data, and provides a variety of academic registration-relevant services. Registry uses e-Bridge (<https://ebridge.xjtlu.edu.cn>), XJTLU's web-based student information system, to support academic registration and relevant core activities.

### REGISTRATION

Annual registration is the process of confirming your academic and personal information at the beginning of each academic year. All students must finish online registration and financial registration on e-Bridge (<https://e-bridge.xjtlu.edu.cn>) before the start of each academic year. Please note the maximum registration period for undergraduate students is 8 years, which includes all periods of repeating levels of study, programme changes, or suspension of study.

### MODULE, TIMETABLE AND ATTENDANCE

Please use the Timetable Plus platform to select optional modules during the designated time period, and you may check your module enrolment information on e-Bridge, including compulsory modules and optional modules. Your personal class timetable will be released on e-Bridge before the start of each semester. You will also be enrolled into your modules on XJTLU's virtual learning environment: the XJTLU Learning Mall Online. This online platform is designed to support and enhance learning and teaching activities. You can access the XJTLU Learning Mall Online in order to stay up-to-date with your modules, communicate with teachers, view important learning resources, and submit coursework assignments, and so on.

Additionally, please be aware that the university uses an Attendance Management System (AMS: <https://ams.xjtlu.edu.cn/>) to monitor student attendance, and you should study the Student Attendance Policy on the CAA@ E-BRIDGE-Document Zone of the Home Page of e-Bridge.

### STUDENT RECORDS, TRANSCRIPTS AND OTHER CERTIFICATIONS

e-Bridge maintains your personal information and academic records during your time at XJTLU. You can access e-Bridge to check your module list, academic records, progression results, work placement records, and so on.

If you would like to request official transcripts and other certifications, please submit your request on the Academic Records page of e-Bridge. XJTLU has officially launched the electronic transcript and certification service. Once you submit the request successfully, the e-documents will be immediately delivered to your designated email address provided in the request form.

## PROGRAMME CHOICE

Stage 1 new entry students admitted through Gaokao will need to make their programme choice in Semester 2 Stage 1. The selection of optional modules will affect your choice of programmes since some programmes have prerequisite requirements.

### Introduction to e-Bridge:

The e-Bridge system is the web-based student information system of XJTLU for students to access their academic and personal information, university policies and regulations and to perform a variety of tasks.

With e-Bridge you can:

- Complete annual online registration
- Update personal and emergency contact information
- Request transcripts and other certifications  
(Route: [Academic-Academic Records-Request Form](#))
- Choose your programme (for Stage 1)
- Apply for 2+2/2+1+1 (for Stage 2)
- Register for graduation ceremony (for Stage 4)
- Communicate online or book a face-to-face meeting with Advisors
- Use e-Bridge AI Chatbot to inquiry about policies

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You may check relevant information via e-Bridge, including, but not limited to:

- Class and exam timetables
- Contact information of your Academic Advisor and Development Advisor
- Your Fee Information for the current academic year
- University policies and regulations
- Programme and Module specifications
- Academic records and progression results
- Assessment Information

## STUDENT INSIGHT

Student Insight is a platform on e-Bridge that bridges the communication gap between students and staff. From the start of your studies, you can quickly find the contact information of your advisors, as well as communicating online or book a face-to-face meeting with them, which enable the advisors to support you efficiently in a timely manner. With this platform, you can not only develop a study plan for each academic year, but also set long-term goals throughout your university studies, which may help you plan your studies wisely and achieve academic success at XJTLU.

Meanwhile, it provides a wide range of learning resources aimed at facilitating your autonomous learning. The contact information of your Academy/School is also displayed in this platform.

You can find Student Insight from e-Bridge-Academic.

## CONTACT REGISTRY

### Contact the Student Academic Services Team in Registry:

Tel.: 0512-88161230

Location: the 8th floor, Central Building, SIP Campus

Counter No. 5, 1st Floor, Building H, TC Campus

Email: [academicservices@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:academicservices@xjtlu.edu.cn)



XJTLU Registry WeChat  
Official Account



LIBRARY

Dear Students

Welcome to the XJTLU Library. XJTLU Library plays the role of Research Support and Learning Centre at XJTLU by following the latest development trends of top university libraries around the world. The library has developed its collection by focusing on subject development and research requirements. With over 90% of the printed collection being academic books in English, the collection is well balanced between science, engineering, business and management and the arts.

The XJTLU Library was established in 2006 in the Foundation Building, and it moved to the Central Building in 2013 with over 22,000 square metres and 2,800 seats. The Library at XJTLU Entrepreneur College (Taicang) opened in September 2022 with a total area of over 6,500 square metres and 400 seats. Both libraries provide varied functional areas for studying, discussion, computer labs and studio work. The design of XJTLU Library is rich in cultural and academic atmosphere.

OPENING HOURS:

MONDAY- FRIDAY	8:00 - 22:00
SATURDAY AND SUNDAY	9:00 - 22:00

During summer and winter holidays, the opening hours will be pre-announced via email and posted at the entrance of the library.

- Your university ID Card is also your Library Card; it can be used to enter and exit the library, borrow books, copy and scan documents, as well as for the electronic lockers.
- The library not only provides a huge range of printed resources; including a wide variety of books, magazines and newspapers, but also provides digital resources such as academic journals and ebooks, which can all be accessed at <https://lib.xjtlu.edu.cn/>
- Learning Commons, Group Study Rooms, Information Commons, as well as Mobile Phone Zones are also accessible in the library. The entire Library has Wi-Fi coverage and is divided into different zones: ‘Absolute Quiet Zone’, ‘Quiet Zone’ and ‘Light Discussion Zone’, to cater to all students’ preferences in research study, open discussion and teamwork.
- The library not only organises various activities for students but also offers a variety of information skill training sessions. You can follow the library’s WeChat account to keep up with the library’s activities.

Reading Classics:  
Summer Digital Reading Journey

The library invites you to start a digital reading journey with us this summer. A total of 36 classic ebooks covering politics, history, economics, literature, psychology, and other aspects have been selected for you to read during the summer vacation. Please scan the QR code to read them online. We also invite you to come to the library in the new semester to explore more high-quality printed books and enrich your college time with reading.

If you have any thoughts on reading, please share them with us by sending your reading notes to the library email: [lib-usd@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:lib-usd@xjtlu.edu.cn). Reading material is not limited to the recommended ebooks; you can share notes on any book you read. These reading notes can be in the form of a reading summary written in words, a poster, or hand-painted notes expressed in graphics - in any format and on any subject matter related to the books you've read. Readers who participate in this space will receive customised prizes and certificates from the library, and they will also have the opportunity to showcase their work on multiple library platforms.



Classic Reading List  
(e-books)

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Library Homepage



Library WeChat

LEARNING PLATFORM AND SYSTEM

Dear Students

Welcome to the Learning Mall, your essential learning platform for navigating academic life and exploring lifelong learning at XJTLU.

As a key part of the university’s learning ecosystem, the Learning Mall offers a comprehensive and intelligent digital environment that supports both degree-based education and non-formal, interest-driven lifelong learning. Whether you’re attending lectures, working on assignments, or exploring new skills beyond the curriculum, the Learning Mall is here to support your journey.

Learning Mall Core

Learning Mall Core is designed to support and enhance learning and teaching for XJTLU students and staff. It enables users to engage in educational activities and services both inside and outside the classroom using mobile devices, computers, or tablets.

- For XJTLU student users in degree programmes, the Learning Mall Core makes it possible to:
- Conveniently view and download content and resources provided by teachers (e.g. , lecture notes, background reading materials, video and audio files, etc.)
  - Submit homework and coursework assignments as well as receive marks and feedback from your teacher
  - Quickly receive important news and announcements from teachers
  - Collaborate and work together with other students on group projects and much more!

