



香港中文大學
The Chinese University of Hong Kong



2025 UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSIONS

INTERNATIONAL

#StudyinHONGKONGatCUHK

WHY HONG KONG?

GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT

Asia's Most Enticing City

Hong Kong is a global city that has attracted people from all corners of the globe. This city of 7.5 million people offers a vibrant lifestyle, beautiful scenery, exciting cultural events, and a welcoming international community. Apart from academics, students engage in diverse, fruitful, and interesting endeavours.

Gateway to Mainland China

Studying in Hong Kong allows you to be immersed in China's bustling economy and gain extraordinary intercultural insights. Experience life in a world-class city abounding with fast data, cutting-edge technology, and insuppressible vitality.

Bridge between China and the West

With the bilingual environment (Chinese and English) and world-class standard of education, Hong Kong serves as the perfect destination for higher education in Asia. It is a student-friendly metropolis with a multitude of advantages and opportunities to help students maximise their learning experience.

Hong Kong aspires to further develop itself into a regional education hub with top-notch universities and quality institutions through diversification and internationalisation.



HONG KONG RANKINGS

KEY FINANCIAL HUB

PRIME LOCATION FOR
FINANCIAL SERVICES AND
HOME TO MANY FINANCIAL
INSTITUTIONS

ECONOMY AND BUSINESS

1ST
IN THE WORLD
**INVESTMENT
ENVIRONMENT**
Legatum Institute:
Legatum Prosperity Index
2023

2ND
IN THE WORLD
**WORLD'S FREEST
ECONOMY**
Canada-based Fraser
Institute 2023

FINANCE

1ST
IN THE WORLD
FINANCIAL SYSTEM
Global Competitiveness
Report 2019 published
by the World Economic
Forum

4TH
IN THE WORLD
**GLOBAL FINANCIAL
CENTRE**
UK-based Z/Yen and China
Development Institute
from Shenzhen: Global
Financial Centres Index
released in March 2024

INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY

3RD
IN THE WORLD
**DIGITAL
INTELLIGENCE**
Digital Intelligence Index
2020 compiled by
US-based The Fletcher
School at Tufts University
and Mastercard

10TH
IN THE WORLD
**DIGITAL
COMPETITIVENESS**
IMD: World Digital
Competitiveness Ranking
2023

HEALTH AND INFRASTRUCTURE

1ST
IN THE WORLD
**INFRASTRUCTURE
SECURITY**
The Economist
Intelligence Unit's Safe
Cities Index 2021

3RD
IN THE WORLD
HEALTH SECURITY
The Economist
Intelligence Unit's Safe
Cities Index 2021



CUHK?

WHY

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Founded in 1963, The Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK) has been recognised globally as a leading comprehensive research university and one of the finest in Asia. English is the major medium of instruction. Currently, we have over 5,000 non-local students from 50+ countries and regions.

Students can make the most of their university life with our unique college system and world-class facilities. There is an abundance of scholarship opportunities for students. CUHK has the most hostel places among all local universities and some of our colleges guarantee full residence throughout the study period.

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Teaching Excellence

As a top university in Hong Kong and Asia, CUHK aims to nurture students with both specialised knowledge and wisdom for life. The education experience here is distinguished by a flexible credit unit system, a college system, bilingualism, and multiculturalism. There are general education courses to broaden students' perspectives and develop their ability to face the challenges of contemporary society.

Campus Environment

Our beautiful 138.4-hectare campus overlooking Tolo Harbour is the largest and greenest in Hong Kong. It houses a range of facilities essential for an all-round campus experience, such as world-class libraries, art museums, music halls, swimming pool, sports fields, tennis courts, squash courts, water sports centre, and gymnasiums.

13TH

Times Higher Education
Most International Universities 2024

53RD

Times Higher Education
Rankings 2024

79TH

Top 100 Worldwide Universities
Granted U.S. Utility Patents 2023

36TH

QS World University
Rankings 2025

10TH

QS Asia University
Rankings 2024

10TH

Times Higher Education
Rankings 2024

ASIA

5TH

Best Global Universities
U.S. News and World Report 2024-2025

1ST

Reuters Asia Pacific's
Most Innovative Universities
2016-2019

2ND

Top 100 Worldwide Universities
Granted U.S. Utility Patents 2023

3RD

The Academic Ranking
of World Universities
(ARWU) 2024

1ST

Best Global Universities
U.S. News and World Report 2024-2025

CUHK RANKINGS



FACULTIES AND PROGRAMMES

DUAL DEGREE PROGRAMMES

Dual undergraduate degree programmes are also offered in collaboration with some of the most prestigious universities in the world:

- The University of Edinburgh in the United Kingdom
- The University of Manchester in the United Kingdom
- Peking University in China
- Shanghai Jiao Tong University in China
- Tsinghua University in China
- And more...

