

From Strength to Strength

Visiting Scholars

Visiting scholars from Australia, Canada, China, Ireland, Taiwan, France, the United Kingdom and the United States are frequently invited for academic exchange, guest lecturing and research activities.

Fieldwork Learning

As part of social work training, students are required to take fieldwork placements in different NGO or government settings. Students are supervised by experienced Fieldwork supervisors on a weekly basis.

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General Entrance Requirements

Admission to BSW (Hons.) is subject to satisfying both the General University Admission Requirements and the Departmental requirements.

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| • English Language | Level 3 |
| • Chinese Language | Level 3 |
| • Mathematics | Level 2 |
| • Citizenship and Social Development | Attained |
| • Elective | Level 3 in two subjects |

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Career Prospects

The programme provides graduates with social work training that can qualify them to register as Registered Social Workers under the Social Workers Registration Board in Hong Kong. Apart from pursuing further research and postgraduate study, graduates are eligible to apply for RSW positions in a wide range of areas:

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| -School Social Work | -Services for Ethnic Minority Groups |
| -Family Services | -Children and Youth Services |
| -Medical Social Work | -Community Development |
| -Probation Services | -Services for Older People |
| -Career and Vocational Services | -Psychiatric Rehabilitation |
| -Social and Digital Innovation | |



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Bachelor of Social Work (Honours)

社會工作(榮譽)學士課程



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Aim of the Programme

The Bachelor of Social Work (Hons.) aims to develop students' knowledge, skills, and professional values in social work so that the graduates can effectively meet the social service needs of the community in a flexible, realistic, creative and professional, yet caring manner.

Programme Structure

Programme Duration and Delivery

The BSW (Hons) programme is a four-year programme with curriculum outlined as follows:

Major Compulsory Courses	48 units
Major Electives	18 units
Free Electives	27 units
University Core, Faculty Core, and General Education	<u>35 units</u>
Total	128 units

Major Compulsory Courses:

- Social Work Values and Interventions
- Theory and Practice in Social Work: Individual
- Theory and Practice in Social Work: Group
- Theory and Practice in Social Work: Community Development
- Social Work in Contemporary Society
- Social Policy and Law
- Comparative Social Welfare in Global and Chinese Contexts
- Social Work Honours Project
- Field Practice I and II
- Integrative Tutorials

Major Elective Courses:

- Human Development through the Life Span
- Administration in Human Service Organizations
- Social Dimensions of Human Societies
- Social Work Research
- Other courses focused on direct practice or specific service populations

Placement Opportunities Outside Hong Kong

The Department offers students placement opportunities in other parts of the world such as Ireland, Australia, Canada, Taiwan, Singapore and Mainland China. Students with good academic performance are eligible for Ada S.H. Li Social Work Practicum Scholarship and Dr. Yeung Wing On and Ms. Esther Wong May Wai Scholarship for placements outside Hong Kong.

Scholarships and Awards

Scholarships are awarded to students with good academic performance:

- HSBC Social Work Scholarship Scheme
- Mr. Ho Chi Wong Memorial Scholarship
- Paul and Martha Hackett Memorial Scholarship
- Rev. Lawrence Chu Best Social Work Fieldwork Practice Scholarship

