

To: All non-final year Science students

### **Globalink Research Internship (GRI) in Canada**

Please be informed that the University has recently entered into a partnership with Mitacs, a Canadian national organisation which designs and delivers research and training programmes. With this partnership, the International Affairs Office (IAO) is going to select highly motivated HKU students to join a 12-week **Globalink Research Internship (GRI)** between May and October, 2020 in Canada to work on a research project in their area of interest under the supervision of a professor.

#### **Eligibility**

- Full-time undergraduate students in non-final year
- Latest CGPA (as of Semester 2, 2018/19) of 3.3 or above
- Completed at least 2 semesters of undergraduate study in HKU when applying to International Affairs Office (IAO)
- Year 3 and then Year 2 students (in the academic year of 2019/20) will be given higher placement priority

#### **Highlights and Benefits of GRI**

- Estimated full cost of GRI programme per each student – *on a reimbursement basis of up to CAD\$12,000* (i.e. airfare, visa, medical insurance, living stipend, accommodation, Globalink Student Mentors, professional development training, programming, matching, evaluation, administration and research cost) covered by funding from Canadian Government and HKU
- An opportunity to take part in professional training (e.g. teamwork, project management, problem solving, communication and entrepreneurship)
- A chance to interact with companies of interest through events or individual meetings
- Extensive opportunities for cultural, social and recreational experiences as well as international exposure
- A gateway to further study and career opportunities in Canada

#### **Application**

Interested students should submit the completed application form (S104/619) to the Faculty Office by **July 22, 2019 (Monday)**. **Eligible nominated students will then be invited to apply on IAO application link. Further instructions will be given by IAO in due course.**

#### **Information on GRI from Mitacs**

[Website](#)

[Promotional video](#)

More details of the internship can be found in IAO website:  
[https://aal.hku.hk/studyabroad/avail\\_program.php?pid=12&type=outgoing](https://aal.hku.hk/studyabroad/avail_program.php?pid=12&type=outgoing).

For enquiries on submitting the application, please contact Ms Fion Chan of the Faculty Office at [science@hku.hk](mailto:science@hku.hk) (email) or 3917 2683 (phone).

Best regards

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