Programme List



ARTS

www.arts.cuhk.edu.hk



- Anthropology
- Chinese Language and Literature
- Chinese Studies
- English
- Fine Arts
- History
- Japanese Studies
- Linguistics
- Music
- Philosophy
- Public Humanities*
- Religious Studies
- Theology
- Translation

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

www.bs.cuhk.edu.hk



- Biotechnology, Entrepreneurship and Healthcare Management
- Global Business Studies
- Global Economics and Finance
- Hospitality and Real Estate
- Insurance, Financial and Actuarial Analysis
- Integrated Bachelor of Business Administration
- Integrated BBA Programme and Juris Doctor
- Professional Accountancy
- Quantitative Finance
- Quantitative Finance and Risk Management Science
- Interdisciplinary Data Analytics & X Double Major Programme

EDUCATION

www.fed.cuhk.edu.hk



- BA (Chinese Language Studies) and BEd (Chinese Language Education)
- BA (English Studies) and BEd (English Language Education)
- Early Childhood Education
- Human Movement Science and Health Studies*
- Learning Design and Technology
- Mathematics and Mathematics Education
- Physical Education, Exercise Science and Health

ENGINEERING

www.erg.cuhk.edu.hk



- Aerospace Science and Earth Informatics & X Double Major Programme
- Artificial Intelligence: Systems and Technologies
- Biomedical Engineering
- Computational Data Science
- Computer Science and Engineering
- Electronic Engineering
- Energy and Environmental Engineering
- Financial Technology
- Information Engineering
- Learning Design and Technology
- Materials Science and Engineering*
- Mathematics and Information Engineering
- Mechanical and Automation Engineering
- Systems Engineering and Engineering Management
- Interdisciplinary Data Analytics & X Double Major Programme

LAW

www.law.cuhk.edu.hk



- Bachelor of Laws
- Integrated BBA Programme and Juris Doctor

MEDICINE

www.med.cuhk.edu.hk



- Biomedical Sciences
- Biotechnology, Entrepreneurship and Healthcare Management
- Chinese Medicine
- Medicine (MBCChB)
- Nursing
- Pharmacy
- Public Health

SCIENCE

www.sci.cuhk.edu.hk



- Aerospace Science and Earth Informatics & X Double Major Programme
- Biotechnology, Entrepreneurship and Healthcare Management
- Computational Data Science
- Earth and Environmental Sciences
- Enrichment Mathematics
- Enrichment Stream in Theoretical Physics
- Learning Design and Technology
- Mathematics and Information Engineering
- Quantitative Finance and Risk Management Science
- Risk Management Science
- Science (Broad-based Admission)
 - Biochemistry
 - Biology
 - Biology and Chemistry
 - Cell and Molecular Biology
 - Chemistry
 - Earth and Environmental Sciences
 - Food and Nutritional Sciences
 - Mathematics
 - Molecular Biotechnology
 - Physics
 - Statistics
- Interdisciplinary Data Analytics & X Double Major Programme

SOCIAL SCIENCE

www.socsc.cuhk.edu.hk



- Aerospace Science and Earth Informatics & X Double Major Programme
- Architectural Studies
- Data Science and Policy Studies
- Economics
- Geography and Resource Management
- Global Communication
- Global Economics and Finance
- Global Studies
- Government and Public Administration
- Journalism and Communication
- Psychology
- Social Work
- Sociology
- Urban Studies
- Social Science (Broad-based Admission)
 - Architectural Studies
 - Data Science and Policy Studies
 - Economics
 - Geography and Resource Management
 - Global Communication
 - Global Studies
 - Government and Public Administration
 - Journalism and Communication
 - Psychology
 - Sociology
 - Urban Studies

*The programmes are subject to approval by the Senate.

