



香港浸會大學

HONG KONG BAPTIST UNIVERSITY

BEST SUMMER EVER

HKBU SUMMER PROGRAMME 2019

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Summer Study in Asia's World City

Hong Kong is in the heart of Asia and a gateway to Mainland China. It is a world class cosmopolitan city where east and west blend in many ways. It is an exciting and dynamic destination. Your living and learning experiences at Hong Kong Baptist University (HKBU) will be enriching and unforgettable. It is a place where we seriously promote scholarly work and engage students in internationalized activities on campus.

Eligibility

Any undergraduate student in good academic standing from a HKBU exchange partner institution interested in learning in a highly vibrant city setting is invited to apply. Once enrolled, you will be studying and interacting alongside with other international students as well as local and Mainland students inside the same classrooms.

If you are not a native English speaker, you are required to have a minimum score of 550 (paper-based)/80 (internet-based) or above in TOEFL; or a score of 6.0 or above in IELTS, unless otherwise exempted per the terms of the partnership agreement between HKBU and your home institution.

Courses Offered

- All courses offered are credit-bearing and each carries 2 or 3 credits. The maximum study load for the five-week long summer programme is 6 credits.
- Over 30 courses will be offered in the areas of Business, Communication, Economics, English, Film, Finance, History, Journalism, Marketing, Religion, Science and Sociology.
- English will be the medium of instruction.
- Students who have completed the Programme will be issued official transcripts by the HKBU Academic Registry.
- Refer to the HKBU Summer Programme 2018 on our website for course offerings. Course offerings for Summer 2019 will be available in due course.
- Application deadline is **8 April 2019 (Monday)**.



Accommodation

Students are housed in the University's Undergraduate Halls on the Baptist University Road Campus (BURC). The Undergraduate Halls, composed of the South Tower and the North Tower, provide some 800 rooms. Rooms are shared by two students and are air-conditioned (separately controlled in each room). For each occupant, the provision includes one bed, closet, desk and shelf, one chair, and one LAN point and wifi connected to the University's network system.

Linens (sheets, blankets and pillows) are provided. Every two rooms share a common restroom and shower facility. Other facilities include a common lounge (with a small pantry) on each floor, a music/TV room, a multi-purpose room, a computer room, a study room, and a laundry area.

Calendar

Date	Event
2-3 July	Arrival
4 July	Orientation
5 July	First Day of Classes
6, 10, 13 July	Activities Days
19-21 July	Macao Tour
25 July	Last Day of Classes
29-30 July	Examinations
1 August	Departure



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Costs

Programme Fee: HK\$12,410 (US\$1,601)

HKBU Summer Programme is an all-inclusive programme.

Included in the programme fee are:

- On-campus accommodation
- Student activities (including a 3-day trip in Macao)
- Arrival pickup
- Administrative fee

Since this is an exchange programme, no tuition fee will be charged for students from HKBU exchange partner institutions.

Other Expenses

The estimated expenses for staying and studying in Hong Kong during the Programme are as follows:

Other Expenses	HK\$ (estimated)	US\$ (estimated)
Food	5,000	645
Books, Transportation and Misc.	3,000	387

Remarks

- US\$1 is roughly pegged to HK\$7.75
- Estimated expenses do not include expenses for return plane ticket to Hong Kong and visa application to Macao (if applicable)



Built-in Cultural Enrichment Component

Cultural and leisure activities are built into the programme so that students will have the opportunities to experience and learn about Hong Kong. The highlight of the programme is a 3-day cultural trip in Macao to learn about the history and culture of this city.

Visa

If you wish to enter Hong Kong for education and you do not have the right of abode or right to land in Hong Kong, you MUST obtain a student visa from the Immigration Department (of the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region) BEFORE coming to Hong Kong. We will be responsible for the processing of your Hong Kong student visa by contacting the Immigration Department in Hong Kong and will duly notify you once your visa application is approved.

For application details, please visit our website.





Application Procedures

1. Complete the "**Application for Enrollment HKBU Summer Programme 2019**".
2. Make an appointment to meet with the relevant study abroad advisor/coordinator at your home institution and submit the application form for endorsement. Only properly endorsed applications submitted by authorized persons from the exchange partner institutions will be accepted as this will be treated as a summer exchange programme whereby the numbers will be counted against the exchange numbers and therefore no tuition fee is charged.
3. Submit the following documents together with the application to the International/Study Abroad Office at your home institution:
 - An official transcript from home institution
 - Immigration Form (ID 995A) (<http://www.immd.gov.hk/pdforms/ID995A.pdf>)
 - 2 photocopies of applicant's passport, Exit-entry Permit for Travelling to and from Hong Kong and Macao (EEP), China ID or HKID (whichever is applicable)
 - Financial verification document (proof that sufficient funds are available for the summer study)
 - 3 recent passport-size photographs (not larger than 55 mm x 45 mm and not smaller than 50 mm x 40 mm)
 - TOEFL or IELTS result slip if your native language is not English. Alternatively, a verification letter from a faculty member who can testify your ability to study in an English-medium instruction environment will suffice.
4. Meet the application deadline **8 April 2019 (Monday)**.

Please consult your home institution for approval of the credit transfer for the course(s) that you intend to enroll in prior to the commencement of your summer study at HKBU.

Enquiries

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