Learning Mall Premium

Learning Mall Premium expands your learning opportunities beyond the classroom. It offers a wide selection of online and offline non-degree courses and training programmes developed in partnership with universities, companies and leading industry organisations.

On this platform, you’ll find professional development resources, internship and career opportunities, industry-recognised certification programmes, and collaborative projects designed to equip you with real-world experience. It’s an ideal space to broaden your horizons and build valuable skills for the future.



Learning Mall  
Homepage



Explore Learning Platforms: Use your XJTLU account to access both Learning Mall Core and Learning Mall Premium. Explore these platforms in advance to prepare for your upcoming academic journey. A welcome surprise also awaits you on Learning Mall Premium — log in to unlock it!





# XIPU AI

## XIPU AI

XIPU AI is a powerful AI platform designed to support personalised learning, developed and integrated by the Learning Mall team. It connects with over 20 of the world’s leading large language and multimodal models to help you learn more effectively.

With tools powered by natural language processing, machine learning, and data analytics, XIPU AI can help you search for information, generate content, create mind maps and flowcharts, analyse documents, and more. Whether you’re studying, researching, or working on creative tasks, XIPU AI is your intelligent assistant throughout your university experience.



XIPU AI  
Scan to explore smart learning

## Learning Mall E-Loop

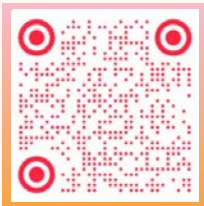
Learning Mall E-Loop is the circle part of XJTLU Entrepreneur College (Taicang)’s main architecture. Its design echoes XJTLU’s educational philosophy of Syntegrative Education and the understanding of the University of the Future. It provides both online and onsite space ‘storefronts’ for top global partners to share their learning content and education technology with its users. LM E-Loop not only showcases top resources and services from storefronts but also proactively establishes smart classrooms, digital hubs, XR lab, LM Gallery, etc., which provide opportunities to explore and experience the latest education technology.



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# ENGLISH LANGUAGE CENTRE

## Dear Students

Welcome to XJTLU and the English Language Centre (ELC), part of the new Global Cultures and Languages Hub.

During your first two years at XJTLU, you will spend a lot of your time with lecturers from the Hub studying on our English for Academic Purposes (EAP) modules. We are dedicated to maximising your linguistic competence and academic potential through professional language training and continuous study support. The main purpose of studying with us is to learn, develop, and practice the English language and practical skills you will need to succeed in your academic disciplines, including independent learning and critical thinking. All these skills are a vital component of university study in an English language institution.

Your EAP journey will begin with the English Language Placement Test, which will take place online over the summer following your acceptance at XJTLU, but before you arrive on campus. We use an Online Placement Test to place you in an EAP module that is best suited to your needs. You will receive further instructions to your XJTLU email account on how to do this when you are accepted. Please ensure that you activate your XJTLU account, and then check your emails on a regular basis. Please pay attention to the information about the English Placement Test sent by [EPT@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:EPT@xjtlu.edu.cn).

The EAP module you are placed in reflects the amount of time you will need in order to develop the necessary linguistic and practical skills for success at XJTLU. The Year 1 EAP modules have been designed to meet the specific needs of all English language levels. Therefore, it is vital that you complete the online placement test so that you are correctly placed onto the pathway most suited to your needs.

There are five main English for Academic Purposes pathways. All modules have the same learning outcomes, and also share assessments. The main difference between the modules is the number of hours per week of study:

FOUNDATION EAP	This is a <b>20-credit</b> module aimed specifically at those with limited levels of English language proficiency. Students study for <b>16 hours</b> per week. The main focus of the module is receptive skills (listening, reading), productive skills (speaking, writing) as well as additional language and academic skills.
PRE-INTERMEDIATE EAP	This is a <b>20-credit</b> module aimed specifically at those with developing levels of English language proficiency. Students study for <b>12 hours</b> per week. The main focus of the module is receptive skills (listening, reading), productive skills (speaking, writing) as well as additional language and academic skills.
INTERMEDIATE EAP	These are <b>20-credit</b> modules aimed specifically at those with independent levels of English language proficiency. Students study for <b>10 hours</b> per week. The main focus of the modules is receptive skills (listening, reading), productive skills (speaking, writing) as well as additional language and academic skills.
ADVANCED EAP	This is a <b>10-credit</b> module aimed specifically at those with high levels of English language proficiency. Students study for <b>8 hours</b> per week. The main focus of the module is receptive skills (listening, reading), productive skills (speaking, writing) as well as academic skills. Students on this module will be able to take additional Y1 Optional modules to further enhance their skillsets and develop their interests.
ADVANCED EAP (INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS)	These are <b>two 5-credit</b> modules (in S1 and S2) aimed specifically at international students with high levels of English language proficiency. Students study for <b>4 hours</b> per week. The main focus of the modules is the use of research skills, presentations, and argumentation. Students on this module will be able to take additional Y1 Optional modules to further enhance their skillsets and develop their interests.

Upon the successful completion of your Year 1 EAP module, you will progress to Y2 of your degree programme. During this time, you will be supported by language teachers in the new Academic Literacies Centre. These staff members are there to provide language and academic support to help you pass your content and skills modules.

We wish you every success at XJTLU, and we are confident that you will find it an immensely rewarding experience.

## CONTACT US

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Official WeChat account of Global  
Cultures and Languages Hub



PHYSICAL EDUCATION CENTRE

Dear Students

Welcome to Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University! It's our great pleasure to greet you and welcome you to join our big family during this vibrant and hopeful season. As you embark on this new journey in your life, we hope that sports become a part of your daily life, accompanying you in your happy and healthy growth.

The Physical Education Centre, comprised of three teams, the PE Teaching Centre, Sports Centre (SIP) and Sports Centre (XEC), is devoted to helping students with their development for healthy bodies, good sportsmanship and sound personalities. The PE Teaching Centre is mainly responsible for the PE course teaching, sports team training and the organisation of the National Physical Fitness Test; the Sports Centre (SIP) and Sports Centre (XEC) take charge of the operation of the sports venues, sports clubs, and the support for sports events.

PE COURSE TEACHING	Acting upon the Five-Star Education Model and guided by the philosophy of Health First and Lifelong Sports, the PE Teaching Centre will help each student acquire at least one sport skill which is supposed to be developed into a lifelong habit. There are more than 20 different sport items open to all Y1 students each semester which vary from popular sports such as basketball, football, badminton, etc. to some minor sports such as golf, archery, fencing, frisbee, and so on. The choice of sport usually takes place during the first teaching week of each semester. The students can choose their one sport course on the online PE selection system based on their interest and by following the principle of 'first come, first served'.
SPORT EVENTS	The sport events are a vital part of the physical education in that they can not only test the student comprehensive physical fitness status, but also provide a good opportunity to enhance the communication among students, faculties and schools. Besides, the sport competitions can also help to develop students' tenacious characters and their strong will for excellence by creating learning opportunities for their leadership skills, teamwork spirit and problem-solving skills. Sport events of various levels have been created including intramurals such as the freshman competition series, School Cup, XJTLU Teacher-Student Badminton Competition, Track and field competition, and extramurals such as the XJTLU Cup International Sports League and School Teams Outside-school Competition, as well as some other municipal, provincial, national and international sport events.
STUDENT GROUPS OF SPORTS	The Physical Education Centre provides professional guidance and support services for 35 sports clubs and 10 sports teams. Sports clubs are more interest-driven, and devoted to the popular sports. With the principle of student autonomy, sport clubs, not only help students with the development of physical fitness but also with leadership skills and project management skills. Meanwhile, the sport teams focus more on competition and put stress on achievements, which require students to have a certain professional foundation.
PHYSICAL FITNESS TEST	In order to enhance students' overall health status and encourage them to develop a good habit for sport exercise, it's required by the Ministry of Education and the General Administration of Sport, that all the registered local undergraduates must undertake the National Physical Fitness Test each year during their university life. the test usually takes place between October and December during the first semester and the test items include eyesight, weight & height, vital capacity, standing long jump, sit and reach, pull-up (boys only), sit-up (girls only), a 50-metre run, 800-metre run (girls only), and 1000-metre run (boys only). The results of the physical fitness test will be included in the student personal files and only those who have achieved a passing grade or above in the physical fitness test are eligible for the relevant awards and commendations of the university.
SPORTS VENUES and FACILITIES	Both the SIP campus and the XEC campus of XJTLU are equipped with high-end sport venues and facilities, which are designed to meet the needs of staff and students in physical education, club activities, sport team training and daily exercises. There are basketball courts, table tennis courts, badminton courts, golf centre, swimming pool (XEC only), fitness centre, archery rooms, fencing rooms, squash courts, billiard rooms, yoga rooms, dance rooms, martial arts rooms, creation rooms, climbing walls, and indoor track. Outdoor sports venues include football pitches, basketball courts, tennis courts, volleyball courts, and so on.

