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PART-TIME
MBA
Weekday & Weekend Modes
The HKU MBA is offered in both weekday and weekend modes. Students can choose the study mode that best suits their work commitments. A certain degree of flexibility between weekday and weekend mode courses may be allowed on a case-by-case basis. The weekday or weekend mode applies to core courses only, with electives offered from a common pool comprising courses in both modes.

**Programme Structure**

You are expected to complete the below courses within a minimum of 2 years (to a maximum of 4 years) in a 5-week modular structure, meaning you just have to concentrate on one single course in a given 5-week period.

**2 YEARS**

**5-week modular structure for each subject**

*Can be expanded to a maximum of 4 years*

**12 Core Courses**

(Weekday / Weekend mode)

- Accounting for Business Decisions
- Analytics for Managers
- Business Ethics
- Capstone Project
- China and the Global Economy
- Competitive Strategy
- Corporate Finance
- Executive Leadership
- High Performing Team (Induction course)
- Managing Digital Innovation
- Managerial Economics
- Strategic Marketing Management

**7 Electives**

from a large pool of courses in the below areas in either weekday / weekend mode

- Finance
- Marketing
- Entrepreneurship & Innovation
- Leadership
- Consulting & Strategy
- Technology & Analytics
- Management
- Governance and Regulations
- China Perspectives
- International Field Trips

*Curriculum structure, core courses and electives are subject to change and the University’s approval.

**General Class Profile for Year 1 and Year 2**

- Average Age: 33
- Average Years of Work Experience: 10
- Nationalities: Local: 48%; Non-Local: 52%
- Local: 55%; Female: 45%

**Work Experience**

*By Function*

- Merchandising, Sourcing: 28%
- Operations: 13%
- Human Resources, Administration: 13%
- Marketing, Branding and Business Development: 12%
- Engineering, IT Architecture: 12%
- General Management: 7%
- Strategy, Planning, Consulting, Professional Services: 7%
- Finance, Audit, Accounting: 7%

*By Industry*

- Real Estate, Property: 36%
- Healthcare, Pharmaceuticals: 14%
- Government, NGOs: 14%
- Supply Chain, Logistics, Aviation, Automotive: 14%
- IT, Tech: 17%
- Banking, Finance, Accounting, Insurance: 14%
- Utility, Consumer Product, Manufacturing: 7%
- Others: 7%
- Consulting, Advisory, Business services: 6%

Students may also take up to two electives from EMBA-Global Asia, Master of Science in Business Analytics, Master of Economics, Master of Finance, Master of Accounting, Master of Science in Marketing and Master of Global Management.
HKU MBA Highlights

1. Modular Structure
Both weekday and weekend modes are offered on a modular basis to allow students to focus on studying one course at a time. Each module lasts about five weeks. This structure offers tremendous benefits to students, who may have intensive work commitments in a particular period, and can thus choose not to enroll in that module.

2. Diverse and Contemporary Elective Selection in Flexible Schedule
You will be able to choose electives from a wide range of courses in different business areas. Our MBA elective are often taught by industry practitioners to bring in real-world experience and experienced professors to solidify your management framework. You can further expand your network by taking electives from different taught postgraduate programmes of the Faculty of Business and Economics. To further pursue knowledge of Business Analytics, Marketing, Economics, Accounting, Global Management or Finance.
Electives are scheduled in a block module structure (Friday to Monday) in which you only need to take two days off from work to complete an elective in four consecutive days.

3. Regional Perspective
Our Asia-Pacific focus will give you a distinct advantage in building your career in the region. The focus on Asia and China business renders the programme highly relevant to the wider region’s dynamic, ever-evolving business environment.

4. Case-Based Approach
The HKU MBA programme adopts an experiential-learning approach, with active use of business cases that enable students to become effective problem solvers and decision makers. These cases are written by our own professors and are published by our renowned Asia Case Research Centre (www.acrc.org.hk).

