



THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Extended Learning

VANCOUVER SUMMER PROGRAM

2024 Sessions

June Session: June 7 – July 7

July Session: July 12 – August 12



MUSQUEAM CONNECTION

UBC is situated on the traditional, ancestral, and unceded territory of the x^wməθk^wəy'əm (Musqueam) people.



POLL QUESTION

A world map with a light blue background. The landmasses are shown in a darker blue. The city of Vancouver is highlighted with a red dot and a red rectangular box. The text 'Vancouver' is written in white next to the dot.

Vancouver





UBC AT A GLANCE



2ND IN CANADA AND 37TH GLOBALLY



1ST IN INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE



3RD IN CLIMATE ACTION



5TH IN SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES



8 NOBEL PRIZE WINNERS

70,757 Students

58,768
Vancouver Campus

11,989
Okanagan Campus

27.4%
International

3
Canadian Prime
Ministers



The University of British Columbia

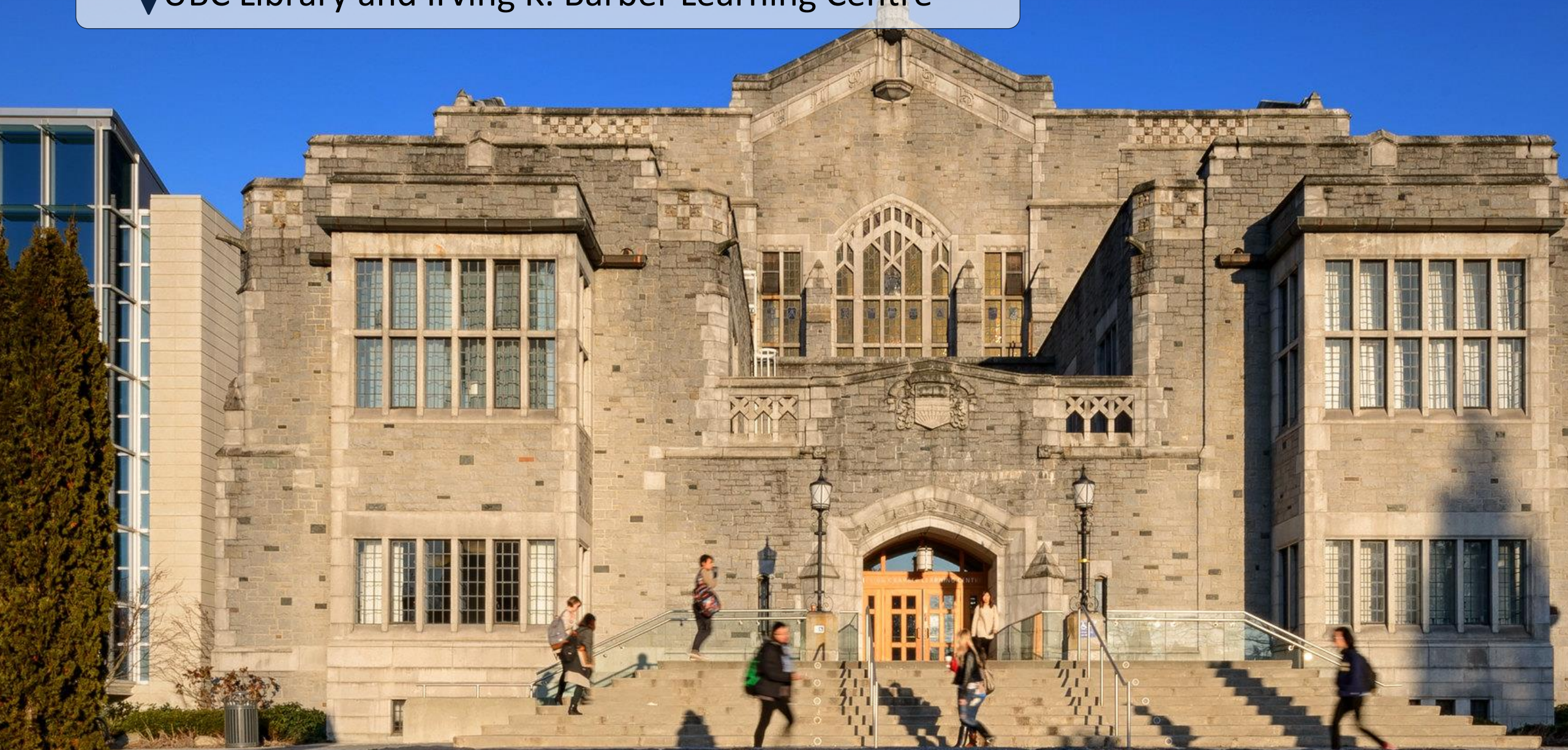




The AMS Student Nest



📍 UBC Library and Irving K. Barber Learning Centre





Martha Piper Plaza



ABOUT THE VANCOUVER SUMMER PROGRAM

**11
YEARS SINCE VSP
WAS FOUNDED
IN 2013**



**3000+
STUDENTS FROM
35+ COUNTRIES
PARTICIPATED**



**60+
COURSE
PACKAGES
DESIGNED FOR
VSP BY
UBC FACULTIES
AND SCHOOLS**



**JUNE SESSION
JUNE 7 – JULY 7, 2024**

OR

**JULY SESSION
JULY 12 – AUGUST 12, 2024**

PROGRAM OVERVIEW



Study a course package in your desired field of study



Participate in exclusive UBC VSP-organized activities



Stay in UBC Student Housing



Live like a Vancouverite and explore the Pacific Northwest

COURSE PACKAGES

Each package is themed, consisting of two courses taught by UBC instructors

Each course is approximately 39 hours of class time

Courses are non-credit at UBC but credit may be granted by your home institution (at its discretion)

STUDENT LIFE

**VSP-organized events-
Welcome Event, City Tour, Sports Day, UBC Graduate Studies
Info Fair**

**Faculty/School-led activities-
Faculty Welcome, Campus Tours, Site Visits, Baseball Games,
Hockey tournaments, Karaoke, etc.**

**(*Weekend tours and getaways organized by Merit Travel.
Additional fee will apply)**



A WEEK AT A GLANCE

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY AND SUNDAY
Morning	Academics	Academics	Academics	Academics	Academics	<i>Your choice!</i>
Lunch break						<i>Weekend trips</i>
Afternoon	Academics	Academics	Academics	Academics	Academics	<i>Whistler</i> <i>Victoria</i> <i>Rocky Mountains</i>
