

LIFE BEYOND CENTURY AVENUE

CLASS OF 2019



CAREER DEVELOPMENT CENTER



CLASS OF 2019

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上海纽约大学2019届毕业生



ABOUT NYU SHANGHAI

Founded in 2012 by New York University and East China Normal University with the support of the city of Shanghai and the district of Pudong, NYU Shanghai is China's first Sino-US research university and the third degree-granting campus of the NYU Global Network.

Based in the dynamic city of Shanghai, China and international in outlook, NYU Shanghai seeks to cultivate globally-minded graduates and citizens through innovative teaching, world class research, and a commitment to public service. Every undergraduate student pursues a course of study that will equip them with the broad knowledge base and the tools they will need to become creative thinkers and active learners throughout their lives.

NYU Shanghai's student body currently consists of 1,500 undergraduate and graduate students, half of whom are from China. Students from the United States and some 70 other countries represent the other half.

CHANCELLORS' MESSAGE

Four and a half years ago, the members of the Class of 2019 chose to pursue a unique kind of education at NYU Shanghai: one that was cross-cultural, rooted in the liberal arts, and designed to transform them into globally-minded citizens.

The 2019 Life Beyond Century Avenue report finds our graduates embarking upon diverse fields of endeavor across 29 countries and regions — from graduate school and research to finance and software development, to volunteer work in underdeveloped communities.

We are extremely proud of our graduates and their successful launch into the world of work and advanced study. We are confident that they will continue to make significant contributions to their communities.

Yu Lizhong
Chancellor
of NYU Shanghai

Jeffrey S. Lehman
Vice Chancellor
of NYU Shanghai

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I was during the first semester at NYU Shanghai that I felt a shift in my attitude toward academics. I was encouraged by teachers for the first time to focus not on test scores, but on developing my own perspectives. I stopped trying to fit into a certain model to get a good grade and learned to put forward my own thoughts and opinions after active thinking and exploration.



Zhao Xuehan

CURRENT ROLE

Knight-Hennessy Scholar
M.A. Candidate in East Asian Studies,
Stanford University
Stanford, California, USA

MAJOR

Global China Studies

HOME COUNTRY

China



CLASS PROFILE



• Distribution of Majors



41%

STEM

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Computer Systems
- Engineering
- Data Science
- Electrical and Systems Engineering
- Honors Mathematics
- Interactive Media and Business
- Interactive Media Arts
- Mathematics
- Neural Science
- Physics



31%

Business

- Business and Finance
- Business and Marketing



20%

Social Science

- Economics
- Social Science



8%

Humanities

- Global China Studies
- Humanities

61%

completed a second major or a minor

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I have benefited greatly from NYU Shanghai's emphasis on undergraduate research. In the summer of my sophomore year, I became a DURF (Deans' Undergraduate Research Fund) program fellow and was given the freedom to decide my own research topics with the guidance of a professor-mentor, with funding support from the school. It was my first time taking on a business research project. The experience impressed my employer in the recruitment process. Because of my DURF experience, I was able to deepen my interests in business analysis and set the foundation for my career in consulting.



I Luo Yizhen

CURRENT ROLE

Junior Consultant,
Roland Berger
Shanghai, China

MAJOR

Business and Marketing
Data Science

HOME COUNTRY

China

“

After graduating, I've come to realize just how lucky I was to have such a unique and international experience at NYU Shanghai. During the four years, I gained new perspectives on people and cultures around the world. I got to live and study in a multicultural community where communications, respect, patience and inclusiveness were valued. NYU Shanghai gave me the tools to navigate and succeed in any working environment — including the rural Moroccan community I am currently working in.

