



# POSTGRADUATE PROSPECTUS







### **St** International Faculty

**QS Asia University Rankings 2021** 

#### **St** Inbound Exchange Students

QS Asia University Rankings 2021

**St** Outbound Exchange Students

QS Asia University Rankings 2021





QS World University Rankings 202

### CONTENTS

**02** MESSAGE FROM THE DEAN OF SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES

**03** EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING IN LINGNAN'S TAUGHT POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES

04 LU RESEARCH RECOGNISED IN RAE2020 AS 'WORLD LEADING' AND 'INTERNATIONALLY EXCELLENT'

FIND THE RIGHT PRO-GRAMME

**08** SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES

**13** FACULTY OF ARTS

**16** FACULTY OF BUSINESS

**20** FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

23 HOW TO APPLY

25 CONNECT WITH US

### MESSAGE FROM THE DEAN OF SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES

A warm welcome from Lingnan University, a dynamic liberal arts university characterised by quality teaching and research, as well as experiential learning through active community engagement.

Lingnan students benefit from a rewarding educational environment, and a vigorous research platform which is constantly enriched by professional seminars and international exchanges. These are just two examples of how Lingnan's taught postgraduate programmes will help you pursue and realise your dreams.

Due to the pandemic, Lingnan has adopted a flexible approach to teaching and student learning. The University utilises a mixed-delivery mode which includes online and face-to-face teaching, together with other forms of e-learning and extracurricular activities. Our faculty members are experts in online tuition, and they constantly aim to provide the best of both online and face-to-face teaching to our students.

You will certainly be impressed by the multicultural aspects of Lingnan's campus life. Half of our faculty members have an international background, and one-seventh of our students are non-local, full-programme or semester-long exchange students. Through cross-cultural interaction and exchange, our students gain academic knowledge, and learn from extracurricular experiences and exposure to other cultures.

> Indeed, a major objective of Lingnan's liberal arts education is to provide students with international exposure. To achieve this, we invite guests from the UK, the US, Australia, China, and other parts of the world, to share their valuable insights and experiences with us in seminars, symposia, and conferences. This way, we can equip students with updated knowledge and skills, and give them the global awareness they need to achieve their goals.

A highlight of the international experience we provide for our students is a chance to participate in the International Postgraduate Summer School which is co-hosted by Lingnan and the University of Oxford in the UK. The Summer School provides a platform for scholars and research postgraduate students to present their major research findings, share research practices, and reflect on essential methodological issues. When the global health conditions allow, the School of Graduate Studies plans to offer more international learning opportunities for enhancing student learning. Let us stay in touch and remain positive to face the unprecedented global health crisis. With Faith, Love and Hope, we shall overcome.

> **Professor Joshua MOK Ka-ho** Dean of School of Graduate Studies Vice-President Lam Man Tsan Chair Professor of Comparative Policy



There are many things to consider when deciding which master's degree is the right one for you, but one often-overlooked aspect is whether experiential learning opportunities will feature as part of your studies.

Experiential learning opportunities cannot only boost your career prospects but there's a bunch of other benefits it can have on your professional and personal development.

Taught Postgraduate Programmes' students at Lingnan University in Hong Kong have the opportunity to take part in international symposiums and seminars to keep up with growing trends and challenges, as well as take part in exciting international internships and cross-cultural interactions and exchanges.

Experiential learning is designed to holistically complement your degree's curriculum and enhance your professional and personal development. It equips you with a wide-range of highly sought-after skills, knowledge and experiences that are essential when it comes to facing the various challenges and opportunities in the 21st century job landscape.

It's important to keep in mind that experiential learning isn't always about learning a specific topic, or how to do a particular task. Practicing how to apply new knowledge by acting it out or doing it on the job means other skills are also developed simultaneously and is why experiential learning and emotional intelligence go hand-in-hand.

If we've got you interested in experiential learning, Lingnan University is the first public liberal arts university in Hong Kong. Lingnan University ranks third worldwide for 'Quality Education' in THE University Impact Rankings 2021 and Lingnan also ranks highly for internationalization among more than 650 universities in Asia, according to the latest QS Asia University Rankings 2021.

