

Bachelor of Social Sciences (Honours) in ASIAN STUDIES (BSS-AS)

亞洲研究（榮譽）社會科學學士



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社會科學系

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCE

香港恒生大學

THE HANG SENG UNIVERSITY
OF HONG KONG

Programme Features

- The programme provides students with fundamental knowledge of social sciences and humanities with respect to issue in the Asian context.
- **Majority of the Programme specific modules are offered by the Department of Social Science.** This ensures the linkage and coherence of the modules offered.



Graduate sharing: Close relationships with teachers is a highlight of this programme. Teachers and I have built friendships through activities like monthly meetings, sharing and sporting. Constant gatherings had brought us closer and much like a family. Such precious relationship between teachers and students emphasised the uniqueness of the Asian Studies programme.

YAU Ka Yin, Tony, Graduate in 2020

**HOLISTIC
STRUCTURE**

- The programme equips students with abilities to work effectively in a multi-cultural environment.
- **Cross-cultural experience** cultivates students' critical thinking, communication skills and respect for cultural diversity.
- Through **academic exchange, study tour, summer course, voluntary work or placement**, students can gain overseas experience in Asia.

**OVERSEAS
EXPERIENCE**

Graduate sharing: Having study tours to Miyazaki and a summer school at Chung-Ang University, and participating in the Asian Cultural Week held annually were valuable opportunities for me to make friends with people from all over the world, especially from Asia, and there were a lot of unforgettable memories. Throughout the 4 years of learning of being a professional in Asia, I could closely stick with the Asian trends and flows; and be aware of important changes and opportunities. These are highly helpful for my career.

CHAN Wing Yin, Agnes,
Graduate in 2020



MULTI-DISCIPLINARY APPROACH

ASIAN LANGUAGE TRAINING

- The programme provides multi-disciplinary knowledge and training in **social science** and **humanities**.
- Students are trained to evaluate situations and problems in the Asian context by adopting multi-disciplinary perspectives.

Graduate sharing: Asian Studies is like a Portkey, an access point to Asian cultures and issues. I'm glad I grabbed the key to enter a new field that deepened my understanding of Asia and Asians. Teachers in AS are full of passion and enthusiasm. Their lessons are excellent as they can always load tremendous knowledge into student's minds via different methods. AS also provide opportunities to complete student's learning experience and skills through overseas learning, internships, and other fun activities. By graduating from AS, students are ready to make a difference in society.

FUNG Ying Wah, Graduate in 2021



- The programme requires students to attain at least 6 credits in **Japanese, Korean or other Asian language modules**.
- Students may also take advanced level language modules as electives to enhance their competitiveness in the job market or further study.



Graduate sharing: Learning Japanese made me worry about my GPA, but I think learning an Asian language is useful under some circumstances in the future. Writing the graduate thesis was the toughest task in my final year of study, but I enjoyed the process of constant consultation with my supervisor very much, as it sharpened my communication skills.

LAM Tsz Wing, Danny,
Graduate in 2020

Overseas Learning Experience

The Hang Seng University of Hong Kong (HSUHK) offers exchange opportunities for students in BSS-AS at overseas institutions. Along with the acquisition of academic theories and concepts, students can further their critical thinking skills, communication skills and respect for cultural diversity, which prepare them to work effectively in a multi-cultural environment.



Mainland China

- Shanghai University of International Business and Economics
- University of International Business and Economics

Japan

- Aichi Shukutoku University
- Nanzan University
- Osaka International University
- Seinan Gakuin University
- University of Niigata Prefecture

Korea

- Chung-Ang University
- Hanyang University
- Inha University
- Korea University Sejong Campus
- Pukyong National University
- Sangmyung University
- Yong In University

Malaysia

- Taylor's University

Taiwan

- Chung Yuan Christian University
- Feng Chia University
- Fu Jen Catholic University
- National Taipei University
- National Taiwan University
- Wenzao Ursuline University of Languages