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I Claudia Helen Dzaluk

CURRENT ROLE

Youth Development Specialist,
Peace Corps
Morocco

MAJOR

Humanities

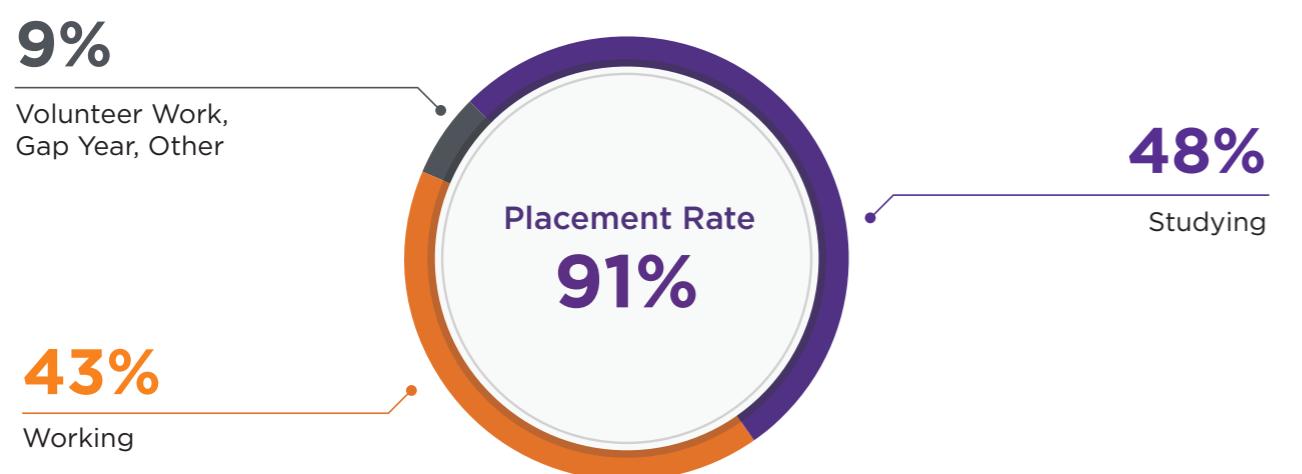
HOME COUNTRY

United States





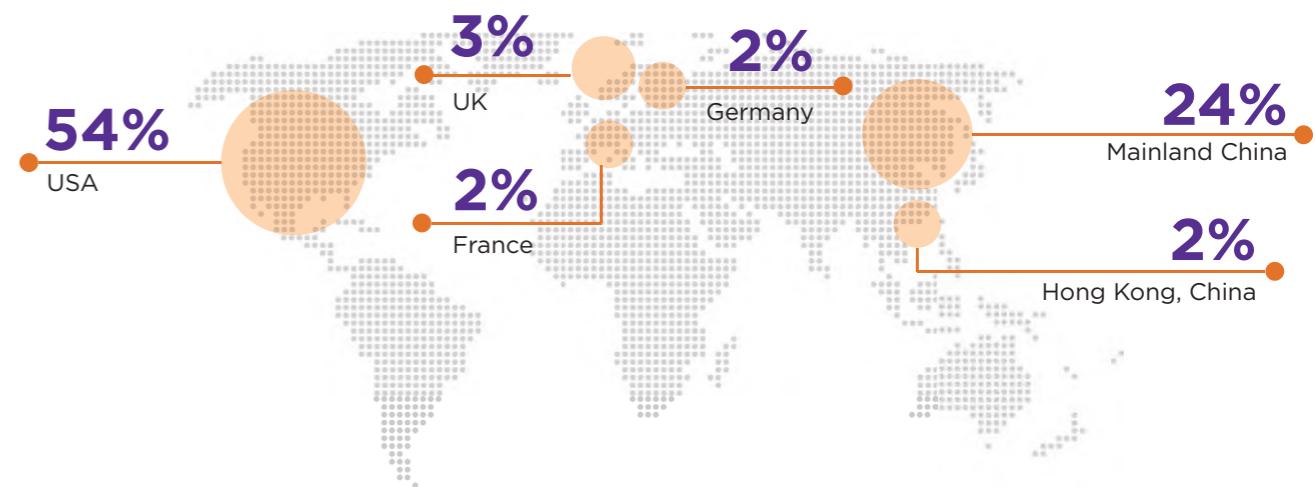
FIRST DESTINATIONS



*This report includes NYU Shanghai graduates from January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019. Figures in this report are based on the 95% of graduates for which the University has reasonable and verifiable information about their post-graduation activities, including information gathered from survey responses as well as other research from external sources.

Statistics are rounded to the nearest whole number. Therefore, totals do not always equal 100%.

