

Senior Research Assistant (Ref: 2600742)
Academy for Educational Development and Innovation

Project Title: The Elderly and Artificial Intelligence: Comparing Senior Citizens' AI Literacy Acquisition in Hong Kong
[Appointment Period: 10 months]

The appointee will be responsible for assisting the principal investigator and co-investigators in a research project titled "The Elderly and Artificial Intelligence: Comparing Senior Citizens' AI Literacy Acquisition in Hong Kong". This study aims at exploring what are the different user experiences for Hong Kong senior citizens in acquiring AI literacy through the use of different American and Chinese AI tools, and what are the key factors associated with elderly people's AI literacy acquisition in Hong Kong.

The appointee will assist the qualitative and quantitative data collection and analysis, literature review, student helper coordination; and carrying out any other duties as assigned by the principal investigator and co-investigators. Applicants should have a Master's degree in relevant social sciences disciplines (e.g., Communication and Media Studies; Education Studies; Psychology; Sociology, or Anthropology) plus one-year's post Master's degree full-time working experience, or a Doctoral degree. They are expected to have relevant research skills (e.g., qualitative interviews and computational data collection). The experiences in social works for local elderly centres are highly preferred.

The appointee should be creative, self-motivated, responsible, organized, as well as good at interpersonal communication in Cantonese, English, and Putonghua. The appointment will be for a period of 10 months.

For further enquiries about the post, please contact Dr Liu Jindong at ljindong@eduhk.hk.

Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Initial appointment will be made on a fixed-term contract. Fringe benefits include contract-end gratuity, leave, medical and dental benefits.

The University only accepts and considers applications submitted online for this post. Applicants should complete the [online application form](#) and upload a full CV on or before **7 September 2026**. Applications which are incomplete or without the required documents may not be considered. Personal data provided by applicants will be used for recruitment and other employment-related purposes. For details of the Personal Information Collection Statement, please refer to <http://www.eduhk.hk/jobsopp/index.php?glang=en>.

All applications will be treated in strict confidence. Only those who are shortlisted will be contacted. The University reserves the right not to fill the position(s) advertised.

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