5. The London & New York Connection
There is a possibility for you to spend a semester at London Business School or Columbia Business School which offer great environments for business education along with international exposure.

6. Career Progression Workshop Series
The Career Progression Workshops are purposely designed for our part-time MBA students to equip them with the competencies required to lead successfully in organisations. Through a series of thought-provoking workshops, students discover how to put what they have learned into practice and fully utilise their leadership and communication talents in the workplace. These workshops may cover the following areas:
- Resume and Interview Skills Enhancement
- Executive Presence
- Collaboration and Positive Relations
- The Power of Networking for Career Success

7. Business Incubation for Entrepreneurs
You can test your business idea in our flagship elective module which provides you with opportunities to pursue your passion for entrepreneurship. The aim of the module is to incubate the development and consolidation of business concepts to seek venture capital and to build successful startup. You can pursue your entrepreneurial dream by turning the Business Lab into a real startup similar to many successful stories of our MBA alumni.

8. International Field Trip
International field trip is an elective which helps our students understand business dynamics in different economics. The field trips include visits to companies and institutions to see how different business practices and norms operate in different countries and economics. CEOs and top management of such companies will be invited to speak with students to share their business insights. In the past two years, we have organised numerous international field trips to Asia, Europe and the US. (Destinations of the field trips might vary year by year)

9. Strong Alumni Network
More than 220,000 alumni have spread worldwide representing over 150 nationalities. You can further expand your network regionally and globally.
MBA LIFE & ENGAGEMENT

As a HKU MBA student, you are opened to a range of extra-curricular activities to enrich your overall MBA experience. MBA alumni, business leaders, and senior executives will be invited to interact with students to create opportunities for your personal and career development. Being part of the HKU MBA family, you can continue to participate in our events to further expand your professional networks. These activities include:

- Orientation
- France and Germany Field Trip
- Yasha Desert Run
- Company Visit – Hong Kong International Airport
- Sake Tasting for HKU MBA Community
- Leadership Talk – Google
- The University of Hong Kong
- HKU MBA Indoor Golf
- Soap Cycling
- Craft Beer Experience
- US Field Trip
- Leadership Talk - Talk on Alibaba Story
- Leadership Talk - Talk on Starbucks
- Annual Dinner
- Leadership Talk - Starbucks By Mr. Patrick Kwok, General Manager, Starbucks Singapore
- Community Networking Event
- Amplifying Music & Network Social Gathering
- Badminton Tournament
- Career Workshop
- Asia Pacific Business School Blue Ice Trekking Challenge
- Free Lacrosse Fun Play
- Graduation Dinner
- HKU MBA Hiking
2020 Admissions

Requirements
1. Recognised bachelor’s degree
2. Satisfactory GMAT or GRE score
3. Minimum TOEFL 550 (paper-based) / 80 (internet-based) or IELTS overall 6.5 band (academic module), with no sub-test lower than 5.5
4. At least 2 years of postgraduate full-time work experience (as on September 2020)

Tuition Fee
HK$468,000 payable in 6 instalments over 2 years and subject to change and final approval of The University of Hong Kong.

Online application
https://aas.hku.hk/tpg/programme/master-business-administration

Application Process

1. Submit supporting documents
   - Official/certified true copy of transcript(s)
   - Certified true copy of degree certificate(s)
   - Official GMAT/GRE report
   - Official TOEFL/IELTS (academic module) score report
   - A copy of your passport (page with photo/ photo ID)
   - 2 referee reports
   - Résumé

2. Interview
   Once online applications and supporting documents are submitted, the Admissions Committee will shortlist candidates for interviews.

3. Admission decision
   In general, the admission result will be available 2 to 4 weeks after the interview. The admission decision will be communicated through email once all the outstanding supporting documents are received. In exceptional cases, a conditional offer may be made subject to fulfillment of the GMAT/GRE and/or TOEFL/IELTS requirements.