

## **Notice on 2026 “Shanghe Youth” Advanced Trainee Program Enrollment (Autumn Semester)**

To all member institutions of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) University Alliance of Legal Studies:

To implement President Xi Jinping’s important initiative on talent cultivation and innovation at the SCO Tianjin Summit, and to actively practice the “Shanghai Spirit”, the Secretariat of the SCO University Alliance of Legal Studies (Shanghai University of Political Science and Law), relying on the platform advantages of the China National Institute for SCO International Exchange and Judicial Cooperation, hereby officially launches the enrollment for the 2026 “Shanghe Youth” Advanced Trainee Program (Autumn Semester).

As a flagship international legal talent development project under the framework of the SCO University Alliance of Legal Studies, this program aims to systematically cultivate interdisciplinary legal professionals who meet the development needs of the SCO region and its member states through diversified forms such as specialized courses, thematic lectures, practical visits and off-campus research. Since its launch, the program has attracted young talents from multiple member institutions across 7 SCO countries. Relevant details are as follows:

### **I. Organizers**

Shanghai University of Political Science and Law, China  
National Institute for SCO International Exchange and Judicial  
Cooperation.

## **II. Program Overview**

The program lasts for one semester (from September to December 2026) and is held at Shanghai University of Political Science and Law. The language of instruction is English. ( For details, see Annex 1 and Annex 2.)

## **III. Eligibility**

Current postgraduate students or in-service staff of member institutions of the SCO University Alliance of Legal Studies (for applicants from Chinese universities, in principle, only Chinese students are considered), applicants must be under 40 years old and proficient in English. Chinese applicants shall, in principle, provide a certificate of passing College English Test Band 6 (CET-6) or an equivalent English language qualification.

## **IV. Quota**

Each member institution may recommend **three** candidates. Admission decisions are ultimately made by the admissions institution based on applicants' performance in the interview, with the most qualified candidates being selected.

## **V. Notes**

All member institutions are requested to attach great importance to this matter, actively encourage eligible students to

apply, and carry out proper selection and recommendation work. Each institution must compile the application forms (see Annex 3) and other required documents, and send them to **the Admission Contact's email address by May 30, 2026**. Individual applications will not be accepted.

## **VI. Contact Information**

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## **Annexes:**

1. Brochure of the “Shanghe Youth” Advanced Trainee

Program

2. Application Form for the “Shanghe Youth” Advanced Trainee Program

Shanghai University of Political Science and Law  
China National Institute for SCO International Exchange and  
Judicial Cooperation  
Secretariat of the SCO University Alliance of Legal Studies

May 10, 2026

## Annex 1

# Brochure of the “Shanghe Youth” Advanced Trainee Program

### I. Program Introduction

Program Name	“Shanghe Youth” Advanced Trainee Program
Program Type	Non-academic Program
Length of Study	One semester ( from September to December 2026)
Language of Instruction	English

### II. Program Fees

This program offers the “Shanghe Youth” Scholarship. Participants shall be recommended by Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) University Alliance of Legal Studies, and selected through review and interview conducted by our institution. Selected participants will be entitled to receive this scholarship.

Name	Type	Content
“Shanghe Youth” Scholarship	Full scholarship	Registration fee: RMB 400 per person Tuition fee: RMB 25,000 /semester Accommodation fee: RMB 300 /day, Single room Comprehensive Medical Insurance Fee: RMB 500/semester Living expenses: RMB 3,000 per month

### **III. Rules for Granting and Managing Living Expenses**

1. The disbursement of living expenses will be linked to students' comprehensive performance, including but not limited to attendance rate, activity participation, compliance with discipline, and comprehensive evaluation by teachers.

2. Monthly assessments will be conducted. Students who pass the assessment will receive the full amount of living expenses, while those who fail will have their living expenses deducted in accordance with the corresponding standards.

3. The disbursement of living expenses for the final month will be strictly calculated based on the actual number of days the student is on campus. If the student leaves campus early, the corresponding number of days will be deducted.

4. The disbursement time of living expenses may vary depending on the university's financial procedures.

5. Students who have already received any form of Chinese Government Scholarship are not eligible for additional disbursement of living expenses.

