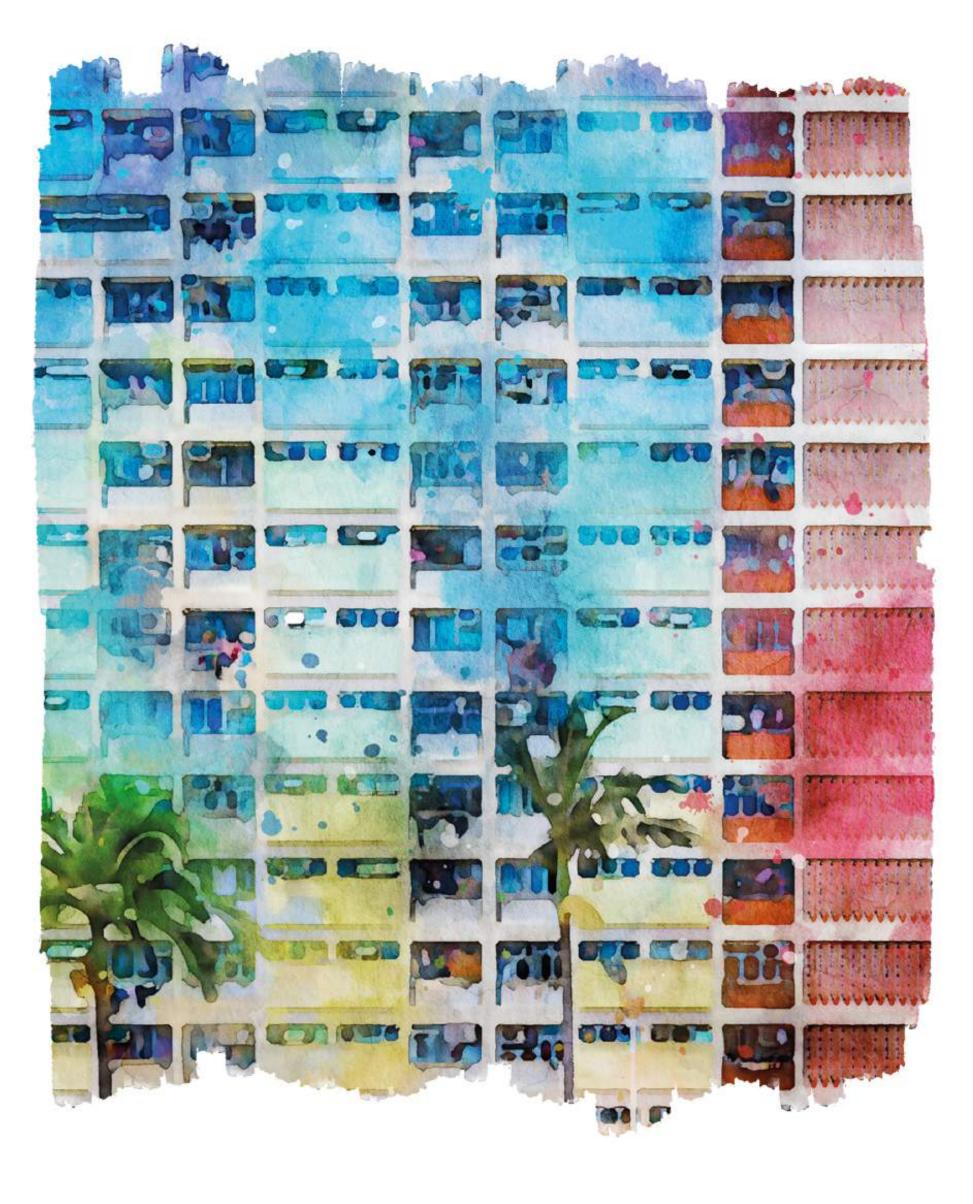


Bachelor of Social Sciences (Honours) in Sociology and Community Studies

Two-year Full-time



Programme Aims

- To equip students with sociological perspectives to understand the transformations and developments of Hong Kong, China and the world;
- To enhance students' conceptual and problem-solving skills with a view to promoting personal growth and community sustainability; and
- To develop students' competency in using appropriate research methodologies in social inquiries.

Programme Features

Sociology-based

 Analyses the development of Hong Kong and the regional community with the use of appropriate sociological concepts and theories.

Community-driven

 Develops practical and sustainable plans for promoting the betterment of communities at local and regional levels.

Experiential Learning

 Enables students to apply their knowledge and skills through participating in internship.



Experience Sharing

CHIN Yuet Shan Joyce 2024 Graduate

The Capstone Project is a hallmark feature of the University's education. During the Capstone Project, I have the precious opportunity to develop a community-based experiential learning package for primary school students. The holistic academic support provided by the University not only enhanced our self-confidence but also laid a solid foundation for our career preparedness.

LI Hong Chun Travis Year 2 Student

BSocSc (SCS) programme provides me with various opportunities to understand our community and the world, and to draw connections between our interests and the community through a sociological lens. It offers many workshops and resources to students, learning through lectures and experiencing the community with hands-on field visits and activities. The staff and lecturers are very supportive and friendly.





Programme Structure

Domain		Credit Points
Major	Major Core	18
	 Major Electives 	6
	 Cross-Faculty Core Course 	3
	 Major Interdisciplinary Course 	3
	Internship	3
Electives / Minor		15
General Education		6
Final Year Project (Honours Project / Capstone Project)		6
Total		60

Career Prospects

This programme will pay special attention to the fostering of portable skills and generic competencies that could be applied in a wide range of professional settings. The programme's emphasis on equipping students with a full range of research tools, both qualitative and quantitative, will benefit students' career development significantly. Its focus on a sociological perspective in community contexts will also ensure that much of what students learn here would have practical applications.

Graduates can find employment across a wide range of fields, including: community development workers, non-governmental organisation officers, community liaison officers in government departments and public organisations, international aid/development workers, public relations officers, social and marketing researchers, research assistants in academic institutions, and youth workers.







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Students admitted into this programme are required to visit the Greater Bay Area (GBA) and/or other parts of Mainland China. The programme may also require students to participate in other non-local learning experience for completion of the programme. While the visits are subsidised, students are required to contribute part of the estimated cost of the visits ("students' contribution"), whereas any personal entertainment, meals expenses, travel document fee and personal insurance costs shall be at students' own expense. The estimated cost of the visits and students' contribution for students admitted to the coming cohort is yet to be available due to a variety of factors such as inflation of cost of the visits, trip duration, traveling expenses, the exchange rate, etc.