

The Chinese University of Hong Kong

# Department of Music

2021 Entry

**Master of Arts in Music**

2-year Part-time / 1-year Full-time Programme



香港中文大學音樂系  
**DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC**  
The Chinese University of Hong Kong

## Programme Objectives

The programme specifically aims to provide advanced academic and practical instructions on music and its broader cultural contexts to equip students with the critical skills and acumen they need in order to thrive in their future endeavors. It is designed not only for individuals who currently work in the music field but also music lovers with strong musical backgrounds from other professions.

## Admission Requirements

(A) Applicants should have:

1. Graduated from a recognized university and obtained a Bachelor's degree, normally with honours not lower than Second Class; or
2. 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
3. Completed a course of study in a tertiary educational institution and obtained professional or similar qualifications equivalent to an honours degree.

(B) Applicants must also meet the "English Language Proficiency Requirement" as stipulated by the Graduate School. Please refer to the Graduate School website for details.

## Application Procedures

Applications should be made via the CUHK Graduate School website.

In addition to the supporting documents as stipulated by the Graduate School, applicants should submit a Personal Statement of 300–500 words (in English) to the Graduate Division of Music by the specified deadline.

Shortlisted candidates will be invited for an interview.

## Application Deadline

February 28, 2021

## Tuition Fee

2-year Part-time: HK\$60,000 per annum

1-year Full-time: HK\$120,000 per annum

## Teaching Staff 2020-2021



CHEONG Wai Ling  
Programme  
Director



CHAN Kai Young



CHAN Wai Kwong  
Victor



CHAN Wing Wah



KOON Mee Yu  
Carmen



LO Hau Man



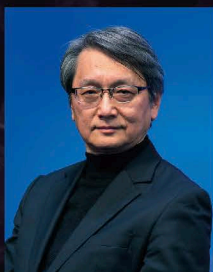
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Brian THOMPSON



TSENG Sun Man



YU Siu Wah

## Programme Requirements

To qualify for the award of the Master of Arts in Music, students must successfully complete a total of EIGHT courses (24 units), including at least ONE course from each of the three study areas: “Music and Society”, “Music, Industry, and Creativity” and “Style and Interpretation”. Students also need to achieve a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or above.

A selection of up to twelve courses will be offered in 2021-2022.

### Music and Society

MUSC5101	Traditional Musical Culture in China
MUSC5102	Musical Culture in Contemporary China
MUSC5103	Music and Popular Culture in Hong Kong
MUSC5104	Music in Film
MUSC5105	Frontiers in Church Music
MUSC5106	Music-Making in Global Contexts
MUSC5111	Special Topic I in “Music and Society”
MUSC5112	Special Topic II in “Music and Society”

### Music, Industry, and Creativity

MUSC5201	Music Management and Promotion
MUSC5202	Writing Functional Music
MUSC5203	Practical Composing and Arranging
MUSC5204	Advanced Music Information Technology
MUSC5205	Writing Music for the Church
MUSC5211	Special Topic III in “Music, Industry, and Creativity”
MUSC5212	Special Topic IV in “Music, Industry, and Creativity”

### Style and Interpretation

MUSC5301	Frontiers in Music Theory
MUSC5302	Style, Interpretation, and Performance Practice
MUSC5303	Western Opera & Related Vocal Genres
MUSC5304	Western Instrumental Genres
MUSC5305	Practical Studies in Musicianship and Conducting (Choral)
MUSC5306	Practical Studies in Musicianship and Conducting (Orchestral)
MUSC5311	Special Topic V in “Style and Interpretation”
MUSC5312	Special Topic VI in “Style and Interpretation”

## Fellowships with Tuition Remission Available

Outstanding local students (2021/22) will be awarded close to two-thirds of tuition remission under the UGC's Targeted Taught Postgraduate Fellowships Scheme.



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