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HEAL

HUMANITIES EDUCATION AND LEADERSHIP
PROGRAM HELD AT
STANFORD UNIVERSITY



Humanities Education is more important than ever

In a day and age where change is constant, the need to harness the abundance of ideas made available by technology has become more important than ever. HEAL aims to nurture creative and critical thinking in students around the world by offering an interactive humanities curriculum, a forum for discussing interdisciplinary applications of knowledge, and career development advice.

Founded by Stanford students, alumni, and faculty, HEAL is an educational mission seeking to encourage humanities discourse and liberal arts education across disciplines to help future leaders solve pressing global issues creatively.

To apply for the Summer 2012 program, please visit:

<http://www.stanford.edu/group/cjme/cgi-bin/freiheit/>

or <http://www.healsu.org>

Apply for Summer 2012

A select group of students are admitted to the program, which will take place at Stanford University over the course of four sessions.

Courses are tailored for **high school students, undergraduate students, and international students.**



“I like living at the intersection of the humanities and technology... That it’s technology married with liberal arts, married with the humanities, that yields us the result that makes our hearts sing.” – Steve Jobs

Program Details



Small group discussions

Small group discussions have proven to be a valuable means for students to develop their ability to think critically, ask challenging questions, and craft logical arguments. In this spirit, HEAL offers students a similar opportunity to engage in discussion-based learning, by participating in an intensive two-week seminar at Stanford.



Extracurricular Activities in Silicon Valley

Stanford is at the heart of Silicon Valley, and students will have the opportunity to visit startups and technology companies in the surrounding area, and share ideas with Stanford alumni and student entrepreneurs.

The Curriculum

The curriculum, developed by Stanford faculty, includes works of literature, history, and philosophy from the Western canon, ranging from the Greek philosopher Plato, to Enlightenment thinkers like Kant and Rousseau, to American intellectuals, such as J.S. Mill and Ralph Waldo Emerson. Students attending sessions 2, 3, or 4* will also study the intersection of the humanities with technology, including ontology and epistemology in the fields of symbolic systems and data science.



University Faculty

HEAL works directly with University faculty. Students will live on Stanford campus and learn and interact directly with professors and lecturers at Stanford and from other universities in a **small group** setting of **9-14** students.





Summer Schedule and Tuition

Session 1

June 30 – July 14

High School course: \$2500
Undergrad course: \$2500
International students: \$2500

Session 2*

July 16 – July 30

High School course: \$3500
Undergrad course: \$3500
International students: \$3500

Session 3*

August 1 – August 15

High School course: \$3500
Undergrad course: \$3500
International students: \$3500

Session 4*

August 16 – August 30

High School course: \$3500
Undergrad course: \$3500
International students: \$3500

*includes data science course

Contact Us

HEAL is a non-profit educational mission created by Stanford alumni and students. Room & board on Stanford campus are included with tuition. Proceeds go towards continuing education programs, and participants have ongoing access to educational resources developed by HEAL. We offer financial aid and merit-based scholarships to applicants. Learn more by visiting

<http://www.stanford.edu/group/cjme/cgi-bin/freiheit/> (our mirror site is <http://www.healsu.org>), email us at heal@alumni.stanford.edu, or call 650-503-HEAL (650-503-4325).