

This email is meant for Direct-entry Poly Graduates of AY2016/17 intake.

Dear Students,

Do take note of the following important announcements for semester 2, AY2016/17:

### 1. Registration in CORS

The various dates and activities for each bidding round are stated in the CORS website <http://www.cors.nus.edu.sg>. **Round 0** will commence on 28 Dec 2016 (Wed) at 9 am.

Please check your respective group allocation via under C01 from the email from Ms Normila (OUP) and refer to the Class Timetable at the Office of Undergraduate Programs (OUP) website [http://www.eng.nus.edu.sg/ugrad/MS\\_timetable.html](http://www.eng.nus.edu.sg/ugrad/MS_timetable.html) before any bidding in CORS.

### 2. Core modules

Modules	Action
MA1505 or MA1506 (if taken MA1505)	Pre-allocated by OUP (No bidding required)
CS1231, CS1020	Pre-allocated by SoC (No bidding required)
CG1108	Pre-allocated by ECE (No bidding required)
EE2024	Pre-allocated by ECE (No bidding required)
ES1531	Pre-allocated by OUP (No bidding required)
ES1103	<b>Bidding in CORS Round 1A via P account</b> [For students who failed the QET and still have not read]

EE2024: For students who are exempted from CG1108 (& have read [EE2020](#)).

**NOTE 1:** The above mentioned pre-allocations will be done by the respective offices, provided you have **fulfilled the pre-requisites**. Please check your account in CORS on 4 Jan 2017 to make sure the above modules are allocated to you correctly. 1 bid point will be deducted from your Program account for each pre-allocated module.

**NOTE 2:** Refer to the ECE-CORS schedule at [http://www.ceg.nus.edu.sg/students/second\\_year.html](http://www.ceg.nus.edu.sg/students/second_year.html) for the different bidding rounds.

**NOTE 3:** If you need to add/drop any EE2xx core modules in Sem 2, AY2016/17, please complete an *add/drop form* at the ECE General Office @ E4-05-45 by 6 Jan 2017.

- If you need to re-take CS1010, please email to me. If you need to re-take CS1231, you have to bid via CORS. If you need to retake PC1222 (those not exempted from CG1108) in sem 2, AY16-17, you are required to **BID for the modules via CORS from Round 1A** onwards. The timetable of these modules can be found at <http://www.eng.nus.edu.sg/ugrad/schedule1617-Sem2.htm>. PI ballot for tutorial group on your own via CORS.

There is only one lecture grp for CS1010 listed below:

Lecture : Tue, 12-3pm

Tutorial : 3 grps (Fri, 10-12 or 12-2pm or 2-4pm) : Ballot in Iteration 2.

- If you are required to re-take MA1301 in sem 2, AY16-17, OUP will pre-allocate the module to you. **However, if you wish to read MA1505 concurrently with MA1301, please email me to seek approval first before OUP can pre-allocate MA1505 to you.** Please ballot for MA1301 & MA1505 tutorial on your own via CORS (13-18 Jan 2017, tutorial iteration 2).

**NOTE 4:** Students bidding for ES1103 will do so, from **Round 1A** onwards and use points from P account (with no refund of bidding points). You are strongly advised to manage your timetable well and complete ES1103 in the current semester.

**NOTE 5:** Students have to **bid for other modules via CORS** on their own if they wish to **fulfill GE requirement or UEM requirements**.

**NOTE 6:** Workload Policy for first two Bidding Rounds

For students with a CAP of **more than or equal to 2.0**, the maximum workload (pre-allocated & bided modules) is 23MCs for Rounds 1 and 2, and 25MCs for Round 3 onwards. This means that students can bid up to 23 MCs (inclusive of pre-allocated modules) for Round 1 & 2, and up to 25 MCs from Round 3 onwards.

For students with a CAP of **less than 2.0**, the maximum semestral workload is 20/21 MCs (pre-allocated & bided) for all bidding rounds. This means that you cannot exceed a workload of 20/21 MCs in the semester.

