

Bachelor of Social Sciences (Honours) in PSYCHOLOGY

心理學社會科學學士 (榮譽) 學位課程

PROGRAMME FEATURES

This programme enhances students' understanding of the application of psychology in different commercial settings. A diversified range of elective courses are offered to enable students to transfer their knowledge and theory in psychology to business, educational, industrial and organisational settings. Graduates are also eligible to apply for postgraduate programmes in the area of clinical, counselling, educational and industrial organisational psychology.

- Fosters students' interest in the study of human mind and behaviour by laboratory and practicum experience;
- Provides students with a solid training in the theoretical, empirical and applied aspects of psychology;
- Allows students to acquire a thorough understanding of psychological principles and apply them in the areas of clinical and educational psychology and in various settings;
- Equips students with the essential knowledge and skills in conducting research in psychology and related fields.



CAREER PROSPECTS

Our programme is designed to prepare students for careers in psychology and related fields, such as social services, education, research, health care, communication, and different careers in helping professional and commercial settings. Graduates are eligible to apply for membership with the Hong Kong Psychological Society (HKPS), the British Psychological Society (BPS) and the Australian Psychological Society (APS) (membership applications are assessed on individual basis for these societies).

ALUMNI SHARING



Studying psychology at HKBU is much more than gaining knowledge from textbooks! The lecturers and schoolmates here are phenomenal! It is an unforgettable journey that still impacts my life after graduation!

CHENG HO YI, ASHLEY (GRADUATE OF 2022)
PROGRAMME ASSISTANT IN EDUCATION INSTITUTION



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DR. TERENCE LEE
PROGRAMME DIRECTOR

PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

MAJOR CORE COURSES (45 UNITS)

- Basic Learning Processes
- Research Methods and Design in Psychology*
- Biological Psychology 🧬
- Personality Psychology*
- History and Systems of Psychology
- Abnormal Psychology*
- Experimental Psychology
- Social Psychology*
- Sensation and Perception
- Cognitive Psychology 🧠
- Honours Project I
- Honours Project II
- Psychological Testing and Assessment
- Motivation and Emotion
- Psychology of the Chinese People 🇨🇳

* Exemption will be given to Associate Degree / Higher Diploma graduates who have completed these courses. Students who are granted exemption are required to take equivalent units from the Major Elective Courses.

MAJOR ELECTIVE COURSES (18 UNITS)

- Consumer Psychology
- Educational Psychology
- Industrial and Organizational Psychology
- Ethics and Writing in Psychology
- Qualitative Research Methods
- Counselling Psychology
- Psychology in Applied Settings - Practicum I
- Psychology in Applied Settings - Practicum II
- Advanced Research Methods
- Clinical Psychology
- Issues and Practice in Educational Settings

GENERAL EDUCATION CAPSTONE COURSE (3 UNITS)

- Lifespan Development and Society 🧬*

This GE capstone course will be open to all self-funded undergraduate students. Students may select a GE capstone course offered by different self-funded undergraduate programmes.

Remarks:

1. 🧬 This course has been included in the list of reimbursable courses under the Continuing Education Fund. This course is recognised under the Qualifications Framework (QF Level 5).
2. The College reserves the right to make changes to these courses without prior notice.



TUITION FEE

For local applicants:
HK\$44,187 per semester

Students are required to complete 66 units in two years at HK\$2,678 per unit.

For non-local applicants:
HK\$47,652 per semester;
at HK\$2,888 per unit.



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