LU RESEARCH RECOGNISED IN RAE2020 AS 'WORLD LEADING' AND 'INTERNATIONALLY EXCELLENT' Lingnan is dedicated to serving the community and responding to social needs with impactful research and knowledge transfer activities with humanitarian approach. These endeavours have been recognised in the latest **Research Assessment Exercise 2020 (RAE)** conducted by the University Grants Committee, which uses international benchmarks to delineate the areas of relative strength of public universities in Hong Kong.

"World Leading" /

LINGNAN RESEARCH OUTPUTS

ACCOUNTANCY

SOCIOLOGY AND ANTHROPOLOGY

SOCIAL WORK AND SOCIAL POLICY

PHILOSOPHY (

<sup>placed</sup> 1st / 2nd

LINGNAN IMPACT CASES



### **4-star / 3-star** (Outstanding / Considerable Impact)

Economics & Finance Accountancy Business Cultural Studies English Language and Literature History Sociology and Anthropology The Units of Assessment where Lingnan has done well and the positive feedback from the relevant Panels on LU's research were noted. LU has much to be proud of as a relatively small liberal arts university.

**UGC Members** 



### INTERNATIONAL POSTGRADUATE SUMMER SCHOOL WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD

The International Postgraduate Summer School, co-host by Lingnan University in Hong Kong and the University of Oxford in the UK, consists of one week of study at Lingnan, plus a further two weeks of study at Hertford College, the University of Oxford, for selected students. The summer school programme offers an international group of students the opportunity to establish their own research clusters and enrich their research experiences by sharing their interests while learning from world-renowned scholars. The oneweek programme at Lingnan University also offers a series of workshops which focus on various research and methodological issues, as well as student presentations, field visits and social activities.



## Close faculty-student relationship

Lingnan adopts a student-oriented teaching and learning approach, and emphasises close faculty-student relationship. We stress interactive teaching and learning modes that mobilise students to reach for higher levels of intellectual discourse, analytical thinking and independent research capability. Likewise, we also adopt innovative teaching and learning approaches that include internships, overseas field trips, immersion language studies, directed research projects, cooperative learning and action learning.



Students who wish to explore their career interests, upgrade their resumes, and gain insight into their preferred career choices prior to graduation, should take advantage of our internship programmes. Overseas internship programmes, and internships in Mainland China, give students the opportunity to broaden their global perspective by undertaking practical work outside of Hong Kong. These programmes also help students to understand cultural differences, become more inclusive, and become more aware of global issues, as well as improving their foreign-language skills.

Local internships allow students to gain a hands-on experience of the dynamic local work environment. Local work experience enriches students' professional knowledge and generic skills in the workplace, and enables them to network with associates and professionals. Internship experiences prior to graduation can strengthen a student's overall employability.

For more information, visit https://www.LN.edu.hk/osa/career/internships



# Strengthen your research skills

The School of Graduate Studies organises workshops and international conferences which provide invaluable opportunities for students to meet, and learn from, leading scholars and distinguished figures in relevant fields and industries. By participating in these discussions, students gain first-hand information about the latest trends and developments in their chosen fields, and build a network of contacts that will last a lifetime.

# Build your career

Lingnan aims to strengthen students' self-confidence, teach them how to become achievers, enhance their employability as graduates, and make them proud to be associated with Lingnan University. We want every graduate of Lingnan to be a well-rounded, confident citizen who is thoroughly equipped to face the challenges of an ever-changing world.

#### Our Office of Student Affairs offers:

- Career officers who offer one-to-one support and advise on job applications.
- Internships with potential employers and opportunities for employment.
- Workshops which offer advice on job interview skills, image building, personal grooming, and business etiquette.
- First-hand access to the latest information about the job market, and channels for direct interaction with employers.
- Workshops to improve resume writing skills, mock interview sessions, and mock written tests.