**NOTE 7:** You are advised not to overload yourself by taking more than the recommended workload. If you wish to **exceed your workload beyond 20/21 or 25 MCs**, please email the following information to your **Year 2 Coordinator A/Prof Bharadwaj Veeravalli** ([elebv@nus.edu.sg](mailto:elebv@nus.edu.sg)) and **c.c. me** ([comlowmb@nus.edu.sg](mailto:comlowmb@nus.edu.sg)) - **note that even if you are granted the extra MCs, you can only bid from Round 3 onwards:**

- i) Total MCs planning to take in semester 2
- ii) Supporting reasons for exceeding maximum workload in semester 2
- iii) Semester 2 work plan (module code, title and MCs for the respective modules)
- iv) Semester 1 results and CAP
- v) Personal details (full name, matric no, course code)

**3. Tutorial and Lab Groups Registration**

<b>Module</b>	<b>Tutorial</b>	<b>Lab</b>
MA1505	Ballot for tutorial group in CORS from [13-18 Jan 2017 (tutorial iteration 2)]	No lab.
MA1506	Allocated. Check for your grouping in your CORS account on 13 Jan 2017.	No lab.
CS1231	Ballot for tutorial group in CORS from [13 – 18 Jan 2017 (tutorial iteration 2)].	No lab.
CG1108	Allocated by ECE. Verify your tut slot (Wed 11-12nn) via CORS on 6 Jan 2017	Allocated by ECE. Verify your lab slot (Fri 2-5pm) via CORS on 6 Jan 2017.
EE2024	Allocated by ECE. Verify your tutorial slot (Wed 10-11am) via CORS on 6 Jan 2017	Allocated by ECE. Verify your lab slot (Thurs 2-5pm) via CORS on 6 Jan 2017

ES1103	Bid for preferred sectional class in CORS from Round 1A onwards.	No lab.
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Refer to [http://www.ceb.nus.edu.sg/students/second\\_year.html](http://www.ceb.nus.edu.sg/students/second_year.html) for

- Laboratory Schedule of EE2024 (from week 3)
- ECE-CORS schedule

You may contact Ms Normila ([engna@nus.edu.sg](mailto:engna@nus.edu.sg)) if you have any questions on the tutorial/lab registration for MA1505/6. Please contact Winnie ([cegcwn@nus.edu.sg](mailto:cegcwn@nus.edu.sg)) for queries hosted by ECE. For enquiries on other modules, please check with me.

#### **4. University Level Requirement (ULR) and Unrestricted Elective Module (UEM)**

Students who wish to take ULR/GE and/or UEM have to ensure that the timetables of these modules do NOT clash with the class (lecture, tutorial & lab) and examination timetables of their core modules.

For more details, please refer to <http://www.nus.edu.sg//registrar/general-education/important-information-for-students.html>.

You will need to bid (via CORS) for these ULR/GE (and/or UEM); please refer to <http://www.cors.nus.edu.sg/useful-info.html> for information regarding CORS bidding rounds.

#### **5. Important Websites**

Do check the CORS website at <http://www.cors.nus.edu.sg/> and your NUSNET email accounts regularly for updates on module and tutorial registrations. You can refer to the following websites for important information:

- Details of CEG programme: <http://www.ceb.nus.edu.sg/academic/>
- CEG Second Year Students website: [http://www.ceb.nus.edu.sg/students/second\\_year.html](http://www.ceb.nus.edu.sg/students/second_year.html)
- Class timetable for Year 1 modules: [http://www.eng.nus.edu.sg/ugrad/MS\\_timetable.html](http://www.eng.nus.edu.sg/ugrad/MS_timetable.html)
- Examination timetable: <http://www.nus.edu.sg/registrar/event/examschedule-sem2.html>

**Please check for timetable clashes before bidding for your modules.**

- Class Timetable Builder: <https://webrb.nus.edu.sg/ctt/builder.aspx>
- Enhancement programs: <http://www.eng.nus.edu.sg/undergrad/epmc/>

For enquiries, you may contact me via [comlowmb@nus.edu.sg](mailto:comlowmb@nus.edu.sg) For ease of correspondence, please use your nusnet account, include your name and student number (Axxxxxxx); do retain the email history.