CONTACT US

Location: PE Teaching Centre GM103  
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Location: Sports Centre (SIP) GM102  
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XJTLU ENTREPRENEUR COLLEGE (TAICANG)

Dear Students

Congratulations on entering a new stage of your life, XJTLU Entrepreneur College (Taicang) extends a warm welcome to you.

In collaboration with leading industry partners, the university has established the School of AI and Advanced Computing, the School of CHIPS, the Academy of Film and Creative Technology, the School of Intelligent Finance and Business, the School of Intelligent Manufacturing Ecosystem, the School of Internet of Things, the School of Robotics, and the Entrepreneurship and Enterprise Hub. These entities jointly offer comprehensive undergraduate, postgraduate, and PhD programmes.

ACADEMIC UNIT AND PROGRAMMES

ACADEMIC UNIT	UG PROGRAMME	PG PROGRAMME	FOUNDING INDUSTRY PARTNER
School of AI and Advanced Computing	BEng Data Science and Big Data Technology with Contemporary Entrepreneurialism, BEng AI	MSc Artificial Intelligence	Dawning Information Industry Co., Ltd. (Sugon)
School of Internet of Things	BEng Internet of Things Engineering with Contemporary Entrepreneurialism	/	Eolane Group AliCloud
School of Intelligent Manufacturing Ecosystem	BEng Intelligent Manufacturing Engineering with Contemporary Entrepreneurialism	MSc in Intelligent Engineering Science & Industrial Operations *	Haier Group
School of Robotics	BEng Intelligent Robotics Engineering with Contemporary Entrepreneurialism	MSc Advanced Robotics Systems*	Siasun Co., Ltd.
School of Intelligent Finance and Business	BSc Intelligent Supply Chain with Contemporary Entrepreneurialism	MSc Digital Business	Shanghai Qiyuan Technology Co., Ltd. (AMT)
School of CHIPS	BEng Microelectronic Science and Engineering with Contemporary Entrepreneurialism	MRes Advanced Microelectronic Technology and Materials	Standard Science Chip Cloud Microelectronics, Shanghai Institute of Microsystem and Information Technology
Academy of Film and Creative Technology	BA Arts, Technology and Entertainment with Contemporary Entrepreneurialism	MSc Cultural and Creative Industries	China Cultural Media Group Limited
Entrepreneurship and Enterprise Hub	/	MSc Entrepreneurship and Innovation*	Xbot Park (Changzhou)

Programmes marked with \* are offered in both full-time and part-time modes



UNIQUE EXPERIENCES IN TAICANG

XJTLU Entrepreneur College (Taicang) is strategically located in Taicang, a pivotal city within the Yangtze River Delta economic zone. This area boasts a rich historical and cultural heritage, robust industrial growth, and a unique geographical advantage due to its proximity to Shanghai, offering unparalleled opportunities for student learning and development.

Known historically as the ‘Granary of the World’, Taicang has long been a place of prosperity and stability. With advancements in technology and modernisation, Taicang has been recognised as the city with the highest sense of happiness among entrepreneurs, earning the title of ‘Most Livable City’ 13 times and ranking first among county-level cities for nine consecutive years. The city harmoniously blends traditional culture with modern development, evolving rapidly and offering immense potential.

Significant Geographical Advantage

Situated in Loujiang New Town, Taicang, Suzhou, the XJTLU Entrepreneur College (Taicang) is adjacent to Shanghai’s Jiading District. A high-speed train ride of just 30 minutes connects students to downtown Shanghai, facilitating easy commutes for internships and job opportunities aligned with their career aspirations. The Taicang campus is approximately 60 kilometers from XJTLU’s Suzhou Industrial Park campus, about an hour’s drive away.

PROXIMITY TO SHANGHAI

The advancement of the Yangtze River Delta integration strategy has further strengthened resource sharing, talent exchange, and project collaboration between Taicang and Shanghai, creating a unique pathway: ‘Study in Taicang, grow in Shanghai, and develop globally.’ While studying in Taicang, students can easily access Shanghai’s international art exhibitions, concerts, theatrical performances, and other cultural events. For the cost of a cup of milk tea (a 19 RMB high-speed train ticket), students can immerse themselves in the cultural pulse of an international metropolis, effortlessly enjoying a dual-city lifestyle.

Here, Shanghai’s cultural resources become accelerators for personal growth. Whether it’s artistic exposure, academic expansion, or entrepreneurial ventures, this ‘accessible internationalisation’ is a hidden benefit of syntegrative education. In Taicang, your cultural radius extends far beyond a single city.

A Model of Sino-German Cooperation

Since the settlement of the first German enterprise, Kern-Liebers, in Taicang in 1993, the city has become one of the most concentrated and successful areas for German investment in China. Currently, over 560 German companies have invested here, with a combined industrial output exceeding 60 billion RMB. German manufacturing enterprises in Taicang account for over 10% of the national total, including several Fortune 500 multinational corporations such as Bosch, Schaeffler, and Trumpf. Consequently, Taicang is renowned as the ‘Hometown of German Enterprises.’ The presence of these companies not only drives rapid local economic development but also fosters deep Sino-German cultural integration.

This environment offers students opportunities for close collaboration with German enterprises, providing internships and employment prospects, promoting innovative exchanges, and expanding international perspectives and career development pathways. Through cooperation with German companies, students can learn advanced management and technological skills and experience the unique charm of multinational corporate cultures.

HOMETOWN OF GERMAN ENTERPRISES

A Livable and Workable Modern Pastoral City

Taicang is renowned for its vibrant lifestyle, offering students a variety of leisure and entertainment options. Students can enjoy skiing at the Taicang Alps Resort, visit the Bayern Munich Taicang Exhibition and Experience Center and Beethoven Immersive Music Hall on Rothenburg-style streets, engage in activities at the VS CHALLENGE comprehensive sports park (Bandai Namco), and experience jungle adventures, frisbee, and other outdoor activities at the Yangtze River Forest Adventure Park, providing ample opportunities to relieve stress and relax.

The scenic beauty along the Yangtze River is another highlight of Taicang, where students can stroll along the riverbanks, appreciate the pleasant landscapes, and connect with nature.

Additionally, students can reach Taicang Wanda Plaza within 10 minutes, and explore other commercial complexes such as the Taicang MixC, Tianjing Lake Commercial Plaza, Dongjiao Commercial Square, and Sanlian Bookstore. These diverse lifestyle experiences allow students to enjoy a colourful life beyond academics. The strategic cooperation agreement between the educational investment company near the school and Longfor Group for the Houlang Street commercial project promises an even more vibrant campus life for XJTLU Entrepreneur College (Taicang) students in the near future.