#### Accommodation options for Postgraduates @ Jao Tsung-I Academy

In addition to hostel accommodation on our Tuen Mun main campus, we offer postgraduate students the reasonably priced option of staying at Jao Tsung-I Academy's Heritage Lodge, a historic landmark in Kowloon. Linked by common respect for our Chinese heritage, culture and background, Lingnan and Jao Tsung-I Academy have teamed up to offer two pitched-roof, two-storey buildings at the Heritage Lodge to Lingnan postgraduate students exclusively, with a total of 36 shared rooms furnished in contemporary Chinese style with modern amenities. Located in Lai Chi Kok, the Heritage Lodge is only a few minutes' walk from MTR station - where there are lots of local shops, eateries, convenience stores and supermarkets - with easy connections to the heart of the city (9 minutes to Mong Kok, 22 minutes to Central).



# School of GRADUATE STUDIES

**Doctor of Policy Studies** 

Dual Degree of Doctor of Policy Studies and PhD of Education Policy/Administration Master of Arts in China and Regional Studies Master of Arts in International Higher Education and Management Master of Arts in Social Entrepreneurship and Innovation Management Master of Cities and Governance Master of Cities and Governance (Concentration in Environment and Sustainability) Master of Science in Health Analytics and Management Master of Science in Smart Ageing and Gerontology Master of Social Sciences in Health and Social Services Management Master of Social Sciences in Organisational Psychology and Education Management Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Social Sciences

#### **Doctor of Policy Studies**

- Offers both Full-time and Part-time modes. The minimum period of full-time mode is 36 months and part-time mode is 48 months.
- The only professional doctorate in policy studies in Greater China.
- Comparative perspectives in policy studies with a wide range of sector-specific expertise including education, health, housing, labour and social welfare, children/youth studies, sociology and social policy etc.
- Suitable for professionals with experience in public administration, education sector, non-governmental organisations, and think tanks.
- Excellent teaching team with internationallyrenowned scholars and policy leaders.
- Flexible and interactive delivery modes including experiential learning elements such as field visits, academic workshops and seminars.
- Provides opportunities for student exchange at University of Bath and a summer programme at University of Oxford.



Enquiries (852) 2616 7812 dps\_admission@LN.edu.hk

#### Dual Degree of Doctor of Policy Studies and PhD of Education Policy/Administration

- DPS is Hong Kong's first Doctorate in Policy Studies. The programme has flexible delivery modes and strong experiential learning elements including field visits, and academic workshops and seminars. Students can expect to visit some of LU partner institutions in the UK, notably the University of Bath and University of Oxford. The programme is particularly suitable for professionals with experience in public administration, education sector, non-governmental organisations, and think tanks.
- The PhD programme in NCCU aims to provide professional training for personnel in the fields of educational administration and policy planning. By integrating knowledge from various domains and the training of advanced social-science research methods, students are able to engage in research theory and topic discussions of higher academic learning and advanced applications.



### Master of Arts in China and Regional Studies

- A 1-year Full-time / 2-year Part-time area studies programme.
- An interdisciplinary programme: CRS includes courses and topics from disciplines such as Political Science, Cultural Studies, Sociology, Economics, and Urban Studies.
- International teaching team: CRS courses are delivered by world-class scholars affiliated with Lingnan University and its partners globally with vast experience in China, East Asia and African Studies.
- Experiential learning opportunities:
  - o Students will have opportunities for field visits and participate in international conferences and seminars to expose them to current research.
  - o CRS students can participate in international student exchange programmes (e.g., summer school at the University of Oxford).
- Flexibility in programme curriculum:
  - Students can choose a specialisation in China-Africa Studies (CAS) or China and East Asia Studies (CES) or even decide to enrol in courses from different CRS concentrations depending on their interest.
- Suitable for current and aspiring scholars, commentators, and practitioners in public and private sectors with interest in area studies.



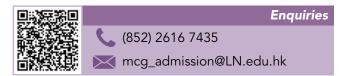
### Master of Arts in International Higher Education and Management

- 1 year Full-time / 2-year Part-time programme.
- Designed for existing staff and professionals working in the higher education sector, as well as those who want to lay the foundations for a promising career in the field.
- An inter-university collaborative programme, partnering with the University of Nottingham Ningbo China, the University of Hawaii in USA, and the National Chung Cheng University, Taiwan.
- Students may have opportunities to study overseas by participating in study visits.
- Offers a series of international research workshops and seminars to broaden students' network and ideas by meeting with professionals and top scholars from different counties and regions.



