

## Obtaining IBM Bluemix Promo Code – Updated 7 Jul 2019

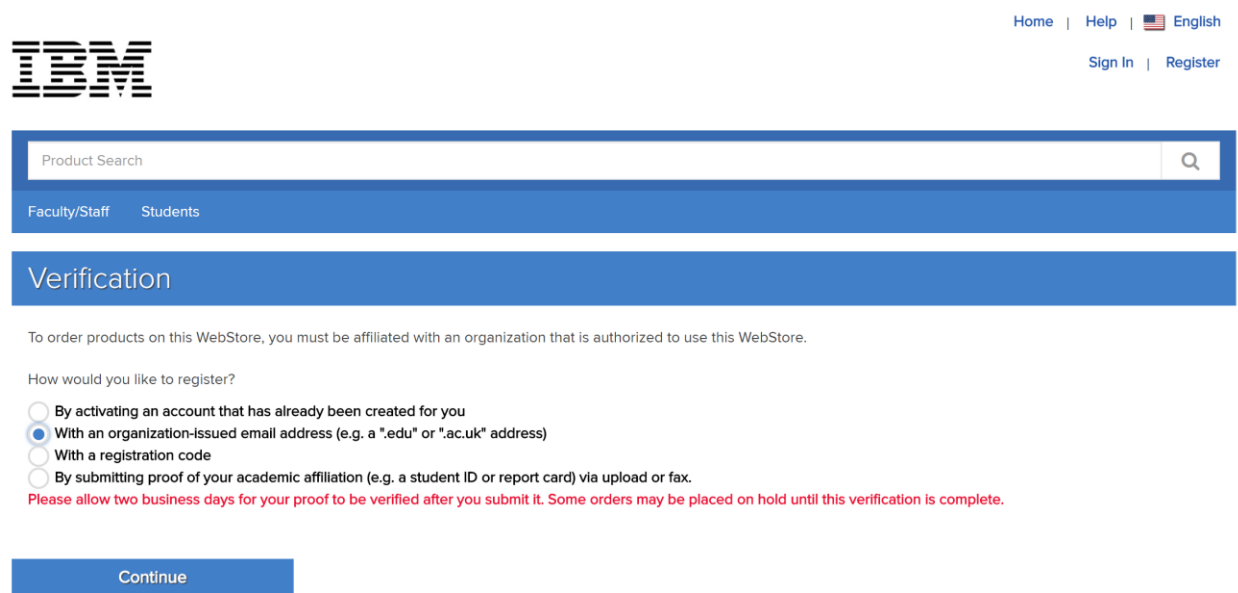
**Please complete these steps at least 2 days before the hands-on lecture as it might take some time to get your promo code delivered and activated.**

### Step1:

Visit <https://ibm.onthehub.com>

### Step2:

Register **with your SoC or NUS email**. I registered with my u.nus.edu address and it was successful.



The screenshot shows the IBM OnTheHub website. At the top right, there are links for Home, Help, English, Sign In, and Register. The IBM logo is on the left. Below the logo is a search bar labeled 'Product Search'. Underneath the search bar are two tabs: 'Faculty/Staff' and 'Students'. A blue banner with the word 'Verification' is displayed. Below the banner, a message states: 'To order products on this WebStore, you must be affiliated with an organization that is authorized to use this WebStore.' This is followed by the question 'How would you like to register?' and four radio button options: 'By activating an account that has already been created for you', 'With an organization-issued email address (e.g. a ".edu" or ".ac.uk" address)', 'With a registration code', and 'By submitting proof of your academic affiliation (e.g. a student ID or report card) via upload or fax.' The second option is selected. A red note below the options says: 'Please allow two business days for your proof to be verified after you submit it. Some orders may be placed on hold until this verification is complete.' At the bottom of the form is a blue 'Continue' button.

Complete the next steps until you finish registration. You will be sent an email and will be asked to verify the email address.

### Step3:

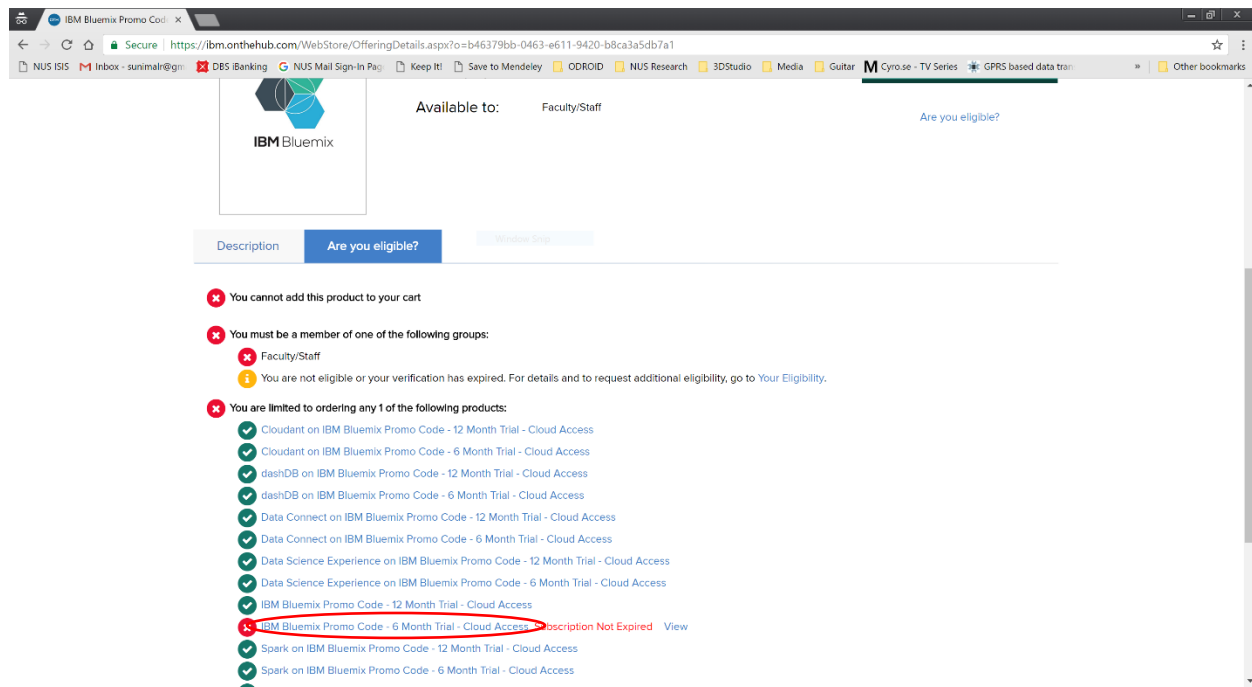
Sign in to <https://ibm.onthehub.com> with your newly registered email.

### Step4:

Click on “Are you eligible?” tab. (shown below)

Then click on “**IBM Bluemix Promo Code - 6 Month Trial - Cloud Access**”

Add to cart and proceed with the checkout. You **do not need to pay anything** if your academic account registration is successful.



### Step5:

After the checkout, you will get a promo code. **Note down the promo code and keep it secure.** We will apply the promo code during the hands-on session to extend the trial period of IBM Bluemix account.

If you come across any issues while completing the above steps, drop me an email on [sunimalr@comp.nus.edu.sg](mailto:sunimalr@comp.nus.edu.sg)