


# MASTER OF INTERNATIONAL PUBLIC MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION\*

Programme Code: A1M104

The Master of International Public Management and Administration (MIPMA) is a dual degree post-graduate programme offered by the Johnson Shoyama Graduate School of Public Policy (JSGS), University of Saskatchewan (USask), Canada and the Department of Asian and Policy Studies (APS), The Education University of Hong Kong (EdUHK), HKSAR.



The MIPMA exposes students to a unique blend of international policy problems, country-level policy approaches and public sector management issues across dynamic comparative contexts in Canada, Hong Kong and Thailand. As a cohort, students spend one semester at the USask (January – May), one semester at the EdUHK (June – August), and six to eight weeks at Naresuen University, Phitsanulok, Thailand (September – November). It is a 30-credit-point programme taught exclusively by international faculty and practitioners from both universities. Students joining the programme will enjoy full access to facilities at USask and EdUHK.



Designed for students and early career professionals intending careers in government, statutory organisations, the government-linked sectors, government-business relations, policy advising, analysis and advocacy organisations (NGOs, consulting and advisory companies), the programme offers students the ability to develop high-level skills in policy analysis, evaluation, strategic management, project appraisal and analysis, human resource management and strategic communications. The programme is complemented by a capstone project, field visits and experiential engagement with real-life policy problems.

Upon the successful completion of the programme, students will be awarded two degree certificates; one from the USask, Canada and one from EdUHK, HKSAR.

## About the University of Saskatchewan

The University of Saskatchewan is one of Canada's top research universities and a member of the elite U15 Group of Canadian Research Universities (the 15 most research-intensive universities in Canada).

## About The Education University of Hong Kong

The Education University of Hong Kong is one of the eight publicly funded higher education institutions in Hong Kong and distinguished by its regional and international scholarship in Education, Social Sciences and Humanities. Ranked 2nd in Asian and 16th in the World in Education (QS World University Ranking by Subject 2020), the university enjoys a diverse international faculty.



## Programme Highlights

- ▶ 12-month, 3-semester programme (January – December);
- ▶ Taught exclusively by leading international experts and practitioners from the University of Saskatchewan (Canada) and The Education University of Hong Kong (HKSAR);
- ▶ On-site lectures and hands-on capstone experience in three unique, dynamic learning environments highlighting developed and developing countries, i.e. Saskatchewan, Canada, HKSAR, China, and Phitsanulok, Thailand;
- ▶ Integrated capstone project providing opportunities to engage in experiential real-life policy problems and public sector management issues;
- ▶ Fully accompanied by dedicated team of academic from Canada and Hong Kong who remain with the students for the duration of the programme; and
- ▶ Two degree certificates, one from USask, Canada, and another one from EdUHK, HKSAR, upon graduation.

## Admission Requirements

- ▶ Applicants should hold a recognized Bachelor's Degree or other equivalent qualifications, preferably *in social science disciplines* with honours not lower than second class or an average grade of not lower than B;
- ▶ Applicants whose entrance qualifications are obtained from a non-English speaking institution must fulfil English proficiency requirements: IELTS 6.5 (with a minimum of 6.0 in each component); and
- ▶ Shortlisted applicants are required to attend an interview.



## Programme Fees

Tuition Fee: HKD 450,000 (equivalent to about USD 58,000)

(includes return economy class flights from students home city to Canada, Hong Kong, Thailand; all accommodation in Canada, Hong Kong and Thailand; local transportation in Canada, Hong Kong and Thailand; enrichment & cultural activities in Canada, Hong Kong and Thailand; full travel and medical insurance in Canada, Hong Kong and Thailand); residential meals (student halls) in Canada.)

## Visa

Students joining this programme are required to arrange their own visas. The EdUHK will assist students in getting the students visa from their home countries to Hong Kong. The USask will assist students in getting the students visa from their home countries to Canada. Students are required to obtain the visa (Category ED (Education)) to Thailand by themselves.

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