Taicang’s beautiful natural environment and comprehensive urban facilities make it a modern pastoral city suitable for living and working. With a green coverage rate of 42.2%, the city boasts numerous attractions like Jincang Lake Park and Shaxi Ancient Town, offering residents a wealth of leisure and entertainment options.

Furthermore, Taicang possesses a robust educational platform and comprehensive medical resources, ranking first among China’s most livable county-level cities for eight consecutive years. This high-quality living environment attracts many domestic and international residents to settle and thrive here.

ENRICHING LIFE

Comprehensive Support for Academics and Life

XJTLU Entrepreneur College (Taicang) not only enjoys a superior geographical location and pleasant surroundings but also boasts excellent on-campus facilities, providing students with abundant resources for both learning and living. The internationally equipped teaching facilities transform resource advantages into educational strengths, with the sports centre and library serving as dual engines for ‘academics and health.’

The sports centre, an extension of the teaching area closely connected to the dormitory zone, is situated on a landscaped slope, harmonising with the architectural style of the teaching buildings. It meets students’ daily exercise needs, featuring a three-story complex that includes a heated swimming pool and a smart fitness centre. The centre also houses multifunctional venues such as basketball courts, badminton courts, billiards rooms, table tennis halls, indoor golf facilities, squash courts, martial arts rooms, fencing rooms, and dance studios, along with a sports health monitoring system that provides customised training plans for students.

Complementing the campus’s academic environment, the XJTLU Entrepreneur College (Taicang) Library offers a comprehensive collection and state-of-the-art facilities to support student learning and research. The library houses over 770,000 physical volumes in both Chinese and English, alongside access to more than 160 academic electronic databases. These resources include over 100,000 academic journals and approximately 3.3 million e-books, covering current and planned academic disciplines. Spanning 6,500 square meters, the library provides around 400 study seats, equating to one seat for every six students. It features various learning and discussion spaces, including group study rooms, computer labs, and studios, all designed to foster a rich cultural and academic atmosphere. These well-equipped facilities enable students to engage in diverse academic activities and access a wealth of resources, significantly enhancing the quality of campus life.

CAMPUS FACILITIES



XEC Campus Guide Book



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# LEARNING INSTITUTE FOR FUTURE EXCELLENCE (LIFE)

## Dear Students

Congratulations on your success in passing the college entrance examination and entering a new stage of life. In university, learning is very different from high school. In high school, students primarily acquire knowledge through classrooms, while in university, the focus is on independent exploration and structured learning. High school learning emphasises the understanding of knowledge, whereas university learning also emphasises teamwork in applying knowledge to real-world scenarios. High school courses are taught by subject categories, while university studies require students to engage in interdisciplinary research around real-world issues...

At XJTLU, we hope everyone adopts a research-led learning approach, fosters a research-led mindset and grows into lifelong learners.

## WHAT IS RESEARCH-LED LEARNING?

So, what is research-led learning? Usually, research-led learning means starting with real-world problems, hunting for information and integrating knowledge in order to solve problems. In this process, along with acquiring knowledge you can also practice skills like communication, cooperation, execution and innovation.

Sound a bit baffling? Actually, research-led learning isn't that far removed from our daily life. For example, many of you plan to travel with friends to other cities after graduating from high school. The process of planning the trip is actually a kind of research-led learning process.

Generally, you start with web research: What are the attractions in the destination city? What local foods should we try? What's the weather like? How should we travel and where should we stay? And does everyone agree with the plan? In this process, you compare options and read travel reviews, and that's how you exercise your analytical and research skills. Since you're making plans together with friends, your communication and teamwork skills also get a workout. Lastly, you make a decision, and therefore, solve the problem.

After arranging this trip, your planning and communication skills will have improved. And you'll remember this city really well - you'll remember the hotel you chose after comparing multiple options, the transport plan you selected after weighing different routes, and the restaurants you decided on after comparing various places - way more than just a cursory sightseeing trip or quick photo-taking spree.

That's the charm of research-led learning. It comes naturally to you to gain knowledge in order to solve problems. You acquire knowledge rather than accept it. The knowledge you gained through your research sticks with you, and you develop the ability to explore independently.

Unlike the high school mindset of 'accepting knowledge', the university mindset of learning often means 'active exploration'. Here at XJTLU, we're expecting you to gradually develop a research-led mindset, and to shift from high school learning to university learning. Don't worry, at XJTLU this process might be challenging, but it's not painful. There are many people and institutes to help you, such as the **Learning Institute for Future Excellence (LIFE)** and **iLearn community**. LIFE will help you improve your research-led learning skills and transition from passive to active learning. The student community iLearn is dedicated to helping you discover your interests.

We, at XJTLU, believe that professors aren't just knowledge crews, but guides supporting your learning breakthroughs.

## HOW TO BECOME A GLOBAL CITIZEN?

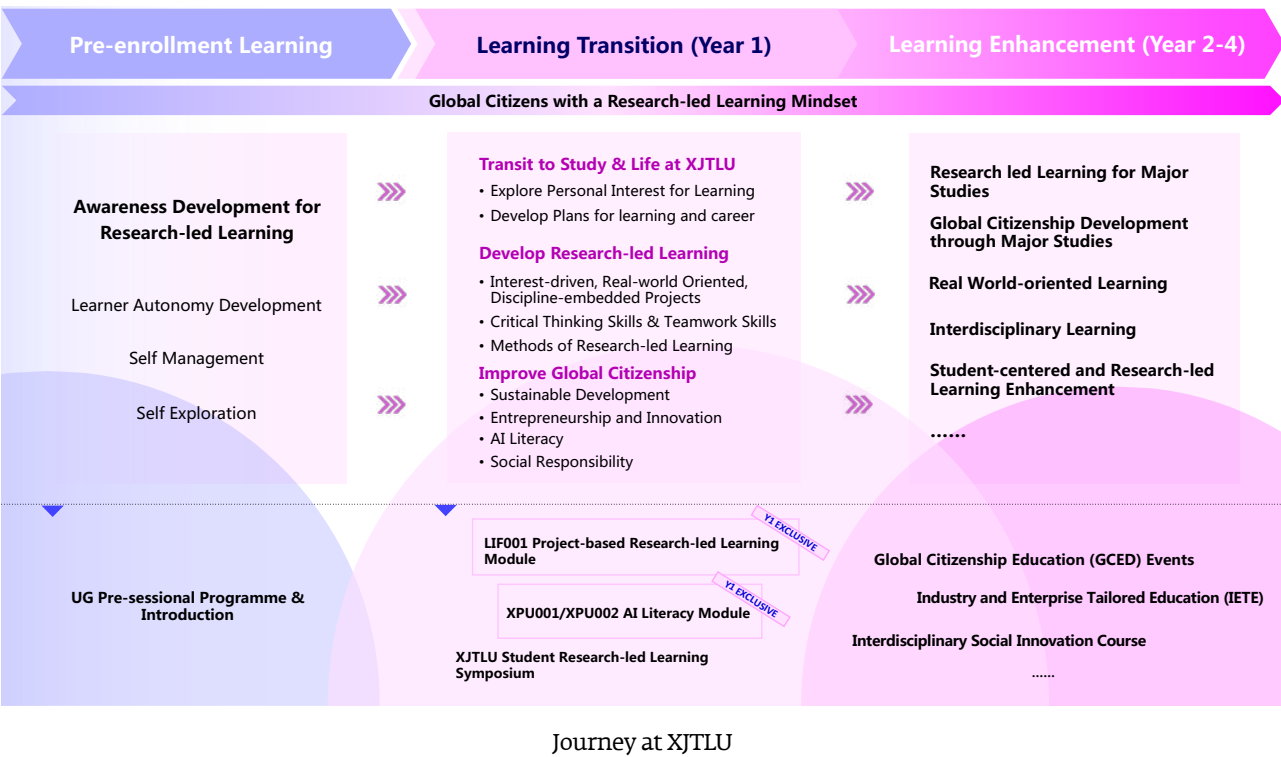
A global citizen is a trailblazer of the times, equipped with an international perspective, a strong sense of social responsibility, and the ability to compete on a global stage. At XJTLU, we encourage students to embrace global cultures with an open mind, explore the world with curiosity, and tackle critical issues that impact the shared destiny of humanity - such as climate change, social equity, and more. By fostering empathy and responsibility, students can drive meaningful change and contribute to solutions for pressing global challenges. From ecological reconstruction in response to the climate crisis to rebuilding dialogue amid cultural conflicts, and from addressing the opportunity gap caused by the digital divide to navigating ethical dilemmas in technological advancement, these borderless issues demand innovative ideas and actions from the next generation.

