

**THE EDUCATION UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG
FACULTY OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY**

Professor Wang Wen Chung Memorial Award

1. Background

Professor Wang Wen Chung Memorial Award is established in memory of the late Professor Wang Wen Chung. The award is established to honor Professor Wang's lifelong commitment to education and psychological measurement as well as his almost 10-year service to The Education University of Hong Kong (EdUHK). The award is funded through the generous memorial donation from Professor Wang's family and the matching fund from the Government. The award aims at encouraging undergraduate psychology students to learn from Professor Wang in pursuing academic excellence in the area of quantitative psychology. The award shall commence from the 2020/21 academic year.

2. Provision of Awards

A maximum of two awards will be available in each academic year. Each awardee will receive a one-off bookstore coupon of HK\$500. They will not be required to relinquish scholarships or bursaries concurrently held by them. Neither will the value of the award be reduced in such circumstances. The continuation of the Award Scheme will be determined in the beginning of each academic year.

3. Eligibility Criteria

Candidates should:

- be registered full-time students undertaking the Bachelor of Social Sciences (Honours) in Psychology programme at the EdUHK;
- have completed the courses "PSY2032 Statistical Methods in Psychology I" and "PSY3033 Statistical Methods in Psychology II" and obtained a grade of A- or above in at least one of the two courses at the time of the nomination deadline;
- be nominated by the lecturers of the two courses; and
- have not received the award before.

4. Nomination and Selection Procedure

The relevant course lecturers will be invited to make nominations in January each year. Nomination must have the consent and signature of the nominee. A selection panel chaired by the Head of Department will consider the nominees for the award. The other members of the panel are the Associate Head (Programmes), the Programme Leader, and lecturers of the courses PSY2032 and PSY3033. The selection panel will use the below-mentioned criteria to assess the nominees for the award. No interview is required.

5. Selection Criteria

- Good Cumulative Overall GPA and Cumulative Major GPA (normally 3.0 or above)
- Good PSY2032 Class Performance and Course Grade (normally A- or above)
- Good PSY3033 Class Performance and Course Grade (normally A- or above)

6. Announcement of Results

The results of the awards will be announced around February/March. Awardees and their nominators will be notified of the results. The list of awardees will be sent to the EdUHK's Committee on Scholarships and Prizes for noting.

7. Presentation of Awards

Certificates will be presented to the awardees at the Departmental Graduation Ceremony scheduled in November each year.

8. Conditions of Awards

- Awardees may be invited to speak at the presentation ceremony and/or workshops to share their experience in learning statistics with fellow students.
- The award will be terminated if the awardee ceases to be a student of the Bachelor of Social Sciences (Honours) in Psychology programme in the academic year of receiving the award. The Department reserves the right to ask the recipient to refund the award.
- The award will be terminated if the recipient has committed any unethical and/or undesirable behavior and/or violated any EdUHK regulations in the academic year of receiving the award. The Department reserves the right to make judgement on undesirable behavior and ask the recipient to refund the award.
- If none of the candidates meet the eligibility and selection criteria in the academic year, the award will not be offered.

9. Enquiries

The custodian of the award is the Department of Psychology. For enquiries, please contact Ms. Zita Lam of the Department by calling 2948-8165 or sending an email to zwylam@eduhk.hk.

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