



香港中文大學  
The Chinese University of Hong Kong

# BA in Chinese Studies

2021-2022 ADMISSION

## ENQUIRIES



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## Why Chinese Studies?

### Aim High

- Rethink your place in the world and your contribution to the future.
- Train for a career involving China as a global leader in the 21st century.
- Become a world-class communicator, analyst, negotiator, and social innovator in Chinese and English.

### The Chinese Studies Approach

- Benefit from interactive teaching and interdisciplinary learning in English about China.
- Train to the high-level of Chinese and English needed for professional global communication.
- Learn through dialogue with students and faculty from all parts of the Chinese cultural sphere and coming from around the world.
- Make the most of a university famed around the world for its China studies tradition, libraries, museums and faculty.
- Make the most of our location to learn on-the-ground in China and Hong Kong through fieldwork and internship courses, research, travel and social learning.
- Develop an area of special knowledge combined with China expertise through research, internships, or through adding a well-chosen minor.

# AT CUHK

## CENTRE FOR CHINA STUDIES

The Centre for China studies was founded in 2005 to advance scholarship and learning in all fields of Chinese studies at the Chinese University of Hong Kong. The Centre faculty includes historians, scholars of literature, film and culture, anthropologists, political economists and specialists in governance and international relations who share an interdisciplinary approach and a global perspective on China's past, present, and future.

As a world leading institution

# EXPLORE



## BA IN CHINESE STUDIES

This multi-disciplinary programme is focused on studying and learning through direct engagement with China. With an emphasis on teaching in English and training for effective communication in international arenas, the programme offers an integrated exploration of the complexities of Chinese history, culture, language and contemporary society, including economy, governance, and business. It is ideal for majors intent on becoming the globally-oriented China-specialist analysts, cross-cultural communicators and twenty-first century network-builders.

### Curriculum

The curriculum provides a range of opportunities for students to train language, communication and analytical skills and explore the diversity of Chinese studies. Students learning Chinese as a Second Language are placed in the International Stream, which ensures they will receive the high-level of Chinese language training necessary for international China experts. Students in the Chinese Native-Speaker Stream receive additional attention to strengthening English writing and communication skills in global settings.



Training for advancing Chinese language proficiency



Access to experts on China affairs



Exchange programmes in mainland China, Taiwan, Europe and North America



Field trip and site visit opportunities in Greater China



Internship opportunities

Major Requirements (72 Units) <i>[sample courses]</i>	University Requirements (39 units)	Free Electives (Remaining units)
<b>Year 1</b>		
CHES1000 Introduction to Chinese Studies CHES1001 Chinese Languages, Past and Present – Sound and Script CHES1002 Chinese Languages, Past and Present – Text and Translation		
<b>Year 2</b>		
CHES2001 Modern Chinese History CHES2100 The Cultural Revolution CHES2103 Popular Culture in Contemporary China	University Core Languages	
<b>Year 3</b>		
CHES3001 Global China CHES3002 China's Financial Reform: Problems and Perspectives CHES3006 China's Strategic and Diplomatic Cultures	Foundation, College and University General Education  Physical Education  IT Proficiency	Free Electives
<b>Year 4</b>		
CHES4003 Research Team Lab CHES4101 Chinese Legal and Justice Cultures CHES4102 China and Regional Order CHES4300 Chinese Studies Research Methods CHES4400 Capstone Research Paper		
<b>Total at least 123 Units</b>		

Remark:

The normative period of study is four years. Students with particular qualifications as stipulated by the University may be admitted with Advanced Standing with the possibility of obtaining the degree in three years.



## Admission Requirements

### Acceptable Qualifications

- GCE-AL / International-AL
- International Baccalaureate Diploma
- National/Provincial Examinations
- Associate Degree or Higher Diploma
- Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education via JUPAS (code: JS4136)
- Other high school qualifications may also be considered

### English Requirements

- IELTS: 6.0
- TOEFL (iBT): 80
- Other recognized language tests if English is not used as the native language

## Fees & Expenses

	International Students	Local Students
Application Fee	HK\$ 450	
Tuition Fee*	HK\$ 145,000	
Hostel Fee#	HK\$ 12,000	
Miscellaneous Expenses	HK\$ 35,000	
Total	HK\$ 192,450 per year (US \$24,674)	

\* Tuition fee for 2021/22 is to be confirmed

# Hostel fees vary with types of hostel and those of colleges with communal dining plans are higher

### Local Students

The tuition fee for full-time Hong Kong undergraduate students is subject to annual review by the HKSAR Government.

## Scholarships

Scholarships are available for outstanding students with a demonstrated commitment to Chinese studies.

## Important Dates

**18 November 2020**

Application deadline  
for Advance Offer

**13 January 2021**

Application deadline  
for Regular Offer



Applications received after the above deadlines will be considered on a rolling basis.



*The programme helped me to have a comprehensive understanding of China in various aspects, and to interact with people from around the globe.*

Farhan Syed HUSSAIN | India

Sam CHEN | Hong Kong

*The programme is perfectly designed for students who are considering a career in China.*



*When I came to CUHK, my first impression was that it's really modern. I met a lot of cool people – in the Chinese studies programme, and also in my college, and during different classes. I really like it.*

Marta Magdalena GRAMATYKA | Poland



*As a Chinese, there are still many things I don't know about my own country so I want to systematically study the topics related to China. That's the reason I chose CCS.*

CHEN Yirun | China



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