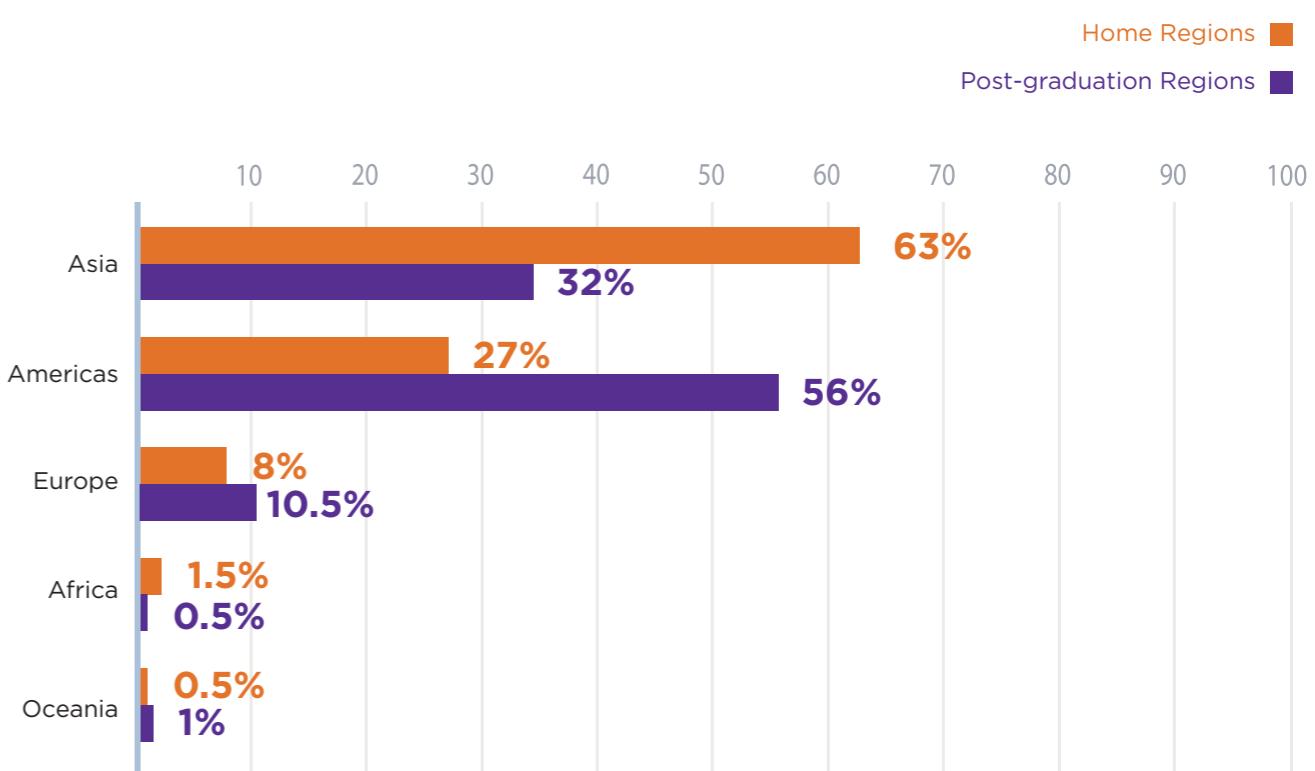
Where Did They Go?



29 post-graduation countries and regions

65% do not reside in their home country post-graduation

Home Regions vs. Post-graduation Regions



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I made friends for life at NYU Shanghai, connections with faculty whose guidance and support I will always be grateful for, and a ton of memories that I will always cherish. Four years ago, I was just a quiet and shy girl who came to Shanghai all by myself with no idea of what was in store for me. Shanghai was the city that taught me to be independent, fearless and brave. Shanghai became my second home and the biggest thing I miss about it is that feeling of ‘home’.

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I chose to study at NYU Shanghai because I wanted to challenge myself with unfamiliar surroundings and diverse coursework. NYU Shanghai provided the perfect blend of location and courses that enabled me to explore my ancestral roots and forge a stronger sense of identity and direction within my life ... Amidst the diversity of NYU Shanghai, I was able to develop a sense of identity independent of the preconceptions of others. Professionally and academically, the high-achieving nature of my fellow classmates pushed me to find my own success.