Becoming a global citizen means not only excelling in your professional field but also making meaningful contributions to society at large. At XJTLU, we envision our students as bridge - builders of mutual understanding, driven by care and responsibility, and as catalysts for global sustainable development powered by youthful energy and creativity.

## LEARNING INSTITUTE FOR FUTURE EXCELLENCE (LIFE): YOUR GROWTH SUPPORTER

Welcome to the Learning Institute for Future Excellence, where we are excited to support you on your journey toward excellence and success!

At XJTLU, the Learning Institute for Future Excellence (LIFE) serves as your trusted companion throughout your academic journey. From the moment you join us to the day you graduate; we are here as your steadfast partner in growth. As an 'integrated resource platform', we bridge academic departments, administrative services, and industry resources across the university to provide comprehensive support in academic guidance, career exploration, and personal development. At the same time, we act as your 'learning journey companion', offering tailored guidance to help you cultivate a research-led learning mindset and evolve into a global citizen with a broad international perspective.



## LIF001: THE STARTING POINT OF YOUR RESEARCH-LED LEARNING JOURNEY

Your journey at XJTLU begins with a specially designed module - **LIF001: the compulsory Project-based Research-led Learning module**. Starting this summer, you will gradually immerse yourself in research-led learning approaches, embarking on a discovery journey that is both intellectually challenging and richly rewarding.

Developed by the Learning Institute for Future Excellence (LIFE), the LIF001 module runs throughout your entire first academic year. As a key bridge between secondary and higher education, it is designed to help you build essential academic skills, adapt to a new mode of university-level learning, and begin to clarify your academic interests and professional aspirations.

The module is driven by real-world topics and adopts a project-based learning format. You will collaborate in teams to investigate practical issues across various academic disciplines offered at XJTLU. Under the guidance of experienced mentors, you will engage in processes such as literature analysis, field research, and solution design, cultivating critical thinking, problem-solving, and teamwork skills—core competencies for academic success and fundamental elements of a research-led learning mindset.

Throughout your learning journey, the professional mentor team from the LIFE will provide consistent academic support, ensuring both depth of learning and personalised guidance. This approach will help you transition seamlessly from knowledge acquisition to innovative practice.



## Learning Institute for Future Excellence (LIFE): Empowering You to Become a Global Citizen with a Research-led Learning Mindset

### BEYOND THE CLASSROOM: DIVERSE LEARNING PATHWAYS OFFERED BY LIFE

The support offered by the LIFE extends far beyond the LIFoo1 module. In your first year, as you adapt to life and learning at XJTLU, you will further develop research-led learning techniques and explore exciting fields such as artificial intelligence, sustainable development, and innovation and entrepreneurship.

This is made possible through a series of innovative integrated learning platforms and social innovation projects developed by the institute. In addition to the **LIFoo1 module**, which introduces research-led learning methods, and the **XPUoo1/oo2 Modules**, which focus on AI literacy, the institute offers a wide range of opportunities. You can deepen your research-led learning approach by participating in **Interdisciplinary Social Innovation Courses**, where you tackle real-world social challenges. You can showcase your achievements at platforms like the **XJTLU Student Research-led Learning Symposium**, where your talents and ideas can shine. You can expand your industry perspective by joining **Industry and Enterprise Tailored Education (C/IETE) programmes**, gaining hands-on experience with partner enterprises. Also, you can engage in interactive and inspiring activities such as **the International Café**, a Global Citizenship Education-themed event that fosters meaningful conversations and connections with like-minded peers. These opportunities will allow you to sharpen your skills, share your accomplishments, and build lasting friendships.

- Complete the Learning Tasks in the Summer Pre-session Session of the LIFoo1 Module through the XJTLU Learning Mall Platform
- Scan the QR code to join the '21-Day Challenge' on **iLearn**, and embark on a new chapter of university life! Develop good habits, make new friends, and reap exclusive rewards. Ten practical tasks are waiting for you to take on and unlock limited-edition perks upon completion. Scan the code now to kickstart your journey of growth!



LIFE is committed to supporting you every step of the way and looks forward to helping you achieve an exceptional university experience.

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Official Account



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## VOICES OF EXPERIENCE - LEARNING AT XJTLU



"I have benefited greatly from XJTLU's all-English teaching and research-orientated learning model. I remember a biostatistics class where the professor used the real data of COVID-19 to build a transmission prediction model step by step. Those boring statistical formulas suddenly came to life, allowing me to feel the power of data science in biomedical research for the first time. I deeply realised that the most important value of undergraduate education lies not only in imparting a framework of knowledge, but also in cultivating the ability of continuous learning. In the subsequent laboratory training, the programming skills and statistical methods learnt in the classroom became a solid foundation for me. Faced with emerging new technologies, I gradually developed the learning habit of 'learning by doing'. This shift from passive acceptance of knowledge to active exploration and research has been the most valuable aspects in my growth.

Adapting to all-English academic environment took time. My experience is as follows: familiarise yourself with the courseware before the class, and get to know the field knowledge and related vocabulary; read some supplementary materials to stimulate your interest; the EAP courses for first-year students proved invaluable for developing academic writing and presentation skills. Teachers at XJTLU have office hours, so you can seize the opportunity to communicate with your teachers, read more English papers that you are interested in to broaden the academic horizons as well as to improve your English."

— Jiayi Li

Applied Statistics (Biomedical Statistics), Class of 2021

"At XJTLU, the Library and Learning Mall Online (LMO) are two of the study resources I use the most. The library not only has a wide range of books and a comfortable environment, but also offers an extensive range of electronic databases. In the database section, you can search for English papers through WOS, ScienceDirect, and Chinese journals via CNKI and Wan fang Data. If you're preparing for IELTS, the 'Road to IELTS' resource in the library provides a structured system to practice all four skills. When I first joined, I participated in the library's online guide for literature searching, which quickly taught me how to find academic sources and manage references efficiently.

Meanwhile, LMO is the core platform for our daily learning. All course materials, lecture notes, reading lists, assignment instructions, and submissions happen through LMO. It is crucial to check LMO daily, especially if you aim for high grades, keeping up with the latest announcements and coursework requirements is essential. I developed a habit of quickly browsing through my course sections on LMO every morning to catch any updates.



Road to IELTS



XJTLU Library Database

### SMALL TIPS



At XJTLU, you must be proactive. Managing your time well and making full use of the Library and LMO will greatly improve your learning experience."

— Momo Wang

Urban Planning and Design, Class of 2021



# ADAPTATION AND INTEGRATION

## STUDENT CLUBS AND ORGANISATIONS

### Dear Students

The Student Club Support Centre (SCS) welcomes you to join the XJTLU family. Student clubs and organisations provide a platform for self-management and personal growth. The SCS is committed to creating a vibrant and diverse campus life and culture for students. Guided by the unique vision and education model of XJTLU, our student clubs and organisations strive to be internationally unique by featuring interest-driven, learning-centred and development-oriented programmes.

XJTLU's SIP Campus and Entrepreneurship College (XEC campus) have a total of 228 registered clubs and organisations across 6 categories, including 55 functional organisations, 8 community service clubs, 44 academic clubs, 53 arts clubs and organisations, 21 recreational clubs, and 47 sports clubs. All the clubs and organisations recruit new members during the Freshers' Fair in induction week. For more details, please scan the QR code below.