Evening		Grad Studies Information Fair		Karaoke Night or baseball game, for example		<i>Explore Vancouver</i> <i>Homework</i>

VSP ACCOMODATION

- **On campus shared apartments or semi-private units (single-gender)**
- **Easy access to classrooms, recreation and campus amenities**
- **High speed internet in rooms**
- **Laundry facilities on site**
- **Residence mentors**

If capacity in the apartments and semi-private units are exceeded, students will be placed in traditional student dormitories

VSP 2024 Program Fee: \$5,825 CAD Per Student



**COURSE MATERIALS & TUITION
FOR TWO COURSES**



**SHARED
ACCOMODATION
ON CAMPUS**



HEALTH INSURANCE



**COURTESY SHUTTLE BUS TO
AND FROM AIRPORT (*only on
select days and during
scheduled hours*)**



**VANCOUVER CITY
EXPLORATION
ACTIVITIES**



**WELCOME
AND FAREWELL
EVENTS**



**SOCIAL ACTIVITIES
(*some activities
may require extra
fees*)**

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

- **Undergraduate student* at a postsecondary institution outside Canada**
- **At least 18 years old on the first day of the program**
- **Proficient in English (*self-assessed*)**
- **Course package requirements**
 - *Pre-requisite knowledge*
 - **19+**

WHY VSP?

COMMENTS FROM PAST VSP STUDENTS...

- **Making friends from around the world**
- **Opportunity to study abroad and learn about other cultures**
- **Exposure to different styles of teaching and learning environments**
- **Vancouver (nature, being outside, location)**
- **Self-directed weekend trips to places such as Whistler and Victoria**

"IT WAS ONE OF THE BEST EXPERIENCES OF MY LIFE! I HAD AMAZING CLASSES, WITH AMAZING PROFESSORS AT UBC, MET PEOPLE FROM MANY DIFFERENT COUNTRIES, AND COULD SEE WHAT IT IS LIKE TO STUDY ABROAD."

Entry Requirements to Canada

- CHECK IRCC WEBSITE regularly

<https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/study-canada/study-permit/eligibility.html>

You can study in Canada for less than 6 months without a study permit if you have valid visitor status. Depending on your situation, you'll need **one** of the following:

- a visitor visa (temporary resident visa)
- an electronic travel authorization (eTA)



NEXT STEPS

LEARN MORE

Visit vancouversummerprogram.ubc.ca to learn more about program

APPLY

Online applications will be accepted starting **November 20, 2023**

Apply early before packages fill up

- **June session deadline: March 1, 2024**
- **July session deadline: April 5, 2024**



QUESTIONS?

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