## IV. Curriculum Structure

<b>“Shanghe Youth” Advanced Trainee Program Curriculum</b>			
<b>Course Category</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Type</b>
Theoretical Courses	Legal Topics on SCO Member States	2	Compulsory
	International Treaties and the Law of International Organizations	2	Compulsory
	Overview of the Laws of the Belt and Road Countries	2	Compulsory
	A Comparison of Eurasian Legal Systems	2	Compulsory
	Central Asian Legal System and Legal Culture	2	Compulsory
	Foreign-related Arbitration and International Dispute Settlement	2	Compulsory
	Introduction to Global Governance	2	Compulsory
	Legal Service Cooperation of the SCO	2	Compulsory
	Hot Topics in International Security	2	Compulsory
	Elementary Chinese	2	Compulsory
	Hot Issues in the SCO	2	Optional
Practical Courses	Chinese Stories: Lectures by University Presidents and Field Visits	2	Compulsory
	Traditional Chinese Culture	2	Compulsory
<b>Note:</b> Students may take other elective courses offered by the university. Course selection will be arranged uniformly at the beginning of the semester.			

## V. Eligibility

1. Current students or in-service staff of member institutions of the SCO University Alliance of Legal Studies, who are in good physical and mental health.

2. Age, Education, and Language Proficiency Requirements

· Applicants for this program shall hold a master’s degree or higher, or be currently enrolled in a master’s or doctoral program, or

possess equivalent academic qualifications, with excellent academic performance, and be aged 40 or below (as of the application deadline).

- Applicants must have a good command of English (listening, speaking, reading and writing).

- Applicants shall also meet the admission requirements of the applied institution in terms of academic ability, language proficiency, and other relevant aspects.

## VI. Application Materials

### 1. Applicants with Chinese Nationality

NO.	Documents	Quantity	Notes
1	Application Form for the “Shanghe Youth” Advanced Trainee Program	1	The application form must state the recommending institution and bear its official stamp, as well as include the applicant’s personal signature.
2	ID Card	1	Scanned copy of the front and back of the applicant’s ID card (must be clear and complete).
3	Certificate of Enrollment	1	Applicants must submit a Certificate of Enrollment issued by their current institution.
4	Academic Transcript	1	The academic transcript must include all grades from the undergraduate and master’s programs up to the most recent semester. The transcript shall be issued and stamped by the Academic Affairs Office, the Graduate School, or the relevant student administration department of the institution attended.
5	Study Plan or Research Proposal	1	The study plan or research proposal must be written in English and contain no fewer than 1,000 words.
6	Certificate of No Criminal Conviction	1	A Certificate of No Criminal Conviction issued by the local public security authority, with a validity period falling within six months prior to the date of application submission.
7	Medical examination form	1	Medical examination form issued within the last month by a Class A Tertiary Hospital (Grade 3 Level A).
8	Recommendation Letter	1	The recommendation letter must be issued by the applicant’s home institution. It should focus on the applicant’s learning objectives, overall competence, and potential for future

development.

## 2. Applicants with Foreign Nationality

NO.	Documents	Quantity	Notes
1	Shanghai University of Political Science and Law International Student Application Form	1	Once the applicant has completed and submitted the information online, the system will automatically generate the application form.
2	Copy of the Passport Information Page	1	The applicant's passport must be valid for at least six months. If the remaining validity is less than six months, the applicant should renew the passport in a timely manner.
3	Passport Photo	1	Electronic Version
4	Certificate of Enrollment	1	Applicants must submit a Certificate of Enrollment issued by their current institution.
5	Academic Transcript	1	The academic transcript must include all grades from the undergraduate and master's programs up to the most recent semester. The transcript shall be issued and stamped by the Academic Affairs Office, the Graduate School, or the relevant student administration department of the institution attended.
6	Study Plan for Studying in China	1	The study plan must be written in English and contain no fewer than 1,000 words.
7	Certificate of No Criminal Conviction	1	A Certificate of No Criminal Conviction must be issued by the relevant authority of the applicant's home country, and its validity period shall fall within six months prior to the date of application submission.
8	Foreigner Physical Examination Form	1	The Foreigner Physical Examination Form shall be considered invalid if it contains missing items, does not bear the applicant's photo (or the photo is not stamped with a cross-page seal), or lacks the signature and stamp of both the physician and the hospital. The medical examination result is valid for one month from the date of issue.
9	Letter of Financial Support	1	The applicant must also provide a scanned copy of the sponsor's passport information page (must be clear and complete).
10	Recommendation Letter	1	The recommendation letter must be issued by the applicant's home institution. It should focus on the applicant's learning objectives, overall competence, and potential for future development.