#### Master of Cities and Governance (Concentration in Environment and Sustainability)

- Suitable for anyone who wants to achieve a good understanding of environmental and sustainability issues.
- Linked to the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (UN SDGs).
- Teaches students to address key issues from international and regional perspectives.
- Offers graduates an advantage in a wide range of careers, especially in international affairs, city management, and public administration.
- Provides students with a broad knowledge of environmental issues to apply their specific skill sets to analyse case studies in order to communicate these developments to many different audiences.
- Students will take part in international research and academic programme-related events.



#### **Master of Cities and Governance**

- 1 year Full-time / 2-year Part-time programme.
- Graduates can engage in all aspects of urban governance and public policy in relation to cities, ranging from government and quasi-government bodies to NGOs, think tanks and corporations.
- Particularly designed for, but not exclusive to, students who are interested in the developments surrounding the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area (GBA).
- A cross-university collaborative programme.
- Excellent teaching team with internationally renowned scholars and distinguished practitioners in policymaking and urban governance.
- Opportunities for summer school at the University of Bath and University of Oxford.



### Master of Arts in Social Entrepreneurship and Innovation Management

- A 1-year Full-time / 2-year Part-time area studies programme.
- An interdisciplinary programme: SEIM includes courses and topics from disciplines such as Innovation, Design, Management, Entrepreneurship, and Sociology.
- International teaching team: SEIM courses are delivered by world-class scholars affiliated with Lingnan University and its partners globally.
- Experiential learning opportunities:
  - o Courses will include on-hands experiential learning in collaboration with community members and partners from Hong Kong and abroad.
  - o Students will have opportunities for field visits and participate in international conferences and seminars to expose them to current research.
  - o SEIM students can participate in international experiential learning programmes (e.g., summer and winter academies in Uganda, Nepal, and Kazakhstan) and work towards creating real world social ventures solving challenges in these communities.
- Suitable for current and aspiring innovators, social entrepreneurs, and managers in the public and private sectors.



### Master of Science in Health Analytics and Management

- 1 year Full-time / 2-year Part-time programme.
- Inter-disciplinary programme.
- Designed for health care professionals, health service managers and coordinators.
- The Master of Science in Health Analytics and Management (HAM) adopts an eclectic approach to design a professionally led courses aimed at training a modern crop of workforce who has the skills to support the increasingly data-driven and digitalised healthcare sector.
- The HAM aims at providing current and aspiring with data-driven management knowledge and skills to make informed decisions about healthcare and enhance efficient management of health service operations.
- The programme also intends to train students to develop a career-driven practical and research skills in health data analytics and operations management through the professional and technical knowledge.



Enquiries (852) 2616 7435

ham\_admission@LN.edu.hk

## Master of Science in Smart Ageing and Gerontology

- Offers both full-time and part-time study modes. The minimum study period of full-time mode is 12 months, and part-time mode is 24 months.
- A double-degree programme: co-developed by Lingnan University, Hong Kong and the Hong Kong Metropolitan University (HKMU).
- A special focus on gerontechnology, gerontology, and ageing policies.
- Students have access to internship opportunities and options for work-based research projects.
- Internationally trained teaching team with extensive research and practical knowledge.
- SAG includes experiential learning, including field visits (e.g., gerontological laboratories and medical institutions) and participation in international academic conferences.
- Offers access to several international research platforms in partnerships with several renowned scholars and institutions.