WeChat official  
account of  
Student Club  
Support Centre

### VOLUNTEER APPLICATIONS FOR THE VOLUNTEER ACADEMY

As the official public service platform of Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University, the Volunteer Academy is dedicated to integrating high-quality resources both on and off campus to systematically organise a wide range of volunteer activities. It also provides professional training and comprehensive support for student volunteers. The Academy regularly hosts public service exchange events to promote the spirit of volunteerism and foster a strong culture of community service within the university.

Students who are interested in volunteer activities can register via recruitment emails from SA-Office or the WeChat Account of the Volunteer Academy to participate in volunteer opportunities.



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## ARTS CENTRE

### Dear Students

The Arts Centre welcomes you to XJTLU.

The Arts Centre, centred around the international concept of 'Art Without Borders', supports and guides students in participating in various on-campus and off-campus artistic activities, organises students to take part in art competitions at different levels and of various types, and enhances students' artistic literacy as well as enriches campus culture through a diverse array of art courses and practical art projects.

### SERVICES

The Arts Centre (SIP Campus) has an Arts Administration Department, a News Team, an Art Association (including 11 art troupes: Executive Committee of Art Association, Symphony Orchestra, Chinese Orchestra, Chorus Troupe, Dance Troupe, Drama Troupe, Keyboard Troupe, Calligraphy and Painting Troupe, Model Troupe, Host and Broadcasting Troupe, and Music Troupe), an Art Club Committee (including 17 clubs such as the photography club, the graffiti club, and film club), A-design art studio, SS music studio, 'Encounter with Art' Programme, 'Campus Tour' Programme, and so on.

The Centre (SIP Campus) supports and guides students to participate in various art activities both on and off campus, such as cultural evenings, concerts, fashion shows, calligraphy and painting competitions, creative exhibitions, drama festivals, and so on. It also organises students to participate in art competitions at all levels and in multiple categories. The art troupe has won a number of awards in the Jiangsu Provincial University Art Exhibition and Performance Competition. It has also won numerous awards in diverse art competitions organised at municipal and district levels, leading art development in the Dushu Lake Science and Education Innovation Zone. In addition, XJTLUers have been actively involved in all sorts of large-scale art festivals and cultural festivals, both within and outside the school, and have also performed to great acclaim.

The Centre (XEC Campus) consists of the Arts Council (including 6 troupes: Dance Troupe, Drama Troupe, Painting and Calligraphy Troupe, Modeling and Etiquette Troupe, Hosting and Broadcasting Troupe, and Musical Theatre Troupe), Arts Clubs Committee (including 10 clubs such as the Photography Club, Graffiti Club, and Cinema Club), and undertakes a number of large-scale arts evenings and projects in XEC Campus.

Art Week (XEC Campus) is supported by the Arts Centre, hosted by the Arts Council, and co-organised by various art troupes and clubs. It is a collection of art activities such as bazaars, film screenings, and performances, etc., which aims to enrich the art atmosphere of XEC Campus and link the two campuses.

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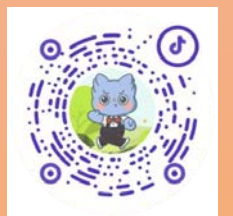
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## VOICES OF EXPERIENCE - ADAPTATION AND INTEGRATION



Try to take the initiative in your life into your own hands. Perhaps you will be a little scared and worried when you first come to a strange and new environment, it is quite normal. However, you should believe that you have unlimited opportunities and possibilities here. As a result, why not be brave and bold, to feel the unknown, break through yourself, and actively show yourself to the world step by step.

You can try to join one or two clubs that interest you which is very helpful for building friendships. Try to organize and lead some activities. Believe me, this will make you more confident and gain a sense of achievement. If you are interested in scientific research, you can take the initiative to contact the professors of the relevant major. Don't worry that you are new here, every teacher will treat students who are eager to acquire knowledge sincerely and enthusiastically.

In my freshman year, I joined the BPEC which assists our school to implement the Buddy Programme(The only student-driven peer mentorship program among the XJTLU four core education systems). During these two years, my partners and I have jointly built our ideal kingdom both on and off the stage. We have held nearly 15 events of various sizes, putting one idea after another into practice. At the same time, we have also gained precious friendships. During these processes, I explored myself in different fields, learned how to communicate and cooperate more effectively, and grew more determined, inclusive and confident than ever before.

Take the initiative to embrace everything that belongs to you, fully feel and enjoy it. This is a new world full of vitality!

— **Shiqi Huang**

Pharmaceutical Sciences, Class of 2023

Besides the clubs, I've met many interesting professors and classmates in the Urban Planning programme.

Group Projects: One reason we became familiar with each other so quickly was through working on group projects. Most urban planning courses require teamwork. For example, when I took UPD106 in my second year, every tutorial involved group brainstorming sessions where we created posters on the spot and then gave random group presentations. Group assignments came in different formats too: UPD106 ended with a group debate, UPD209 required site visits followed by group presentations, and UPD206 involved writing an analytical prediction report based on government website data.

What I Gained from Group Work: Working with different people taught me to approach problems from multiple perspectives. Of course, different ways of thinking also meant we had to learn to accommodate and understand each other. Group work gave us a taste of what it's like to interact with all kinds of people in the real world. In my experience, the key is staying open-minded and willing to communicate. You have to accept that "sometimes others will convince me, and sometimes I will convince others." Communication encourages you to rethink conclusions from different viewpoints and to reason things out by standing in someone else's shoes. That's the true beauty of group work.

Finding a Sense of Belonging: Urban Planning is a very tight-knit department, thanks in large part to the many activities organised each semester, like badminton tournaments and New Year parties. Students from all year levels take part — and so do the professors, who chat and play games with everyone. Our Development Advisor (DA) also cares a lot about student life. During midterms and finals, they often organise relaxation parties in the little garden on the third floor of the EB building, offering snacks to help us de-stress. These events are usually announced in the class group chat, so it's important to keep an eye on it to stay updated about what's happening in the department.

— **Zewen Zhang**

majoring in Urban Planning, Class of 2022

## FUTURE PLANNING

### CAREER CENTRE

#### Dear Students

Welcome to the XJTLU Career Centre. The XJTLU Career Centre provides students with career planning, further study guidance, internship opportunities, innovation and entrepreneurship guidance, the external mentor program, graduation dispatch and more services in order to open a window for students into society, to promote students' cognition of society, life and career and to improve students' comprehensive quality, professional competitiveness and employability.

#### FURTHER STUDY SUPPORT

The Career Centre has established a comprehensive service regarding further study, providing a diversified platform to support students in advancing their academic journey. This service includes the XJTLU International Education Fair, World-Class University Admissions Information Sessions, Study Abroad Roundtable Discussion, Faculty Admissions Days, Alumni Sharing Sessions, Further Study Guidance Courses, Personal Statement Writing Workshops, and One-on-One Consultations.



This service establishes a bridge between XJTLU students and global top-tier higher education institutions, while fostering students' awareness of early planning and efficient preparation. By integrating international educational resources and the advantages of alumni networks, the service is dedicated to enhancing the comprehensive competitiveness of our students in applying to world-leading universities.

#### EMPLOYMENT OPTIMISATION

The Career Centre provides students with abundant employment resources to help develop their career interests and abilities. Students are welcome to log in to the Career Centre's official website and WeChat official account to obtain all the information about open positions, internships and employment activities. Students can also sign up for various types of career activities, such as job fairs, career talks, workshops (in English and Chinese) including resume writing and interview skills.