## VII. Application Process

### 1. Applicants with Chinese Nationality

Individual applications are not accepted. Any application sent directly by an individual will not be processed. The application process and requirements are as follows:


(1) Submit: The applicant submits all application materials to the institution where they are currently studying.

(2) Compile: The host institution compiles all submitted materials.

(3) Send: The host institution sends the compiled materials to: [shangheyouth@163.com](mailto:shangheyouth@163.com).

### 2. Applicants with Foreign Nationality

Log in to the Online Application System for International Students of Shanghai University of Political Science and Law and follow the procedures below:

(1) Log in to <http://admission.shupl.edu.cn/studentLogin>, and for the application category, select “Shanghe Youth” Advanced Trainee Program. (Reference Document:  [Registration Instructions 上海政法学院申请系统高水平研究生项目操作说明.docx](#) ( Press Ctrl and click on the link to download the file.))

(2) Complete and submit the application information and materials online. Materials uploaded through the system must be clear, authentic, and valid. Applicants are recommended to use

professional equipment to scan relevant documents. Applicants shall bear sole responsibility for any consequences arising from unclear or illegible materials.

## **VIII. Application Deadline**

The deadline for submitting application materials is **May 30, 2026**. Late submissions will not be accepted.

## **IX. Admission and Registration**

1. Admitting institution will review the application materials and conduct interviews. Chinese applicants who pass both the material review and the interview will receive an official admission email. Foreign applicants who pass both the material review and the interview will receive an official admission notice along with the Visa Application Form.

2. Foreign applicants shall go to the Chinese embassy or consulate in their home country to apply for a Chinese visa using the official admission notice and Visa Application Form.

3. Applicants must complete the registration procedures on campus by the date and time specified in their admission email or admission letter.

## **X. Other Matters**

Matters not covered in this brochure shall be subject to the

interpretation of the admitting institution. Applicants with questions may contact us via the following methods:

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## Annex 2

# “尚合青年” 高水平研修生项目申请表

## Application Form for the “Shanghe Youth” Advanced Trainee Program

填写事项 Fill in the item

1. 请用电脑填写此表格；

Please fill in this form by computer.

2. 请务必每项都必须填写。我们大学不接受填写不完整的申请表。

Please be sure to fill in each item. Our university does not accept incomplete application forms.

身份证用名 Name on ID card	姓/Family name		专业 Major	照片 ID Photo
	名/Given name			
国籍 Nationality		籍贯 Place of birth		
出生日期 Date of birth		性别 Gender	男 <input type="checkbox"/> Male 女 <input type="checkbox"/> Female	
婚姻状况 Marital Status	<input type="checkbox"/> 已婚 Married	手机号码 Mobile No.		
	<input type="checkbox"/> 未婚 Single	电子信箱 E-mail		
身份证号码 ID No.		身份证有效期 Valid until		
最高学历 Highest education		宗教 Religion	职业 occupation	
现学习或工作单位/ Current or latest school or employer				
申请学习时间 Intended program at SHUPL	从/from 年/Y 月/M 日/D 到/to 年/Y 月/M 日/D			
通讯地址 Postal Address				



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**申请人保证 / I hereby affirm that:**

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2. 在中国学习期间遵守中国的法律和学校的规章制度;
3. 在学期间任何意外或经济问题本人将承担全部责任。

1. All the information in this form is true and correct;
2. I shall abide by the laws of the Chinese Government and the regulations of the School.
3. I will take the responsibilities for and incidents or financial problems.

申请人签名 Signature \_\_\_\_\_ 日期 Date \_\_\_\_\_年/Y\_\_\_月/M\_\_\_日/D