Internship Opportunities

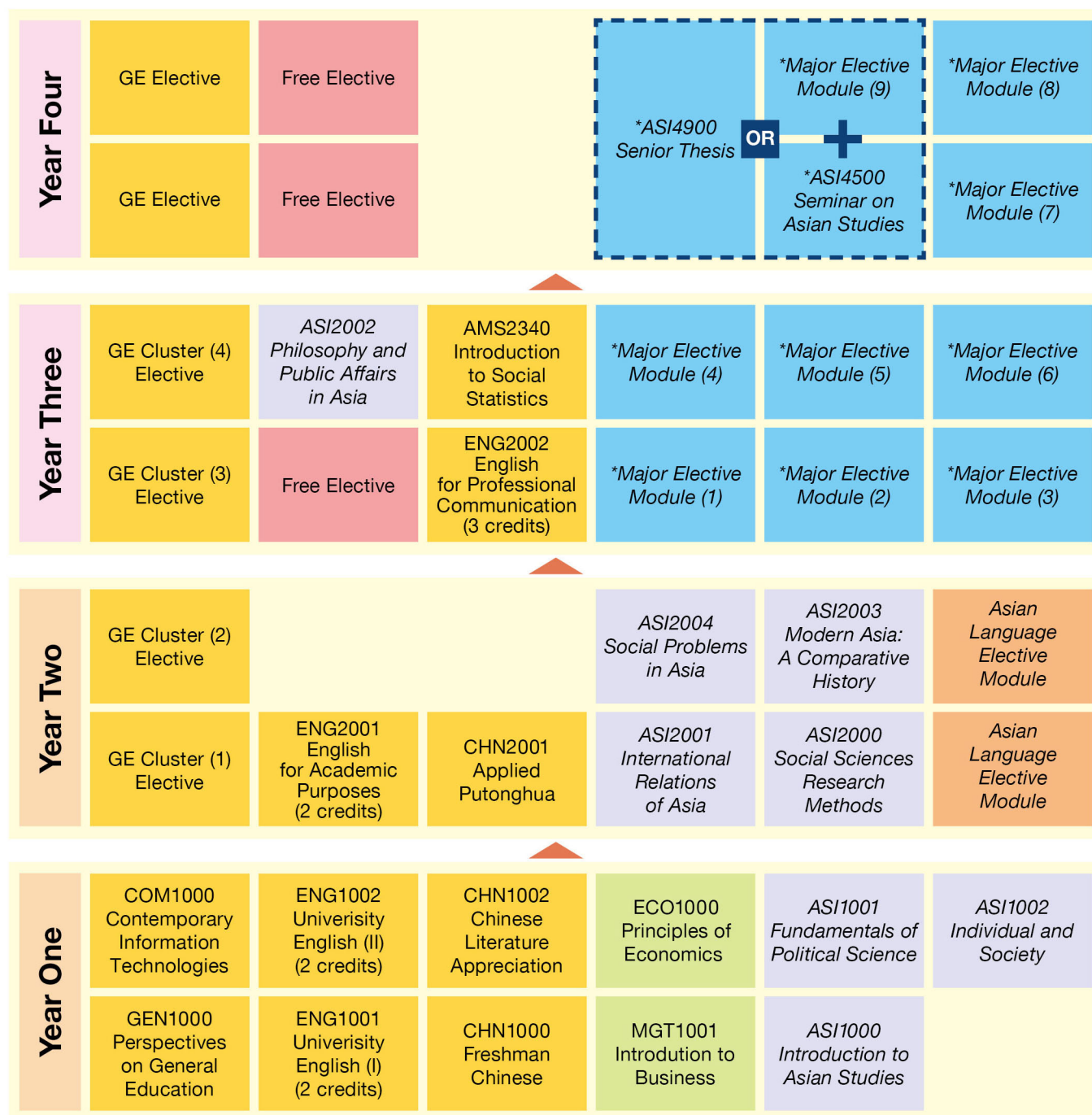
Job placement allows students to better understand what it is like in the workplace and sharpen their interpersonal skills. Students will be able to interact with people in the industry and attain valuable insights in the working environment.

Career Prospect

Graduates from BSS-AS have diverse employment pathways.

- Administrative Services
- Business
- Cultural Industry
- Education (*with PGDE)
- Media Work
- Non-government Organisation
- Politics
- Social Service

課程結構



* For ASI modules, students are required to take at least 3 modules in Level 4000 (excluding ASI4500 and ASI4900)

Major Elective Modules

選修單元

- Appreciating Asian Art, Heritage and Museum
- Asian Business
- Asian Food and Cuisines
- Coming of Age in South Korea
- Contemporary China: Continuity and Change
- Cultural Tourism in Asia
- Disaster and Crisis Management in Asia
- Economic Regionalism in East Asia
- Environmental Issues and Sustainability in Asia
- Gender, Sexuality, Race and Ethnicity in Asian Societies