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I Safia Kariapper

CURRENT ROLE

2019 Princeton in Asia (PiA) Fellow
Science, Technology, Engineering and
Mathematics (STEM) Instructor
Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan

MAJOR

Chemistry

HOME COUNTRY

Sri Lanka

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I Luke Chen

CURRENT ROLE

M.A. in Public Policy,
University of Chicago
Chicago, USA

MAJOR

Economics
Global China Studies

HOME COUNTRY

Canada

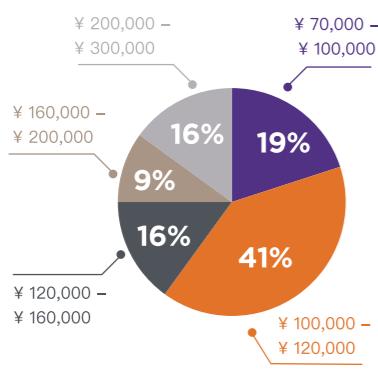


EMPLOYMENT

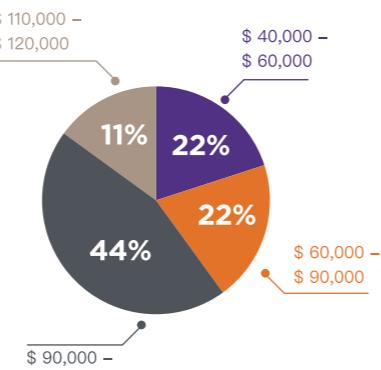
By Industry



Annual Salary Distribution

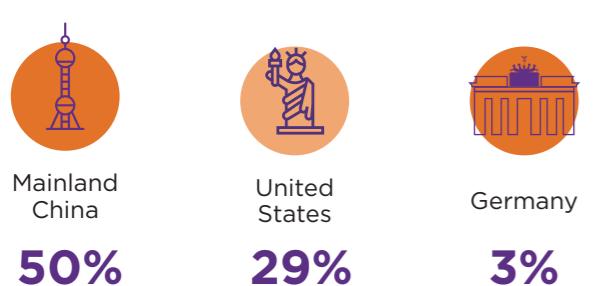


1.8 | average number of job offers received



19 | countries and regions where graduates hold jobs

Top Countries And Regions



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NYU Shanghai encouraged me to explore the world, to make the world my major.

In my junior year, I studied away in NYU Abu Dhabi and interned at PwC Dubai, which led to a full-time job after graduation. I feel NYU Shanghai prepared me well for my current life in Dubai, where I can explore the fusion of Arabic, African, European, South Asian, and Pacific Asian cultures. Life is a series of travels, and you can never travel too much.

”

Zhou Yuxin

CURRENT ROLE

Consultant,
Tax and Legal Services, PwC
Dubai, UAE

MAJOR

Business and Finance

HOME COUNTRY

China



“

What I like the most is the open and inclusive environment at NYU Shanghai. This school is always encouraging everyone to think about who they really want to be. This gave me the courage to do what I'm truly interested in. If I had gone somewhere else, perhaps I would still be adrift and unsure, afraid to make my own decisions.

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Yang Xiaohan

CURRENT ROLE

Researcher,
Institution of New Economic Development
Chengdu, China

MAJOR

Business and Finance
Data Science

HOME COUNTRY

China

“

At NYU Shanghai, everyone is thrown into a new world. Whether Chinese or international, we all come feeling nervous, not quite understanding one thing or another, and in that space there is so much potential for growth and bridge-building. I miss that most of all ... There are so many good schools in the U.S. and all over the world, but NYU Shanghai was the only school I encountered where I thought to myself, 'Wow, I'd really be missing out on something unique if I didn't attend.'

”

Anthony Comeau

CURRENT ROLE

Field Organizer,
2020 Democratic presidential candidate
Andrew Yang's presidential campaign
New Hampshire, United States

MAJOR

Social Sciences

HOME COUNTRY

United States





EMPLOYMENT

Hardware/Internet/IT/Software

Amazon Luxembourg	Baidu Beijing, China	DFRobot Shanghai, China
IBM North Carolina, USA	Transsion Holdings Shanghai, China	Rakuten Travel Shanghai, China
Zilingo Jakarta, Indonesia		

Accounting/Banking/Financial Services

Bank of America Arizona, USA	The Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce Toronto, Canada	China Merchants Bank Shanghai, China
Citibank New York, USA	Deutsche Bank Frankfurt, Germany; Moscow, Russia	EagleTree Capital New York, USA
Genius Auto Finance Shanghai, China	Green Court Capital Management Shanghai, China	J.P. Morgan New York, USA; Shanghai, China
PwC Shanghai, China		

Education/Research

Cambridge Worldwide Academy Dushanbe, Tajikistan	Georgia Tech Tianjin University Shenzhen Institute Shenzhen, China	Institution of New Economic Development Chengdu, China
NYU Shanghai Shanghai, China	Yale Center Beijing Beijing, China	