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CUHK SUBJECT RANKINGS IN THE WORLD

QS World University Rankings by Subject 2024

8 TH	26 TH	28 TH	28 TH
Nursing	Communication & Media Studies	Medicine	Modern Languages
29 TH	31 ST	33 RD	33 RD
Sociology	Geography	Education	Linguistics
35 TH	36 TH	36 TH	41 ST
Computer Sciences & Information System	Accounting & Finance	Anthropology	Psychology
41 ST	47 TH	47 TH	48 TH
Sports-related Subjects	Art & Humanities	Theology, Divinity & Religious Studies	Economics & Econometrics
48 TH	49 TH	21 – 50 TH	
Life Sciences & Medicine	Law and Legal Studies	Marketing	



A UNIQUE COLLEGE EXPERIENCE

Our Colleges



VIBRANT STUDENT LIFE ON-CAMPUS

CUHK is the only university in Hong Kong that offers a collegiate system. The plethora of non-formal learning opportunities offered by the Colleges complement the formal curricula, nurture students' interpersonal skills and cultural sensitivity, and build up their confidence and sense of social responsibility.

To many CUHK graduates, some of the fondest memories and lasting friendships originate from the Colleges. In these small communities, you will enjoy close interaction with your teachers and grow with your peers. All full-time undergraduates at CUHK will be affiliated with one of the Colleges. Each College is distinctive, but together they shape the character of the University.

CO-OP@CUHK

**NURTURE PRODUCTIVE,
RESPONSIVE AND RESPONSIBLE
FUTURE LEADERS**



Co-op@CUHK is a university-wide, pan-discipline experiential learning initiative that aims to hit a triple win for students, employers, and the University. In a fast-changing and increasingly competitive world, CUHK's Co-operative Education Programme, Co-op@CUHK, is an academically accredited programme tailored for ambitious and driven students to jumpstart their career exploration. Through valuable work experience alongside CUHK's bespoke courses, Co-op gives students the opportunity to build up their soft skills, industry insights, and professional networks while earning their degree.

Co-op@CUHK prides itself in being the first of its kind in Hong Kong, open to CUHK students of year two or above across all disciplines who exhibit good academic standing, a breadth of extra-curricular activities and a positive, can-do attitude. The Programme allies with a diverse spectrum of industry partners, including reputed global companies with Hong Kong operations, fresh startups, non-profit organisations, and statutory bodies.



GLOBAL EXPOSURE

WIDE RANGE OF EXCHANGE AND INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Over 270 exchange programmes at over 30 destinations, including:

- Australian National University
- Brown University
- Cornell University
- Dartmouth College
- Durham University
- McGill University
- Seoul National University
- The University of Auckland
- The University of British Columbia
- The University of Tokyo
- Tsinghua University
- University College London
- University of Cambridge
- University of Pennsylvania
- Yale University

CUHK has also pioneered the Global Internship Programme providing students with internship opportunities in Mainland China and across the world, such as Beijing, Berlin, Jakarta, Kuala Lumpur, London, New York City, Shanghai, Sydney, Tokyo, Vancouver, and more.

GRADUATE EMPLOYMENT*

Sectors



Major Career Fields



*Figures of 2023 graduates, excluding graduates from the Medicine Programme

01 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

GCE-AL / International-AL

3 AL passes or 2 AL + 2 AS passes

IB Diploma

30 points out of 45

High School Graduation Diploma with

SAT/ACT plus 2 APs

Other Recognised International Qualifications



02 ENGLISH PROFICIENCY

IELTS 6.0

TOEFL (iBT) 80

GCSE / IGCSE / GCE-OL C or 4

IB 4

Other Recognised English Language Tests

03 PROGRAMME-SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

In addition to satisfying the University requirements, applicants shall satisfy the additional requirements of the Programmes concerned. Please visit the Programme List for details.

Programme List



MINIMUM ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

ESTIMATED ANNUAL FEES

Tuition fee

USD
22,800*

Annual Total Expenses (Including Hostel and Living)

USD
28,600* approx.

*Exchange Rate: USD1 = ~HKD7.78

The tuition fee for non-local students for 2025-26 is HKD178,000 per annum. The fee for dual degree programmes may vary, please visit our official website for the latest information.



SCHOLARSHIPS

HKSAR Government Scholarships for "Belt and Road" students, University Admission Scholarships, and many more!

Priority will be given to candidates who apply before the Regular Round Application Deadline.

ADMISSION INFORMATION

ADMISSION TIMELINE

Application
Opens

Advance Offer
Deadline

Notification of
Offers

Regular Round
Application
Deadline

Student
Registration

Term
Commencement

●
2 Oct
2024

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14 Nov
2024

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From Dec
2024

●
9 Jan
2025

●
Aug
2025

●
Sep
2025

Application
Guides



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Please refer to our website for the latest information.

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