

THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG
FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

Master of Social Work

1. Applications are invited for admission in September 2024 to the programme leading to the degree of Master of Social Work by full-time study or by part-time study. To be eligible for admission to the programme, a candidate shall satisfy both the University admission requirements and the programme specific requirements as listed below:

- (a) shall comply with the [General Regulations](#) and the Regulations for Taught Postgraduate Curricula;
- (b) shall hold a Bachelor's degree of this University or another qualification of equivalent standard from this University or from another University or comparable institution accepted for this purpose;
- (c) for a candidate who is seeking admission on the basis of a qualification from a university or comparable institution outside Hong Kong of which the language of teaching and/or examination is not English, shall satisfy the University English language requirement applicable to higher degrees as prescribed under General Regulation G2(b)*; and
- (d) shall satisfy the examiners in a qualifying examination if required.

An application for exemption from the above requirements shall be considered on a case by case basis.

* For General Regulation G2(b), please refer to <http://tl.hku.hk/quality-manual/appendices/>.

2. The curriculum shall normally extend over two academic years of full-time study or three academic years of part-time study. Classes for part-time students are arranged whenever possible during evenings or on Saturdays. There is also the expectation that full-time students will make themselves available for a block placement in the summer of their first year of study.

3. Students who expect to complete the Bachelor's degree programme by July 1, 2024 and graduate in 2024 may apply for admission.

4. Applications for this taught postgraduate programme and payment of application fee (HK\$300 per application) should be made through the HKU on-line application system at <http://www.hku.hk/tpg/>.

5. The closing dates for application are **12:00 noon, November 6, 2023** for the main round and **12:00 noon, February 26, 2024** for the second round.

6. The Regulations and Syllabuses for this programme can be viewed at <http://www.hku.hk/tpg/>.

7. Applicants may contact the Department of Social Work and Social Administration at mshku@hku.hk if they do not receive their application results by July 31, 2024.

September 2023