## CAREER GUIDANCE

The Career Centre provides a lot of support for students' self-development and careers planning. Through lectures, workshops, partnering with career counselors, students benefit from personalised guidance on setting and maintaining career goals, gaining self and industrial awareness, building business networks and making wise career choices. Furthermore, the Online Career Evaluation Test helps them learn about their interests, skills, values and personality traits.



## INNOVATION AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

The Career Centre undertakes to guide students' innovative undertakings by encouraging and fostering innovation and entrepreneurship, providing students with practical platforms to improve entrepreneurial qualities and comprehensive abilities. It also offers support for students' entrepreneur projects to promote resource integration between scientific research, mentors, and local enterprises.



## GRADUATE SERVICE

A Graduate Service is provided under the guidance of XJTLU's 'Five-Star Education model' and in line with the 'student-centred' service tenet. The Hukou & archive dispatch service is provided to undergraduates, postgraduates and doctoral students from XJTLU at the time of their graduation.



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## ALUMNI AFFAIRS OFFICE

### Dear Students

Founded in 2010, the XJTLU Alumni Association is a global non-profit network open to all students upon enrollment. Join the Alumni Liaison Association (ALA) - a student-led team under the Alumni Affairs Office - to unlock mentorship opportunities.

'Connect Alumni, Empower Students' via storytelling interviews, career forums, & resource workshops. The ALA provides industry insights, career maps, and growth strategies from global alumni, ensuring your future success within XJTLU's global network.

## SUMMER WELCOME & CONNECT EVENT: JOIN US!

We sincerely invite incoming students to our onsite summer orientation. Engage directly with passionate senior alumni to uncover XJTLU's academic and campus life hacks, clarify doubts, and kickstart your university journey with confidence.



## JOURNEY TO FURTHER STUDY

Journey to Further Study serves as a collaborative hub for XJTLU students pursuing further studies, offering networking, info-sharing, and academic/career resource platforms. We currently manage 100+ active study groups spanning universities, regions, and disciplines (e.g., 'XJTLU @ UCL 2025', 'XJTLU in the U.S.', 'XJTLU @ Harvard'). All alumni worldwide—domestic or abroad—are invited to join our global network!



Alumni Association  
XJTLU



## VOICES OF EXPERIENCE - FUTURE PLANNING



“At XJTLU, finding your own direction without external pressure is especially important. Unlike traditional universities, XJTLU does not offer clear short-term or long-term goals such as guaranteed postgraduate study opportunities or standardised English tests like CET-4 and CET-6. As a result, some students may fall into a ‘boiling frog’ situation—unaware that they are falling behind in their studies or internship preparation due to a lack of urgency.

My approach is to start by imagining the kind of life I want in the future, and then gradually refine my goals. For example, I would ask myself what kind of work mode I prefer: do I like having tasks assigned by a supervisor, or do I prefer planning things independently? Based on these preferences, I would explore suitable careers and look into the specific lifestyle and responsibilities involved - such as daily working hours or whether frequent travel is required.

However, many freshmen may find it difficult to envision a future career due to a lack of experience. That’s why connecting with senior students and expanding your network is a crucial way to gather real-world information.

Lastly, trying different things is essential. Often, our assumptions about a certain career - or others’ descriptions of an ‘ideal job’ - may not be entirely accurate. Only through hands-on experience can you truly determine what suits you. In my second year, I participated in several research projects. Through those experiences, I discovered a strong passion for research and realised it was a perfect fit for me. That eventually led me to pursue a career in academia, and I’ve stayed committed to that path through to the PhD level.”

— Ruilong Li

Economics and Finance, Class of 2018

“Graduate school applications and career development are perennial priorities for university students. XJTLU supports this through frequent workshops and alumni sharing sessions, including postgraduate admission panels led by senior students and industry career talks featuring seasoned professionals. These events help us understand the competencies required for specific fields. From my freshman year, I actively participated in these activities, gaining early clarity on how to structure my four-year journey - identifying key tasks and timelines for each stage. Simultaneously, I explored diverse industries to pinpoint my real interests. The next phase involves making choices and taking action. This process is essentially one of self-discovery: recognising my core strengths and aligning them with future goals. Through internships, I discovered that I am a creative and perceptive individual with strong market sensitivity. Consequently, I aim to pursue a marketing-oriented master’s programme and career. To build relevant experience, I deliberately sought marketing-related internships across industries, prioritising roles with hands-on marketing responsibilities over specific sectors. Such experiences not only enhance your resume and personal statements but also create a compelling narrative for admissions committees, demonstrating both your industry exposure and commitment to further study. XJTLU’s strengths in global perspectives and postgraduate admission rates are evident, with most students securing offers from top universities. This advantage ensures I obtain a ticket to a prestigious overseas university and empower me to navigate an uncertain world. As for the future - let’s see.”

— Yunyi Zhang

International Business with Spanish, Class of 2022

## FRESHMEN TASKS

### Dear Students

Welcome to Xi’an Jiaotong-Liverpool University (XJTLU) family.

To help you transit smoothly into university life, we have specially designed a series of task checklists. By completing these tasks, you will gradually familiarise yourself with our campus culture, build a sense of belonging, and acquire essential survival skills.

### PRE-ARRIVAL CHECKLIST (FROM ADMISSION TO REGISTRATION)

- 01 Activate and use your XJTLU email account.** All important notifications from the university, including those about registration, course selection, and timetables, will be sent to your mailbox. Please check it daily to stay informed and avoid missing any critical updates.
- 02 Carefully read the 2025 - 2026 New Student Registration Guide.** Pay particular attention to key processes such as tuition payment and on-site registration. Ensure that all required steps are completed within the designated time frame.
- 03 Log in and explore the e-Bridge platform.** Before proceeding with academic year registration and course selection, please carefully read the ‘2025-2026 Freshman Major Selection Guide’ and ‘the Academic Registration Guide’ to understand prerequisite courses and requirements for various programs. This will help you clarify your intended major and make informed decisions about elective courses aligned with your personal development plan. Subsequently, complete your academic year registration via the e-Bridge platform. Follow instructions in the emails from the Academic Timetables Team ([timetables@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:timetables@xjtlu.edu.cn)) to select courses via the Timetable Plus system.
- 04 Familiarise yourself with the services of university departments.** Review resources such as CHASING YOUR DREAM and the university’s official website to learn about the service offerings and contact details of various administrative departments. Develop the ability to proactively seek out campus resources and support systems.
- 05 Connect with your Buddy.** The university assigns each new student a senior student Buddy to help you adapt to campus life. Before the semester begins, join the official local Buddy QQ group from your hometown to interact with local Buddies and fellow incoming students in advance. During Week 0, proactively contact your assigned class Buddy by checking your email to receive timely assistance.
- 06 Establish contact with your Development Advisor (DA).** This marks a crucial starting point for your university journey. Access your DA’s information via the e-Bridge platform, join your administrative class group before Week 0, and check your email for notifications about the first class meeting.

The Post-Arrival Growth Checklist and detailed instructions will be announced after registration.

### A SPECIAL NOTE FOR NEW STUDENTS

Dear students, these tasks are not ‘assessments’ but an ‘action map’ we have designed for you. Like newbie quests in a game, they will guide you to unlock essential skills and growth pathways for university life.

By the time you complete them one by one, you will find that your understanding of university life deepens naturally, and you will have already gained a rich and expansive initial experience of your college journey.



# APPENDIX 1

## UNIVERSITY SERVICE STATIONS

The first step towards success is learning how to obtain resources and support.