Management Consulting

Accenture New York, USA; Washington DC, USA	Deloitte Shanghai, China	Ernst & Young Shanghai, China
FTI Consulting New York, USA	KPMG Shanghai, China	PwC Dubai, UAE; Shanghai, China
Roland Berger Shanghai, China		

Advertising/Communication/Marketing/Public Relations

Cadreon Chicago, USA	Mediaocean New York, USA
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Real Estate

Emaar Properties Dubai, UAE	WeWork Shanghai, China
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Healthcare/Pharmaceuticals

Kanghui Medical Innovation Shanghai, China	Siemens Healthineers Shanghai, China
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Non-Profit Organizations/Social Services

Peace Corps Morocco	Reenergia Islamabad, Pakistan
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NYU Shanghai challenged all my assumptions about the world. I went from assuming that all people would view ideas in the same way to developing an understanding of the complexities of people's differing perspectives. This knowledge has best prepared me to tackle problems in the world now as an entrepreneur.

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As an Honors Mathematics major, I was hesitant at first to ask questions before the professors moved on. But the small class sizes at NYU Shanghai and my professors' encouraging attitudes made it easy for me to follow up whenever I didn't understand something. I really enjoyed the atmosphere of learning created by my professors. They were both mentors and friends to me, who not only helped me lay a solid foundation in mathematics, but offered valuable advice for my future career.

”