## Master of Social Sciences in Health and Social Services Management

- 1-year Full-time/ 2-year Part-time programme.
- Equips students with practical skills in leading and managing health and social service organizations and teams.
- Equips students with essential writing and research skills for report writing, conducting research projects and pursuing doctoral studies.
- Unique programme content: gerontology, gerontechnology and other assistive technologies in health and social services delivery; combining both orthodox medicine and Chinese medicine.
- International teaching team provides global perspectives and intellectually stimulating environment for developing critical management skills.
- Provides opportunities for international student exchange (e.g., summer school at The University of Oxford).
- The programme is offered with support from managers and frontline practitioners from various health and social services organizations.
- Applicants with a bachelor's degree in any discipline are welcome to study this programme.
- Prepares students for several career paths including:
  - o Project managers/coordinators
  - o Training officers
  - o Nursing and healthcare alliance managers
  - o Patient advocates
  - o Project operations executive
  - o Research officers
  - o Prevention officer in health services
  - o Outreach health workers



(852) 2616 7435

🔀 mhsm\_admission@LN.edu.hk

#### Master of Social Sciences in Organisational Psychology and Education Management

- 1 year Full-time / 2-year Part-time programme.
- Inter-disciplinary programme.
- Particularly designed for, but not exclusive to, senior teachers and principals from the school sector and administrators of tertiary and higher education institutions, designed to meet the needs of those who want to seriously study acquire indepth knowledge on organisational psychology as well as education management and leadership issues.
- Offers students a rich experiential learning environment through interacting with leading scholars in the education management and applied psychology fields.
- Provides postgraduate opportunities in professional fields for students and apply knowledge in the workplace, particularly in relation to their professional practices in education settings.
- Provides opportunities for Summer School at the University of Bath.



## Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Social Sciences

- Half-year full-time programme (1 Regular Term and a Summer Term).
- The PGDASS programme aimed for graduates of Bachelor's degrees who wish to pursue a taught master's degree, but not meeting the English requirement for consideration for admission.
- Strengthens the English language proficiency and academic performance of students to enable them to progress smoothly to taught master's degree programme.
- Prepares students with communication skills, a solid conceptual and analytical background.





# Faculty of ARTS

Master of Arts in Chinese Master of Arts in Creative and Media Industries Master of Arts in Curating and Art History Master of Arts in Translation Studies Master of Cultural Studies

#### **Master of Arts in Chinese**

- 1-year Full-time programme.
- Delivered in Cantonese and Putonghua.
- Designed for Chinese language and literature lovers who want to advance their careers, progress to a higher level of postgraduate study, or simply broaden their knowledge and understanding of classic and modern literature.
- Syllabus contains elements of aesthetics, history and culture aiming to inspire students' interest in classical and modern literature.
- Offers a wide range of compulsory and elective courses which includes disciplines like literary criticism, creative writing, film studies, and Chinese opera.



#### Master of Arts in Curating and Art History

- 1 year full-time or 2-year part-time programme.
- One of the few postgraduate programmes in Asia that combines two disciplines into one: museum curating and art history.
- Tailored for different career paths: Students can choose to curate a group exhibition or complete a research dissertation as capstone learning.
- Enhance students' international exposure by offering overseas summer school and internship courses.



## Master of Arts in Creative and Media Industries

- 1 year full-time or 2-year part-time programme.
- One of the few postgraduate programmes in Hong Kong that focus on Creative and Media Industries.
- Tailored for different career paths: government organisations, organisations in film, media and arts, arts and cultural trust foundations, media and publishing companies.
- The capstone project will offer students a valuable opportunity to connect their MACMI scholarship with their future careers.



#### **Master of Arts in Translation Studies**

- 1-year Full-time/ 2-year Part-time programme.
- Designed for students who are fairly competent in Chinese and English and who are ready for a vigorous academic training in translation and in translation studies research.
- The only MA programme in Hong Kong that focuses on the Chinese–English direction, to respond to the increasing importance of translation from Chinese into English.
- Offers a wide range of practical and theoretical courses that lean towards cross-disciplinary education.
- Features small-class teaching and one-to-one supervision for the Dissertation/Translation Project.



#### **Master of Cultural Studies**

- 1-year Full-time / 2-year Part-time programme
- Connects global and local issues from the perspectives of cultural studies to nurture global citizens who value cultural diversity.
- Adopts an interdisciplinary and cooperative learning approach.
- Offers Performance Studies as a major perspective in cultural analysis.
- Students come from diverse academic and professional backgrounds include Media and Creative Industries, Education, Civil Society and Community Work etc. This broadens the students' horizon and stimulates their critical and creative thinking in class and through peer learning.





