

# **OGAE** in Pictures AY 2023-2024



#### Office of Graduate and Advanced Education













#### **Orientations**

NYU Shanghai's graduate programs launched the academic year with a vibrant mix of orientations and activities, welcoming close to 220 new PhD and Master's students across a range of programs.

Through collaborations with around 30 NYU schools and departments in New York, NYU Shanghai currently offers 11 PhD programs, 7 master's programs, and 3 semester study programs.







## **Graduate and Advanced Education Faculty**

Between Summer 2023 and Summer 2024, 47 faculty members at NYU Shanghai taught graduate courses across various disciplines, contributing to the university's dynamic academic environment. Courses included: Human Behavior in the Social Environment, Second Language Acquisition, Volatility Modeling, Network Analytics, Chinese Financial Markets, Pricing, Art with Al, Campaign Strategy, Data Visualization, and many others.



#### **Experiential Learning**

Experiential learning is a signature feature of NYU Shanghai master's programs. Students from the NYU Shanghai - NYU Stern MS program visited Cadillac's Shanghai Factory & Experience Center in September 2023. Led by MS in Marketing and Retail Science (MRS) Capstone Director, Professor Rayn Wang, the visit featured collaborative activities that bridged theory and industry practice.

NYU Shanghai - NYU Stern currently offers four MS programs: MS in Quantitative Finance, MS in Data Analytics and Business Computing, MS in Marketing and Retail Science, and MS in Organization Management and Strategy.



## **Postdoctoral and Doctoral Research Assembly**

NYU Shanghai's 2nd Annual Postdoctoral and Doctoral Research Assembly showcased the innovative research of two postdoctoral fellows and 18 PhD students across disciplines like biology, computer science, sociology, and urban studies. Best Oral Presentation and Audience Favorite Poster awards recognized outstanding work.

The Annual Postdoctoral and Doctoral Research Assembly, launched in 2023, serves to advance research excellence and cultivate a vibrant intellectual community among young scholars at NYU Shanghai.



## 2024 NYU Annual Conference on Global Real Estate and Capital Markets at NYU Shanghai

The 2024 NYU Annual Conference on Global Real Estate and Capital Markets at NYU Shanghai brought together nearly 200 attendees, including over 30 senior thought leaders from academia and industry, at the university's New Bund campus. The event featured discussions on real estate equity investment, REITs, and China's evolving markets, as well as the official launch of the newly founded NYU Institute for Cities and Real Estate in Emerging Markets at NYU Shanghai (ICREEM).

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#### **IMA Low Res Thesis '24 Show**

The Interactive Media Arts Low Residency (IMA Low Res) Master's Program, jointly offered by NYU Tisch School of the Arts and NYU Shanghai, hosted its "Thesis '24 Show" in June 2024 at the NYU Shanghai New Bund Campus. The show featured innovative and immersive projects by the Class of 2024 from seven countries, highlighting students' technical skills, artistic vision, and personal insights. The two-day show attracted NYU alumni, broader university community as well as professionals from the design, art, and technology fields.



## **TESOL Inter-Institutional Training Programs**

Professor John Liang, Program Director of NYU Shanghai - NYU Steinhardt's joint MA in TESOL, led professional training sessions as part of a collaborative initiative with the Shanghai Foreign Language Education Press Training Center. Trainings focused on content-based course design, equipping educators with effective strategies to integrate content and language instruction.



#### **PELC Certificate Program**

NYU Shanghai's Master of Social Work program, in partnership with the NYU Silver School of Social Work, offered the Palliative and End-of-Life Care (PELC) Certificate Program from July through August 2024. The 45-hour hybrid course blended Eastern and Western knowledge and practices, while combining clinical expertise, theories, and leadership development.

NYU Shanghai - NYU Silver's Master of Social Work program consists of one year of study in China followed by one year of study in the United States.



## **First-Year Doctoral Summer Camp**

Newly admitted Fall 2024 NYU Shanghai PhD students participated in the second annual First-Year Doctoral Summer Camp in July 2024, joining peers from other NYU schools. Through a variety of planned activities, these new doctoral students forged early social connections, built interdisciplinary networks, explored NYU's global resources, and positioned themselves well for their academic journey in New York.

NYU Shanghai offers opportunities for PhD study and research in 11 disciplines: Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Data Science, Electrical Engineering, Mathematics, Neural Science, Physics, Sociology, and Transportation Systems, and Public Administration.



#### **Graduate Student Life**

From exploring Shanghai's historic Bund to celebrating traditional festivals like Mid-autumn and Thanksgiving, NYU Shanghai graduate students embraced diverse experiences this academic year. Highlights included hands-on DIY projects, wellness initiatives, and performances during the International Cultural Lifestyle Week. Through these activities, the Office of Graduate and Advanced Education fosters a vibrant community that supports students' academic and personal growth.



#### **Class of 2024 Graduate Convocation**

NYU Shanghai celebrated its fifth Graduate Convocation on May 26, 2024, recognizing the achievements of 140 graduates across eight PhD and Master's programs. Held at the New Bund Campus, the event brought together students, faculty, and over 300 family members and friends to honor this milestone.

The advanced degree Class of 2024 have pursued diverse career paths across industries and sectors. PhD graduates joined institutions such as the Beijing Institute of Mathematical Sciences, while master's graduates secured roles at multinational corporations, advanced careers in educational institutions globally, and embarked on new artistic projects.



#### NYU Shanghai & Duke Kunshan University Alumni and Graduate Students Gathering

On April 14, 2024, alumni and current students hailing from graduate programs of both NYU Shanghai and Duke Kunshan University gathered at NYU Shanghai New Bund Campus, forging connections between the two Sino-US universities and engaging in conversations across disciplines.