Muddassar Sharif

CURRENT ROLE

Co-founder,
mltrons, a data science technology firm
Shanghai, China

MAJOR

Data Science

HOME COUNTRY

Pakistan

Fang Qiheng

CURRENT ROLE

Quantitative Researcher,
Wissens Technology
Shanghai, China

MAJOR

Honors Mathematics

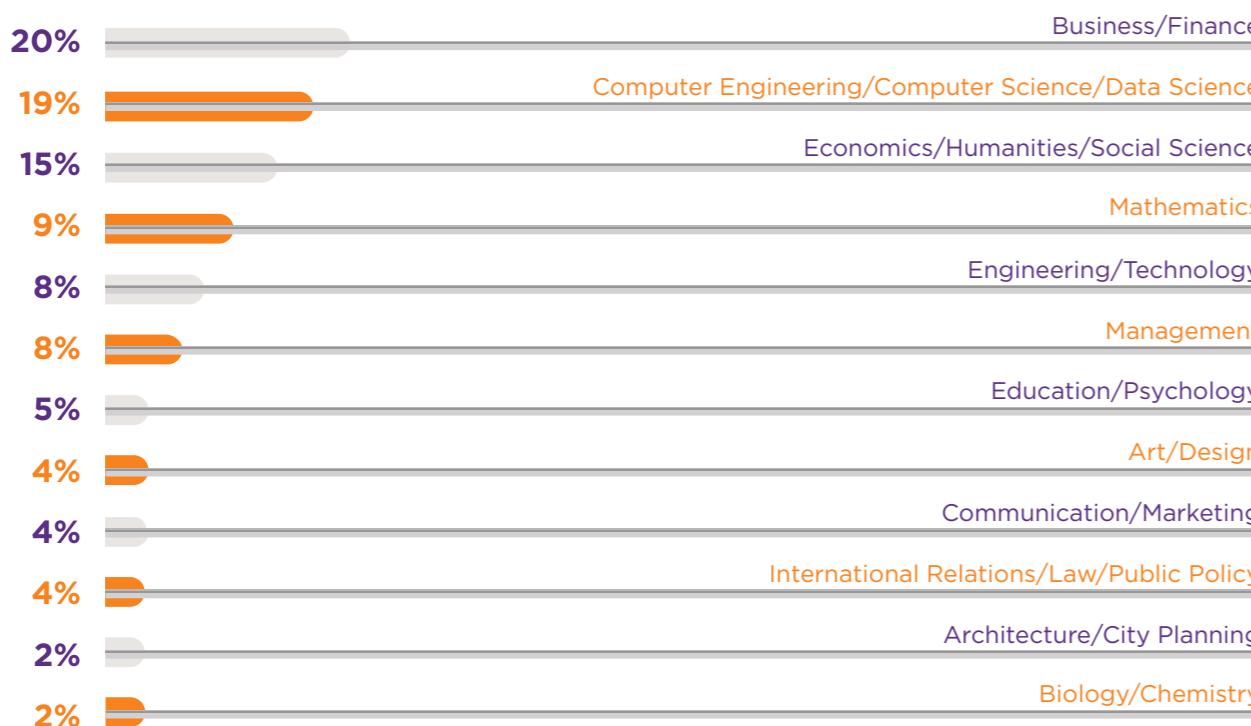
HOME COUNTRY

China



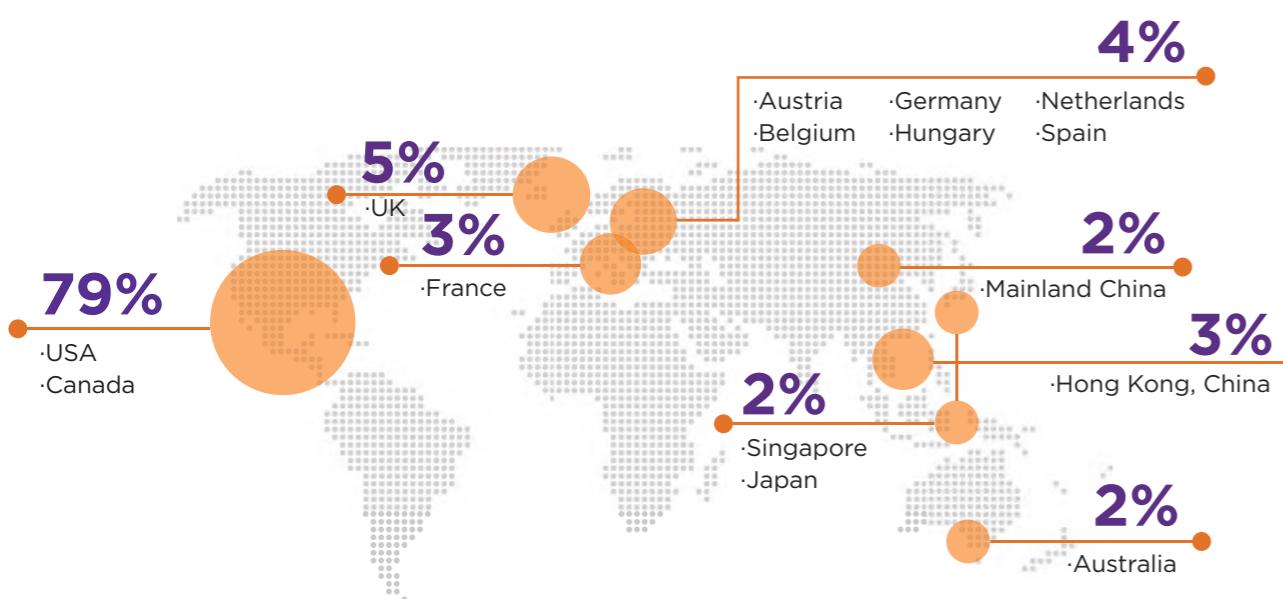
GRADUATE SCHOOL

Graduate School Areas of Study



3.3 | average number of offers received **72%** | graduates received at least 2 graduate school offers **Average GRE Score**
327 Total **4** Writing

Where Are They Studying?



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In high school, I was a typical arts student who loved literature and art. At NYU Shanghai, no one would ever tell you that you can't study something because you're an arts student. Because of this, I learned not to make snap judgments about whether I like or dislike something. I also learned not to assume I'd be bad at something new before trying it out.

”

Hu Wenqian

CURRENT ROLE

M.S. Candidate in Human-Computer Interaction,
 Carnegie Mellon University
 Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, USA

MAJOR

Humanities
 Interactive Media Arts

HOME COUNTRY

China





GRADUATE SCHOOL

9

PhD/JD

108

Master's

Notable Schools and Programs

PhD/JD

Boston College Economics	Boston University Economics	University of California, Berkeley Computer Science
Chinese University of Hong Kong Law	University of Florida Chemistry	New York University Mathematics
Northeastern University Computer Science	Northwestern University Engineering Science and Applied Mathematics	University of Southern California Economics