# Faculty of BUSINESS

Doctor of Business Administration in Global Digital Economy and Governance Master of Accountancy Master of Science in Artificial Intelligence and Business Analytics Master of Science in Business Innovation and Entrepreneurship Master of Science in eBusiness and Supply Chain Management Master of Science in Finance Master of Science in Human Resource Management and Organisational Behaviour Master of Science in Marketing and International Business Master of Science in Risk and Insurance Management

#### Doctor of Business Administration in Global Digital Economy and Governance

- Offer full-time and part-time study modes.
- Normal study period:
  - o Full-time mode: 3 years.
  - o Part-time mode: 4 years.
- Help students understand the global political and economic development, social digital transformation and business management and growth in a digital era from macro-, meso- and micro-level perspectives.
- Seise opportunities from the national 14th Five year Plan and keep abreast of times to inspire students' innovative thinking of enterprise management in the new era, adapt students to latest developmental trends by incorporating past management experience with what they have learnt, with a vision to nurturing them to be future digital leaders.
- Recognised and supported by renowned academic and professional institutions such as the School of Social Sciences of Tsinghua University, the Academy of Digital China (Fujian). Fintech Innovative Network, Hong Kong Cyberport Management Company Limited, providing students with diversified professional guidance and an effective networking platform.
- Emphasise on course learning, research and practices and is well-designed for senior management personnel, entrepreneurs, government officials and other professionals who aspire to consolidate theories and practices and to maintain and enhance their competitive edges.
- Provide practical guidance and a wide range of learning activities throughout the study such as field trips, conventions and overseas study visits, etc.



#### **Master of Accountancy**

- 1-year Full-time programme.
- Two awards in one-year study. Postgraduate Diploma in Accountancy (PGDA), an intermediate award, will be given to students who have completed the six required courses and achieved a cumulative GPA of 2.67 or above in Term 1.
- High-quality teaching team and close interaction with students.
- Mutual examination paper exemptions between HKICPA and Chinese Institute of CPAs (CICPA).
- Provides different workshops and courses to improve students' career prospects, e.g. QP revision course, English-language composition workshop and Cantonese classes etc.



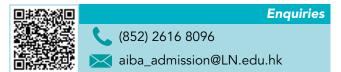
Enquiries

< admission\_acc@LN.edu.hk

### Master of Science in Artificial Intelligence and Business Analytics

(852) 2616 8182

- Provides students with knowledge that spans the core disciplines of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and business analytics, and integrates various disciplines to allow students to better understand all aspects of AI and business analytics and how they are used in the real world.
- Takes into consideration more practical business applications and frontier technologies by combining AI and business analytics with blockchain, marketing, healthcare, geographical information systems, and optimisation. Thereby enhancing the competitiveness of graduates in the job market.
- Serves a wide range of professionals, decision and policy makers who need to process and analyse big data. It is also ideal for healthcare and public utility sector practitioners who understand the importance of AI and business analytics in enhancing the quality of society and effectiveness of operations.
- Develops students' analytical and critical thinking, as well as their problem-solving skills, which enables graduates to pursue careers as business analysts, data analysts, data scientists, and AI consultants/ experts across various industries.



### Master of Science in Business Innovation and Entrepreneurship

- 1-year Full-time programme.
- The first Chinese programme in Hong Kong which focus on both business innovation. It allows students better understanding of the policies, rules and development of innovation and entrepreneurship in Mainland China.
- Equips students with an understanding of the technological, social, legal and financial aspects of entrepreneurship and the competency in applying the knowledge and to understand concepts and theories underpinning innovation and its development and sustainability and critically analyse issues pertaining to innovation development.
- Offers a Capstone Project which provides students the opportunity to apply knowledge and skills.



