

**Suggested Order of Study: BEcon 4-Year Programme (for 2017-18 Intake)**

	Year 1		Year 2		Year 3		Year 4	
	Course	Credits	Course	Credits	Course	Credits	Course	Credits
<b>Semester One</b>	CCxxxxxx Common Core (1)	6	CCxxxxxx Common Core (4)	6	CCxxxxxx Common Core (6)	6	Disciplinary elective	6
	CCxxxxxx Common Core (2)	6	CAES9920 Academic Communication for Business and Economics	6	CBBA9003 Practical Chinese	6	Free elective	6
	ACCT1101 Introduction to Financial Accounting (FCC)	6	Statistics requirement (FCC)	6	Disciplinary elective	6	Free elective	6
	ECON1210 Introductory Microeconomics (FCC)	6	ECON Core (1)	6	Free elective	6	Free elective	6
	Mathematics requirement	6	Free elective	6	Free elective	6	Free elective	6
<b>Semester Two</b>	CCxxxxxx Common Core (3)	6	CCxxxxxx Common Core (5)	6	Free elective	6	Capstone course	6
	CAES1000 Core University English	6	ECON Core (2)	6	Free elective	6	Free elective	6
	ECON1220 Introductory Macroeconomics	6	ECON Core (3)	6	Free elective	6	Free elective	6
	FINA1310 Corporate finance (FCC)	6	Free elective	6	Free elective	6	Free elective	6
	Free elective	6	Free elective	6	Free elective	6	Free elective	6
	Total:	60	Total:	60	Total:	60	Total:	60

**Notes:**

1. **Common Core:** All HKU students must complete a total of 6 Common Core courses (36 credits) in the first three years of the programme.

2. **FCC = Faculty Common Core** (4 courses, 24 credits):

(i) ACCT1101 Introduction to financial accounting + (ii) ECON1210 Introductory microeconomics + (iii) FINA1310 Corporate finance + (iv) Statistics course  
[Statistics course = ECON1280 Analysis of economic data or STAT1603 Introductory Statistics]

3. **Disciplinary courses:**

3a. **FCC = Faculty Common Core** (4 courses, 24 credits)

3b. **Mathematics course** (1 course, 6 credits): MATH1009 Basic Mathematics for Business and Economics or MATH1013 University Mathematics II

3c. **Introductory Level Econ Core Course** (1 course, 6 credits): ECON1220 Introductory Macroeconomics

3d. **Advanced Level Econ Core Course** (3 courses, 18 credits): (i) ECON2280 Introductory econometrics + (ii) ECON2210 Intermediate microeconomics + (iii) ECON2220 Intermediate macroeconomics

3e. **Disciplinary Electives** (2 courses, 12 credits)

3f. **Capstone course** (1 course, 6 credits): ECON4200 Senior Seminar in Economics and Finance (can be taken in semester 1 or 2).

4. **Free elective** (19 courses, 114 credits): Any course within HKU (except Common Core courses)

**Summary of Credits:**

Common Core	36
Language	18
Disciplinary	72
Free Electives	114
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>240</b>

## Important Dates and Reminders

<b>Important Dates in August-September 2017</b>	Deadline for CAES1000 Exemption Application	August 13, 2017 (11:59 p.m.)
	Deadline for online Faculty Academic Advisers (FAA) sign-up	August 16, 2017 (11:59 pm)
	Course selection period	August 23 (10:00 a.m.) – August 28 (4:00 p.m.), 2017 [Suspension period: August 24, 2017 (9:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.)]
	First Day of Teaching	September 1, 2017
	Add/Drop Period	August 31 (10:00 a.m.) – September 13 (4:00 p.m.), 2017 [Suspension period: September 1, 2017 (12:00 noon – 5:00 p.m.)]
<b>Reminders</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Students are required to meet with the FAAs at least <i>once every semester</i> in their first year of study.</li> <li>• Sign up for the Faculty Student Academic Advising programme at <a href="https://ugaa.hku.hk/signup-faa.php">https://ugaa.hku.hk/signup-faa.php</a></li> <li>• Visit the one-stop page “Orientation for Freshmen” at: <a href="http://www.fbe.hku.hk/academic-programmes/undergraduate/orientation-for-freshmen">http://www.fbe.hku.hk/academic-programmes/undergraduate/orientation-for-freshmen</a></li> <li>• Warning letters will be issued if your performance in coursework, tutorials/class tests/mid-term examination or attendance in lectures/tutorials is unsatisfactory.</li> </ul>	