Master's

ArtCenter College of Design Media Design Practices	Boston University Finance	University of California, Berkeley Architecture; Computer Science
University of California, San Diego Computer Science; Machine Learning	Cambridge University Criminology; Innovation, Strategy & Organisation	University of Chicago Computational and Applied Mathematics; Computational Social Science; Public Policy
Carnegie Mellon University Computational Data Science; Entertainment Technology; Human-Computer Interaction; Integrated Innovation for Products and Services	Columbia University Business Analytics; Data Science; Enterprise Business Management; Operations Research; Statistics; Technology Management	Cornell University Financial Engineering; Real Estate
Duke University Statistics	Emory University Business Analytics	ESCP Business School Management
Georgetown University Biology; Economics; Management; Security Study	Harvard University Computational Science and Engineering	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign Computer Science; Human Resources
The University of Hong Kong Business Analytics	Johns Hopkins University Electrical and Computer Engineering; Financial Mathematics; Marketing; International Political Economics	London School of Economics and Political Science Culture and Society
London School of Economics and Political Science and University of Southern California Global Media and Communications	Massachusetts Institute of Technology Finance	University of Michigan Computer Science and Engineering; Information
National University of Singapore Business Analytics	University of Melbourne Computer Science	University of Oxford Financial Economics
NYU Stern School of Business - NYU Shanghai Data Analytics and Business Computing; Quantitative Finance	New York University Accounting; Computer Science; Data Science; Finance; Interactive Telecommunications Program; Mathematics; Psychology	Stanford University East Asian Studies
Peking University China Studies	University of Pennsylvania City Planning; Data Science	University of Texas, Austin Computer Science; Electrical and System Engineering
University of Southern California Business Analytics; Communication Management	The University of Sydney Finance	University of Warwick Psychology and Education
University of Tokyo Agricultural Economics	University of Toronto Economics	Washington University in St. Louis Business Analytics
University of Washington Human-Computer Interaction and Design		

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What I miss most about NYU Shanghai are the professors. NYU Shanghai has many prominent professors. They teach different courses but they all have one thing in common: The ability to convey both the broader significance of a complicated idea and to explore all the technical details with students.

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Being at NYU Shanghai has changed the way I approach people and communicate across cultures, as I find that some things that are fine in your culture might be offensive to another's culture. When I go back to Ethiopia, people tell me, 'You know, you are very different now' — the way I speak has changed, my perspective on things has changed. I'm very glad to hear them saying that my four-year undergraduate study has changed me in a positive way.

“

Gai Yu

CURRENT ROLE

Ph.D. Candidate in Computer Science,
University of California, Berkeley
Berkeley, California, USA

MAJOR

Computer Science

HOME COUNTRY

China



Honey Lera

CURRENT ROLE

M.S. Candidate in Tumor Biology,
Georgetown University
Washington, D.C., USA

MAJOR

Biology

HOME COUNTRY

Ethiopia



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Studying in a diverse, interdisciplinary, ambitious school like NYU Shanghai gave me a strong foundation of leadership and research skills to bring with me to the Yenching Academy ... I'm so excited and grateful to continue my education in Chinese literature and culture at the Yenching Academy. I'm really looking forward to learning from and collaborating with my fellow scholars and professors, as well as taking advantage of the resources at Peking University to continue improving my Chinese and getting involved in local Beijing communities.

”

Savannah Billman

CURRENT ROLE

Yenching Scholar
M.A. Candidate in China Studies,
Yenching Academy of Peking University
Beijing, China

MAJOR

Global China Studies

HOME COUNTRY

United States



GLOBAL AWARDS

1 | Knight-Hennessy Scholar

1 | Princeton in Asia Fellowship

1 | Yenching Scholar

2 | Fulbright Scholars

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS IN CHINA

- Graduates in China: 16 (14% of international graduates)

12

are working

4

are studying

Notable Companies and Organizations

DFRobot

Shanghai

Eaton Partners

Hong Kong

Kanghui Medical Innovation

Shanghai

Shanghai Hansheng Information Technology

Shanghai

Transsion Holdings

Shanghai

Notable Schools and Master's Programs

Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Engineering
International Management

LSE-Fudan

Global Political Economy of China and Europe

Peking University

China Studies
(Yenching Scholar)

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NYU Shanghai's unique study away experience further broadened my horizons, taking me to Abu Dhabi, New York, and London. Although frightening in the beginning, being thrown into different cultures where I was perceived as a minority brought me new insights in viewing my own culture and passions. I saw a more complicated world where Chinese culture was not dominant and my personal experience did not always fit in with the theories we learned in class.

”



| Zheng Lan

CURRENT ROLE

Community Associate,
WeWork
Shanghai, China

MAJOR

Social Science

HOME COUNTRY

China

“

What I value most about my experience at NYU Shanghai is the necessity to break out of your comfort zone, and more importantly begin seeking something that is uncomfortable. This maxim has shaped me to be more daring, more critical, and more ambitious. This has manifested itself in gaining the nerve to speak broken Chinese in a business meeting or flying into a new country without fear or hesitation. I could have studied computer science at any school, however this intangible lesson is unique to NYU Shanghai and has taught me more than any textbook could.

