

General Qualifications For Admission



For the Doctor of Philosophy and Doctor of Music Programmes, the applicant shall have:

- a Master's degree from a recognized university; or
- a Bachelor's degree, normally with Second Class Honours in the upper division or above, and have been registered in a course of study for a Master's degree at this University for at least one year and have demonstrated research ability; or
- been registered in a course of study for a doctoral degree at a recognized university for at least one year, and have been approved for admission by the Graduate Council; or
- obtained the degrees of MBChB, or equivalent, or under special circumstances, the degree of Bachelor, for admission to programmes of the Faculty of Medicine.

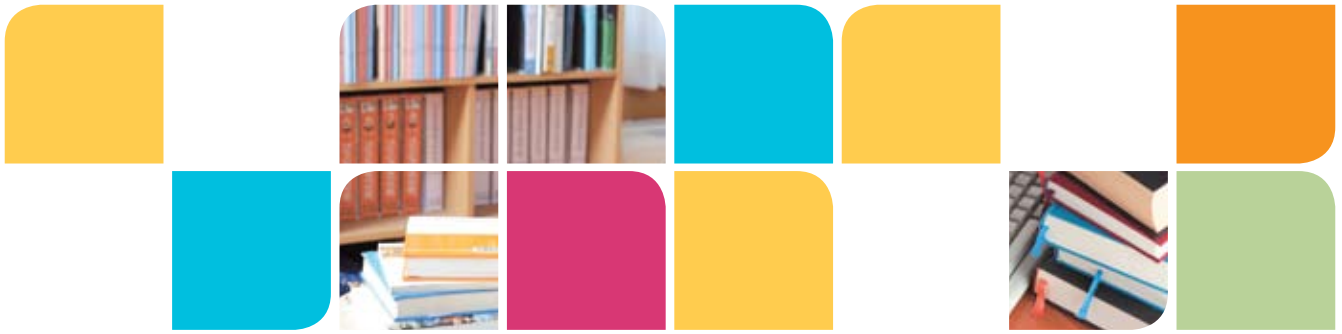
For the Doctor of Philosophy stream under the "MPhil-PhD Programmes", the applicant shall have:

- a Master's degree from a recognized university; or
- graduated from a recognized university and obtained a Bachelor's degree, normally with honours not lower than Second Class; or
- graduated from an honours programme of a recognized university with a Bachelor's degree, normally achieving an average grade of not lower than "B" in undergraduate courses; or
- completed a course of study in a tertiary educational institution and obtained professional or similar qualifications equivalent to an honours degree.

For a Master's programme, the applicants shall have:

- graduated from a recognized university and obtained a Bachelor's degree, normally with honours not lower than Second Class; or
- graduated from an honours programme of a recognized university with a Bachelor's degree, normally achieving an average grade of not lower than "B" in undergraduate courses; or
- completed a course of study in a tertiary educational institution and obtained professional or similar qualifications equivalent to an honours degree.





All students should fulfil the English Language Proficiency Requirement prescribed below before they are admitted:

- possess a pass grade in English in one of the following examinations
 - Hong Kong Advanced Level Exam;
 - Hong Kong Higher Level Exam;
 - CUHK Matriculation Exam; or
- have a degree from a university in Hong Kong or an English speaking country; or
- submit one of the following scores for assessment by the programmes concerned:
 - TOEFL;
 - GMAT (Verbal);
 - College English Test (CET) of PRC;
 - IELTS (Academic); or
- have obtained a recognized professional qualification awarded in Hong Kong or an English speaking country.

Each Graduate Division may set further requirements, including a subject test or language test, and may also waive such additional requirements in particular cases.

Those who expect to obtain a Bachelor's degree in the current academic year may also apply for admission. Some programmes may require applicants to have full-time working experience. Please refer to the programme information for details.

Applicants with degrees awarded by overseas universities by distance learning or by completing a curriculum of short duration may be required to provide assessment report from the Hong Kong Council for Accreditation of Academic & Vocational Qualification (HKCAAVQ) on the level of qualification obtained.

