Entrance Requirement

Students with HKDSE qualifications who meet the University’s general entrance requirements will be eligible to apply. Senior year places (Year 3) are also available.

Application on the strength of HKDSE Result:
Four core subjects and One elective subject with:
- Level 3 or above in English Language and Chinese Language, and
- Level 2 or above in Mathematics (Compulsory Part), Liberal Studies and one elective subject

“Remarks:
ii) Applied Learning Subject
- “Attained with Distinction” in an Applied Learning Subject will be regarded as having met the requirement of an elective subject.
- “Attained” level would be regarded as a value-added factor to be considered in totality with the Student Learning Profile (SLP) for the purpose of admission.

ii) Other Language Subjects
- Other Language subjects will be accepted as unspecified elective subjects.
- The minimum requirement is Grade E.

ii) Alternative Chinese Language Qualifications
- Alternative Chinese will be accepted as meeting the Chinese Language requirement for those students who fail to meet the requirement for taking Alternative Chinese as announced by UAC.

Scholarships

Entrance scholarships are available.

Finance Assistance

Students can apply for the Financial Assistance Scheme for Post-secondary Students (FASP) and the Non-means-tested Loan Scheme for Post-secondary Students (NLSPS) provided by the HKSAR Government.

How to apply

You may submit an application via either the University’s Online Application System (www.eduhk.hk/acadprog) or E-APP implemented by the Education Bureau.

Application fee*

Hong Kong Residents: HK$150 | Non Hong Kong Residents: HK$300

*The application fee is non-refundable and non-transferable.

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Bachelor of Social Sciences (Honours) in Greater China Studies

APS
Asian & Policy Studies

Four-Year Full-Time (Programme Code: A48091)
The Bachelor of Social Sciences (Honours) in Greater China Studies (BSocSc(GCS)) encourages students to explore the Greater China region – Hong Kong, Macau, Taiwan, Mainland China and beyond. It arm students with a solid and wide-ranging knowledge on politics, culture, economics and development about the region. Engaging in vibrant academic discussions and hands-on experience in research studies are able to identify and solve complex social problems within the context of Greater China, and analyze social issues critically and empirically upon graduation.

International Collaborative 2+2 Undergraduate Programme with The University of York

The programme collaborates with The University of York (York) in the United Kingdom on an international collaborative 2+2 Undergraduate Degree Programme. Selected students will study at EdUHK in the first 2 years and study at York in the last two years. Students who successfully meet the requirements of both universities will be awarded a BA (Hons) in Social Policy degree by York and, upon successful transfer of credits, a BSocSc(GCS) by EdUHK.

Career Pathways

Our graduation employment statistics have been consistently excellent. Almost 80% of our students obtain employment or engage in further studies within three to six months upon graduation. Our graduates work in a wide spectrum of industries including government, NGOs, media, academia, and the private sectors. Many of our graduates also gone on to prestigious international universities to pursue advanced studies, as University of Bath, University College London, Columbia University, the University of Edinburgh, and the London School of Economics and Political Science.

Recent Job Placement
(Non-Educational Sectors)

AEON Co., Ltd
Cathay Pacific Airways
Civic Party
CLP Holdings Limited
Hermès
HKSAR Government (e.g. Executive Officer & Inspector of the Hong Kong Police Force)
Hong Kong Disneyland
HSBC Hong Kong
Lea Burnett
Strategic Public Relations Group
Tai Po District Council (Elected District Councillor)
The Community Chest of Hong Kong
The Hong Kong Council of Social Service
United Nations Development Programme YMCA of Hong Kong

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Optional Minor – Minor in Communication Studies in Policy and Governance

1 CORE + 4 ELECTIVE (Choose any 4 out of the 7 electives)

- Communication Studies in the Public and Education Sectors
- Cross-Cultural Communication
- Introduction to Communication (Compulsory Core)
- Digital Imaging and Interactive Media
- Photography and Moving Image
- Media, Politics and Power in International Communication
- Communication for Teaching
- Youth, Media and Internet Regulation in Greater China
- Media and Public Engagement in Greater China

Major Course List

1. Methods of Inquiry
2. Understanding Greater China: History, Politics and Change
3. Introduction to Social Theory, Concepts and Issues
4. Institutions and Development in Greater China
5. Gender and Development in Asia
6. China’s Rise in a Globalized World
7. Economic Growth and Sustainability in Greater China
8. Urbanization in Greater China
9. Political Economy of Southeast Asian Countries
10. Managing Development and Civil Society in Greater China

1. Governance: International Perspectives and Regional Experiences
2. Politics and Law in Greater China
3. Comparative Social Policy
4. Regional Cooperation in Greater China: Challenges and Issues
5. Comparative Field Visit
6. Teaching Social Sciences: Methods and Issues
7. Internship
8. Stakeholder Engagement, Coalition Building, and Advocacy
9. Honours / Capstone Project (Phase I)
10. Honours / Capstone Project (Phase II)