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| Robert M Prast

CURRENT ROLE

Management Trainee,
DFRobot
Shanghai, China

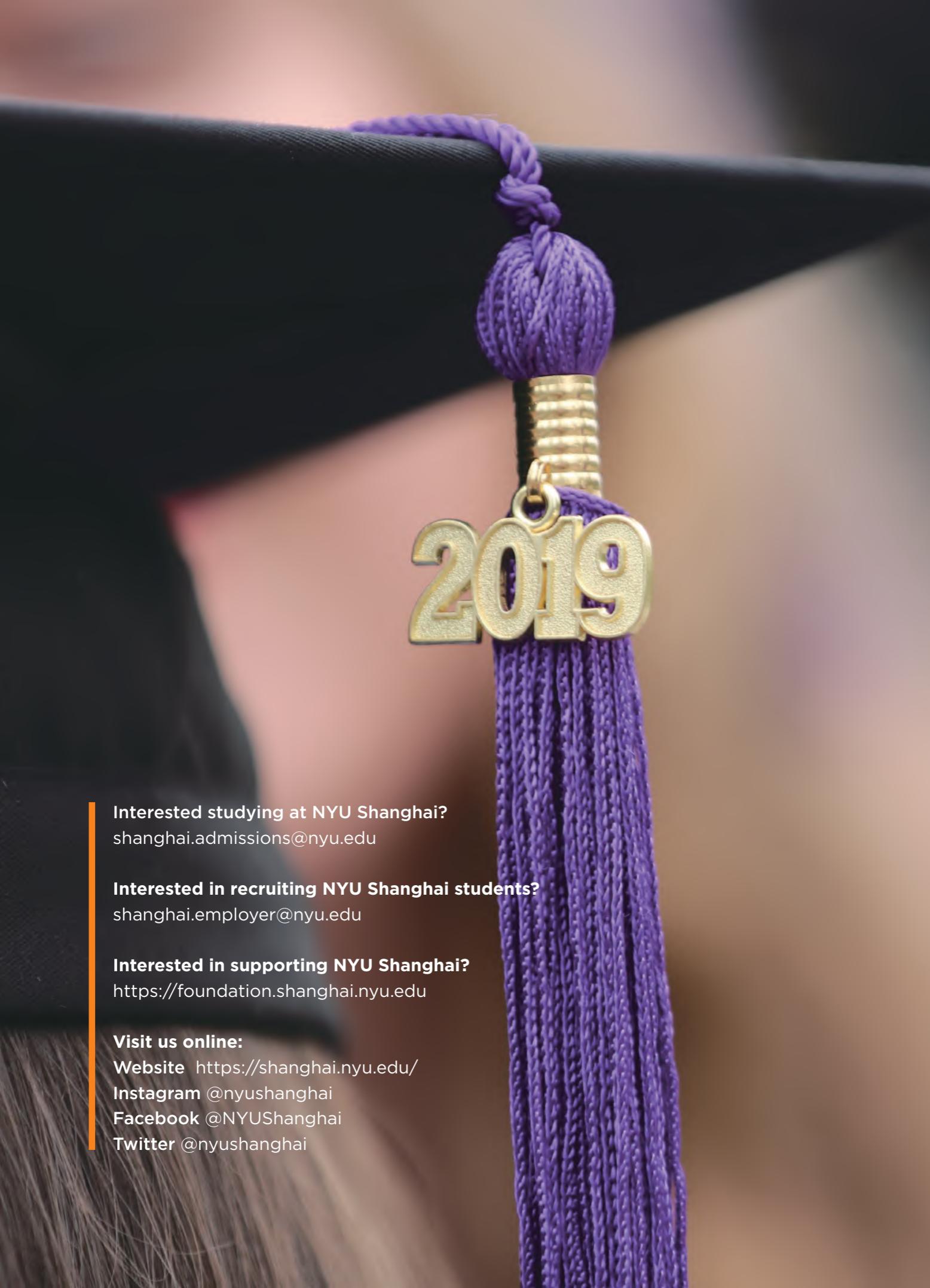
MAJOR

Computer Science

HOME COUNTRY

United States





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