Orientation Programme for Postgraduate Students
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Welcome to CUHK!
The CUHK Graduate School

• was formally established in 1966;

• offers in the academic year 2023-24 through 60 Graduate Divisions a total of 226 (including 3 offshore) programmes leading to higher degrees, postgraduate diplomas and certificates.
Functions of the Graduate School

- Formulate, review, and implement postgraduate regulations
- Quality assurance
- Admissions and marketing
- Registration and student records
- Study progress (i.e. term-end & graduation assessment), and academic standing
- Coordinate class timetable and course selection exercises
- Issuance of official documents (e.g. transcripts, certifying letters, etc.)
- Handling of special student cases & requests
The University System

Work within the system and make the system work for you!

>> Timelines
>> General Regulations Governing Postgraduate Studies
>> Code of Practice (for RPg and TPg Studies)
>> Postgraduate Student Handbook
>> GS Platform (Students)
The Academic Advisory System

Academic Advisor I
— Thesis Supervisor/Programme Director

Academic Advisor II
— to be assigned by the Head of Graduate Division
The Code of Conduct sets forth the expectations the University places on students in both academic conduct and personal behaviour, and contains documents that apply to the Code of Conduct.

Students should familiarise themselves with the Code of Conduct and comply with the rules, policies and procedures stated therein.
Academic Honesty

• One of the documents in the Honour Code and Code of Conduct is about academic honesty.

• The University places very high importance on honesty in academic work, and adopts a policy of zero tolerance on academic dishonesty.

• Refer to the website on Honesty in Academic Work: A Guide for Students and Teachers for reference.
Other University Units

• The CUHK Library (LIB)
• Centre for Learning Enhancement And Research (CLEAR)
• Independent Learning Centre (ILC)
• Information Technology Services Centre (ITSC)
• Office of Research and Knowledge Transfer Services (ORKTS)
• Office of Students Affairs (OSA)

→ There are a lot of useful workshops and seminars organized by various units throughout the whole academic year. Look for the opportunities and enroll!
Beware of Deception of All Kinds

• Impersonating officials or police officers
• Fraudulent bank website
• Phishing email
• Social media/Romance scam
Make the best of your studies!

• Define your goals.

• Develop a plan to reach your goals and do not hesitate to change your plan if this becomes necessary.

• Pursue your goals with enthusiasm and passion.
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Contact of the Graduate School

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2:00pm – 5:30pm

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GSO website
Online enquiry form
Wishing you a very successful and enjoyable time at CUHK!