#### Master of Science in eBusiness and Supply Chain Management

- 1-year Full-time programme.
- A unique and forward-looking programme dedicated to developing and promoting students' academic and professional potential in the "Internet +" era.
- Developed partner relationship with a number of relevant firms which help enhance the career prospects of students.
- Offers several professional case analysis and chances to participate in real commercial projects, which help improve students' abilities in applying their knowledge to solve real problems.
- Students may have internship and overseas study opportunities. Networking events and talks provide the theoretical know-how and practical experience needed to accelerate career progress.
- Recognised by Hong Kong Logistics Association, the International Institute of Management, the Institute of Certified E-Commerce Consultants and the Project Management Institute.



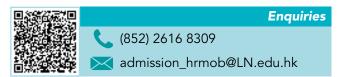
#### Master of Science in Finance

- 1-year Full-time programme.
- Suitable for students who have no, limited, or an intermediate level of knowledge of finance but have a strong desire to learn and are keen to work in the finance industry in Hong Kong, China, and overseas.
- Provides individual care for students through tutoring and relationship building, in order to help them succeed in their chosen profession as well as in their personal life.
- Emphasises the important concepts, skills, and theoretical and institutional underpinnings of finance in Term 1 and more advanced topics and practical aspects in Term 2.
- Provides an excellent background for students who wish to take the major professional qualifications in finance such as the CFA, CIIA, FRM, and CII designations.



#### Master of Science in Human Resource Management and Organisational Behaviour

- 1-year Full-time programme.
- Designed to enhance competencies in managing and developing people for a wide range of managerial, supervisory, and executive positions.
- The Action Learning Projects provide students opportunities to visit and analyse companies across industries to gain the contemporary and best practice knowledge in human resource management.
- The executive mentoring and internship programmes assist our students in developing a stronger professional network and career plan.
- Collaborates with the ESSCA School of Management in France and offer an optional twoyear full-time double master award. Students may gain international experience by studying in Hong Kong, France and Hungary.



#### Master of Science in Marketing and International Business

- 1-year Full-time programme.
- Small-class teaching and one-to-one supervision emphasises close faculty-student relationship.
- Provides students with whole-person and career development opportunities through professional networking activities.
- The Consulting Project module enables students to put theory into practice, and deliver meaningful services to the community under the supervision of academic advisers.
- Different kinds of workshops such as professional development workshops, a CV writing and interview skills workshop, corporate visits, field trips, and career talks as well as extra-curricular activities broaden students' skills and knowledge.
- Graduates are eligible for associate membership of HKIM, HKMA and CIM.



## Master of Science in Risk and Insurance Management

- 1-year Full-time programme.
- Gives an in-depth coverage of the major areas in risk management and insurance, with an emphasis on professional practice.
- Helps students obtain professional qualifications such as Chartered Insurance Institute (CII) and Financial Risk Manager (FRM) qualifications.
- Covers risk management principles, general insurance, life and health insurance, financial risk management, risk modeling and analysis, insurance law and regulation, wealth management, and financial services markets.
- The inclusion of finance electives increases the appeal of the degree to both students and potential employers.



Enquiries

admission\_rim@LN.edu.hk

(852) 2616 8191

# Faculty of SOCIAL SCIENCES

Master of Arts in International Affairs Master of Science in International and Development Economics Master of Science in International Banking and Finance Master of Science in Work and Organisational Psychology Master of Social Sciences in Applied Psychology Master of Social Sciences in Comparative Social Policy (International)

#### Master of Arts in International Affairs

- 1-year Full-time programme.
- Designed for those with a first degree in politicsrelated disciplines, social sciences, the humanities, law, or journalism, but also suitable for professionals in business and communications who want to broaden their outlook and advance their career prospects.
- Most teachers hold PhDs from major universities in the US, Britain, Australia, Canada and New Zealand. Some of them have conducted consultancy projects for public bodies including the Hong Kong's Central Policy Unit, the World Bank, the International Monetary Fund and the European Union.
- Syllabus covers the theoretical underpinnings, as well as detailed analysis of important international and Asia-Pacific issues.
- Students will have opportunities to attend academic conferences, workshops and public lectures. They can broaden their knowledge and develop a stronger network with the professionals from different fields.