### Student Development Advice Centre

✉ [SDA@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:SDA@xjtlu.edu.cn)



### One-Stop Student Service Centre

SIP Campus

☎ 0512-88161854

✉ [onestop@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:onestop@xjtlu.edu.cn)

XEC Campus

☎ 0512-88970501

✉ [studentonestop.TC@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:studentonestop.TC@xjtlu.edu.cn)

### Accommodation Support Team

SIP Campus

☎ 0512-88973000

✉ [accommodation@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:accommodation@xjtlu.edu.cn)

XEC Campus

☎ 0512-88970503

✉ [Accommodation.TC@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:Accommodation.TC@xjtlu.edu.cn)

### Student Counselling Centre

SIP Campus

☎ 0512-88161815

✉ [counsellingservice@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:counsellingservice@xjtlu.edu.cn)

XEC Campus

☎ 0512-89167611

✉ [counselling.tc@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:counselling.tc@xjtlu.edu.cn)

### Student Organisation and Support

SIP Campus

✉ [scs@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:scs@xjtlu.edu.cn)

XEC Campus

☎ 0512-88970551

✉ [SCS.XEC@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:SCS.XEC@xjtlu.edu.cn)



### Buddy Programme

✉ [buddy@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:buddy@xjtlu.edu.cn)



### Careers Centre

SIP Campus

☎ 0512-81888308

🌐 <https://careers.xjtlu.edu.cn/>

✉ [careers@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:careers@xjtlu.edu.cn)



### Registry Service and Support

☎ 0512-88161230

✉ [academicservices@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:academicservices@xjtlu.edu.cn)



### Physical Education Centre

SIP Campus

☎ 0512-81889073

✉ [Sports.Centre@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:Sports.Centre@xjtlu.edu.cn)

XEC Campus

☎ 0512-89167612

✉ [SportsCentre.XEC@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:SportsCentre.XEC@xjtlu.edu.cn)

### Art Center

SIP Campus

✉ [artcenter@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:artcenter@xjtlu.edu.cn)

XEC Campus

✉ [artcenter.tc@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:artcenter.tc@xjtlu.edu.cn)



### Alumni Service

✉ [alumni@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:alumni@xjtlu.edu.cn)



### Library

SIP Campus

☎ 0512-88161290

✉ [library-service@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:library-service@xjtlu.edu.cn)

XEC Campus

☎ 0512-88970716



### IT Service Centre

SIP Campus

☎ 0512-88161250

✉ [IT@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:IT@xjtlu.edu.cn)

XEC Campus

☎ 0512-88970505

✉ [IT.TC@xjtlu.edu.cn](mailto:IT.TC@xjtlu.edu.cn)



# APPENDIX 2

## USEFUL LINKS SUMMARY

### e-Journey (Freshman Registration Portal)

Through e-Journey, you can gain a deeper understanding of XJTLU's unique culture, philosophy, and services. You can also complete your on-campus registration process easily and efficiently, and access your personalised registration checklist.



### E-Hall

A portal providing centralised access to various university systems and services.



### Learning Mall (XJTLU Learning Hub)

Learning Mall is XJTLU's internal academic platform that supports both learning and teaching activities.



### Library

The library offers a rich collection of printed resources, including discipline-specific books, as well as hundreds of newspapers and magazines. It also provides a wide range of digital resources and e-books. Visit the library website to access digital materials.



### e-Bridge

This system provides access to a wide array of student information, university policies, and regulations. It also supports operations such as optional module selection, programme choice, transcript requests, and other academic requests.



### AMS (Attendance Management System)

This platform is used to request leave and check your attendance record. You can access the AMS through the e-Bridge homepage by entering CAA@E-Bridge - Document Zone to review the Student Attendance Policy.



### One-Stop Student Service Centre

Handles non-academic services such as student ID card issuance/replacement, record inquiries, household registration matters, and applications for non-academic scholarships and awards.



### E-Support

Log in to E-Support to explore IT-related FAQs and policies.



### XJTLU Webmail

Students can access and manage their emails via the XJTLU webmail portal.





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Change XJTLU Account Password

Use the official password management portal to change your XJTLU account password.



Student Clubs

Visit the Club Support Centre’s official website to browse and manage your club-related information.



XJTLU Entrepreneur College (Taicang)

Stay up-to-date with the latest news and information about the Taicang campus.



Career Centre

Log in to the official Career Development Centre portal to view the latest job postings, book career consultations with CDC staff, access the industry mentor programme, and explore graduation support services.



< CHASING YOUR DREAM > PRIZE SURVEY

Dear Student,

Thank you for reading Chasing Your Dream! To help us improve future editions, we’d love to hear your thoughts. Please take 1–2 minutes to complete this short survey. We will randomly select a few participants from the valid responses to receive an exclusive XJTLU teddy bear as a gift!



Chasing Your Dream  
Prize Survey



APPENDIX 3

CALENDAR OF XJTLU

Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University 2025-2026 Academic Calendar (STUDENT)											
Semester	Month	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat	Sun	Calendar Week	Semester Week & Description	
Semester 1	September 2025	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	1	Week 0: Registration and induction	
		8	9	10	11	12	13	14	2	Week 1: Teaching starts	
		15	16	17	18	19	20	21	3	Week 2	
		22	23	24	25	26	27	28	4	Week 3	
	October 2025	29	30	1	2	3	4	5	5	National Day; University closure days	
		6	7	8	9	10	11	12	6	Week 4; Mid-Autumn Festival	
		13	14	15	16	17	18	19	7	Week 5	
		20	21	22	23	24	25	26	8	Week 6	
	November 2025	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	9	Week 7	
		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Week 8	
		10	11	12	13	14	15	16	11	Week 9	
		17	18	19	20	21	22	23	12	Week 10	
	December 2025	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	13	Week 11	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	14	Week 12	
		8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	Week 13	
		15	16	17	18	19	20	21	16	Reading Week	
	January 2026	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	17	Reading Week; Christmas	
		29	30	31	1	2	3	4	18	Examination days; New Year	
		5	6	7	8	9	10	11	19	Examination days	
		12	13	14	15	16	17	18	20	Winter School*	
Semester 2	February 2026	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	21	Winter School	
		26	27	28	29	30	31	1	22	Winter School	
		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	23	Winter School	
		9	10	11	12	13	14	15	24	Winter School	
	March 2026	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	25	Spring Festival; University closure days	
		23	24	25	26	27	28	1	26	University closure days; Week 0: Registration and induction	
		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	27	Week 1: Teaching starts	
		9	10	11	12	13	14	15	28	Week 2	
	April 2026	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	29	Week 3	
		23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	Week 4	
		30	31	1	2	3	4	5	31	Week 5; Qingming Festival	
		6	7	8	9	10	11	12	32	Week 6; University closure days	
	May 2026	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	33	Week 7	
		20	21	22	23	24	25	26	34	Week 8	
		27	28	29	30	1	2	3	35	Week 9; Graduation ceremony; Labour Day	
		4	5	6	7	8	9	10	36	Week 10; University closure days	
	June 2026	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	37	Week 11	
		18	19	20	21	22	23	24	38	Week 12	
		25	26	27	28	29	30	31	39	Week 13	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	40	Reading Week; Examination days	
	July 2026	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	41	Examination days	
		15	16	17	18	19	20	21	42	Summer School*; Dragon Boat Festival	
		22	23	24	25	26	27	28	43	Summer School	
		29	30	1	2	3	4	5	44	Summer School	
	August 2026	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	45	Summer School	
		13	14	15	16	17	18	19	46	Summer School	
		20	21	22	23	24	25	26	47	Reading Week (for resits)	
		27	28	29	30	31	1	2	48	Reading Week (for resits); Graduation ceremony	
		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	49	Resit examinations	
		10	11	12	13	14	15	16	50	Summer School	
		17	18	19	20	21	22	23	51	Summer School	
		24	25	26	27	28	29	30	52	Summer School	
		31	1	2	3	4	5	6	53	Summer School	

Teaching days	No colour	Reading week; Winter/Summer School
National holidays		Examination days
University closure days		XJTLU graduation ceremony

\*During the Winter/Summer Schools, students have the opportunity to engage in extracurricular study activities such as study abroad programmes, SURF, field trips, and other supplementary learning experiences that enrich their formal degree education.