

## **Sneak Peek into the Student Life at National Sun Yat-sen University**

I'm Rahul Kumar, from Delhi, India. Born on 13th march, a Libra. I'm currently in my second year of doctor of philosophy from National Sun Yat-sen University, Kaohsiung. As a person, I've always been someone who follows my passion. Once I know that I absolutely want something, I put my heart and soul into it. When I newly came in NSYSU Kaohsiung for the study I got surprised to see the beautiful campus of the university and the city of Kaohsiung specially the beaches, night life and different kind of food made me crazy of the Taiwan. As a human nature of student firstly I decided to explore the university campus and I found there are the many places where you can enjoy the moments of the life with full of fun and joy. In the dormitory of the university, I meet many international students and I joined the international student group for the information about the upcoming activities and events in university as well as the outside from the campus. Ok, so now let's start from the university dorm there was the so many incidents and funny rumors happened when I was live in the dormitory. The essence of life will know what you didn't have to do in dormitory, if you would stay in dorm. There was one of the news spread in our hostel that a ghost lives in this hostel named Uncle Joan and he was the gay and he was the hungry and lusty, I think I don't need to explain about his hunger you can understand what I am talking about (died laughing). As I consider it was the unlucky day, it was the Saturday when I came to the hostel, all the seniors were sitting empty due to the weekend. So, they have decided to meet me as a friendly manner. A senior came to my room and holding the black dog whiskey half bottle and said, I have to finish it once (He was thinking I can't finish it). I was laughing in my mind internally and thinking he don't know that I am the old player of this game, I took it in my hand and put it in one breath, He was shocked and his eyes were wide open after seeing it (laughing). He ran to other seniors and said that ohh fuck he drank half a bottle in one breath, feeling like John Uncle entered inside him (ha-ha lol), after that we all becomes very good friends and that time when I came to know about ghost John Uncle (In real actually no ghost there).

One more funny incident happened during the summer time we mostly wander all over the campus after dinner every day. Same as like us, our warden used to reach anywhere at any time, was always wandering everywhere, don't know whether even he sleeps or not (ha-ha). We all friends used to drink on the roof of upper hostel and chat, enjoy the sea wind and feel happy to see the clean sky, moon and stars. One day we came from the night club after midnight and went on the roof of the dorm, we all were the highly drunked and what we have seen a man was standing in the corner in white clothes. A friend shouted and said today we are going to die, guys there is John Uncle standing and we started running blindly, the men was shouting hey boys this me hostel Worden (ha-ha) but we haven't stopped, blindly run and run(ha-ha). Next day in the lunch when we have seen him again than he was laughing and we were also laughing too much. Most of the time during summer he was always in white (white t-shirt, white trouser and white shoes) everything white sometimes we were kidding and joking between us when he sleeps at the night on the bed, it will be a big difficulty and confusion for his wife to understand whether there is a bed seat on the bed or someone else also laying (because of his cloths color white as well as if bedsheet color-ha-ha) that much white cloths he weird sometimes.

Inside the university there is a beach we call it secret beach because rarely outsider know about it, still in the night or the day time students always go there we blow cigarette make smoke rings and, in that smoke, sometimes we see john Uncle face inside it in white dress (ha-ha). And sometimes with that smoke we make a dog by it in air and then another dog using another smoking ring are formed and make them fight (ha-ha)

We enjoyed a lot things there so many memories still in mind can't be express in the words. I learn a lot of things here in Taiwan just because of the university and also participated many social events and games and enjoyed the Taiwanese culture here such a beautiful life here, Taiwan always take stand for the world weather it was the fighting against the covid-19, take care and mentally support for the Ukraine's students in university.



Now I am living outside from the dormitory, but whenever I remember those days, those moment, I feel very good and happy, the culture of the dorm was the totally different from the outsider life of the campus.



You might be excited to live away from home and experience seemingly unlimited freedom for the first time. Once in life every student must live hostel life, it leads to overall development of human being. Last but not least thanks and a lot of regards for NSYSU for such a wonderful and lovely memories.