## Master of Science in International and Development Economics

- 1-year Full-time / 2-year Part-time programme.
- The first taught master programme in Hong Kong mainly instructed in Chinese Mandarin and specializes in the Belt and Road Initiative and Economic Development.
- Regularly invites renowned professional leaders in various industries and diplomats in mainland China/ Hong Kong to share the latest regional development in their expertise fields.
- Provides students with field work opportunities to visit different regions along the Belt and Road Initiative and the Bay Areas (particular regarding the Free Trade Zone) in China.
- Offers internship opportunities in enterprises and companies.
- Graduates may apply for the dual-degree programme which is jointly launched with the Faculty of Business, Graduate School of Chinese Academy of Social Sciences.

🔀 mide@LN.edu.hk



Enquiries (852) 2616 7180

### Master of Science in International Banking and Finance

- The only full-time International Banking and Finance Master programme in Hong Kong.
- Options are available to combine the programme with ones in France, Spain, Switzerland or Britain to obtain a dual master's qualification.
- Courses cover topics ranging from corporate finance and macroeconomics to accounting, risk management and derivatives, aiming at balance between theoretical and practical aspects.
- Regularly invites industry experts to share their insights and up-to-date knowledge about investment banking, private equity, venture capital, brokerage operations, fintech and more which are useful for students' future career development.
- Offers students internship and overseas study tours opportunities.



## Master of Science in Work and Organisational Psychology

- 1-year Full-time / 2-year Part-time programme.
- Focuses on modern work and organisational psychology, including personnel psychology, organisational psychology, occupational health psychology, interpersonal skills in organisations, knowledge and skills in coaching and counselling, conflict management and social problem-solving in the workspace etc.
- Provides exclusively-tailored career support for students to explore and develop themselves in the HR and Consulting fields.
- Graduates are eligible to apply for the Registered Psychologist membership recognised by the Hong Kong Psychological Society.
- Offer double master degree programme with Master of Applied Psychology (MAP) with Beijing Normal University.



### Master of Social Sciences in Applied Psychology

- MAP is designed for students without psychology background but aiming to pursue a career or advanced study in clinical, educational, industrial/ organisational and counselling psychology.
- Offers both full-time and part-time study modes. The minimum study period of full-time mode is 12 months, and part-time mode is 24 months.
- Suitable for those with little or no background in Psychology.
- An option for specialisation in Counselling Psychology.
- Opportunity to register for Hong Kong Psychological Association membership upon graduation.



## Master of Social Sciences in Comparative Social Policy (International)

- 1-year Full-time / 2-year Part-time programme.
- The only taught master programme in Hong Kong which makes a comparative approach the focal point of studying social policy, development and governance.
- Focus on examining the major global policy in ageing, support for children and families, employment, life-long learning, health, well-being and social care, housing and urban planning.
- Visits will be organised to partner universities in Greater China and East Asia. Students will also have the opportunity to spend time at the University of York, UK.
- Suitable for those who pursue professional careers in education, journalism, social work or aspiring to become a social policy researcher in the government, think tank, local or international NGO, political parties or university research centres of social policy, development, and governance.
- A quality option for further studies in an MPhil or PhD programme.





### HOW TO APPLY

Choose a programme from the website of the School of Graduate Studies

Apply online at https://www.LN.edu.hk/admission/apply





#### Upload your documents

3

If you have not taken an English language test before submitting your application, your results can be submitted later, at a time chosen by your programme office. These documents are required:

- Academic certificates and transcripts from your university-level study
- Proof of English language proficiency (IELTS, TOEFL), if needed
- Personal statement
- Recommendation letter

Interviews may be required if deemed necessary by the Admissions Coordinator and the Programme Director.

If you receive an offer from us, please inform us of your acceptance as soon as you can.

- Details of the conditions that need to be met will be listed clearly in your offer letter. If you receive a conditional offer, please meet your conditions and submit proof as soon as possible
- Settle the deposit within the time stated
- Contact the programme office if you have any questions



### CONNECT WITH US

Tel:	(852) 2616 8720
Fax:	(852) 3716 6988
Email:	sgs@LN.edu.hk
Address:	Lingnan University 8 Castle Peak Road, Tuen Mun, Hong Kong
Website:	https://LN.edu.hk/sgs