- Globalisation of Korean Popular Culture
- Governance in Asia
- Japanese Culture and Society
- Migration and Transnationalism in Asia
- Political Emotions and Social Justice in Asia
- Psychology in Asian Context
- Religions and Societies in Asia
- Scientific Development and Social Changes in Asia
- Special Topics in Asian Studies (I)
- Special Topics in Asian Studies (II)
- Understanding Japanese Identity through Literature

Asian Languages

亞洲語言

- Korean
- Japanese
- Vietnamese
- Bahasa Indonesian

- Asian Studies Major Core
亞洲研究專修
- Asian Studies Major Elective
亞洲研究選修
- Business Education
商學教育
- Common Core Curriculum
共同核心科目
- Free Elective
自由選修
- Asian Language Elective Module
亞洲語言選修

課程特色



學生分享：透過閱讀中文繪本和玩遊戲，我有機會服務巴基斯坦小朋友，在對談中我理解到宗教在他們生活的重要性。透過少數族裔帶領的導賞團，我認識到少數族裔的生活文化以及他們在香港生活面對的困難。以上的體驗都加深了我對本地少數族裔社群的認識，使我對學習更加投入。

杜欣樺（四年級生）

學生分享：透過多元化的選修科目，我能從多角度深入了解亞洲問題，不論從政治、社會、歷史等方面，都有更深認識，亦有機會學習其他亞洲語言。

葉繕瑩（四年級生）



針對不同的亞洲議題，本課程為學生提供社會科學和人文學科的基礎知識。課程由社會科學系統一籌辦，確保不同學科間的連繫和一貫性。

跨學科
課程

多元化
教育

課程為學生提供多學科的知識和訓練，著重培訓他們多角度分析的能力去瞭解亞洲的形勢及問題。

海外
交流

亞洲
語言

課程為學生提供海外交流、暑期遊學團、義工活動等機會，藉此培養學生的批判思維、溝通技巧和尊重不同文化的態度，為他們將來在多元文化環境下工作做好準備。

學生必須修讀不少於6個學分的韓文、日文等亞洲語言單元。課程亦提供進階的語言單元讓學生選修，以加強他們升學和就業的競爭力。



學生分享：我曾到過韓國參加夏季課程，以及參與到日本及台灣的遊學團。從這些海外學習體驗中，透過實地考察及課堂，我學習到當地的社會文化及歷史，亦對各種議題有更深入的見解。

鍾宛靚（2020年畢業生）

學生分享：在亞研修讀日文課程時，雖然過程不容易，但在日語老師的鼓勵下學習過程才變得順利，老師也安排我們在課室以外的場合練習，使我的日語進步不少。

林癸渝（2021年畢業生）



海外交流

香港恒生大學(恒太)為亞洲研究課程的學生提供不少海外交流的機會，讓他們在多元文化的環境學習。學生可前往中國內地、台灣、日本、韓國及馬來西亞等地作海外交流，通過親身體驗加深對亞洲地區的認知。



中國內地

- 上海對外經貿大學
- 對外經濟貿易大學

日本

- 西南學院大學
- 愛知淑德大學
- 南山大學
- 大阪國際大學
- 新潟縣立大學

韓國

- 中央大學
- 漢陽大學
- 仁荷大學
- 祥明大學
- 龍仁大學
- 國立釜慶大學
- 高麗大學世宗校區

馬來西亞

- 泰萊大學

台灣

- 國立台灣大學
- 國立台北大學
- 天主教輔仁大學
- 逢甲大學
- 文藻外語大學
- 中原大學



實習機會

課程致力與業界保持緊密聯繫以尋找更多合作機會，讓學生於各類公私營機構實習。這些實習機會有助學生認識職場文化，提升人際溝通技巧，並培養良好的工作態度；他們不但學以致用，更可提升未來的競爭力。

就業前景與進修機會

課程旨在培訓學生具備多學科知識、批判思維及國際視野。故此，學生畢業後可於不同行業發揮所長。畢業生的就業出路多元化，舉例如下：

- 社會服務
- 政府機關
- 教育界（*須修讀學位教師教育文憑課程）
- 非政府組織
- 文化事業
- 媒體工作
- 企業管理

課程亦提供紮實的社會科學/亞洲研究學術基礎，學生畢業後可考慮報讀相關碩士課程，繼續深造。



ENQUIRIES ON APPLICATION AND ADMISSION 入學申請查詢

Applicants can submit their applications through the HSUHK Undergraduate Application System.

For further enquiries, please contact the Registry.

申請者可透過恒大大網上入學申請系統申請。如有進一步查詢，請聯絡本校教務處。

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