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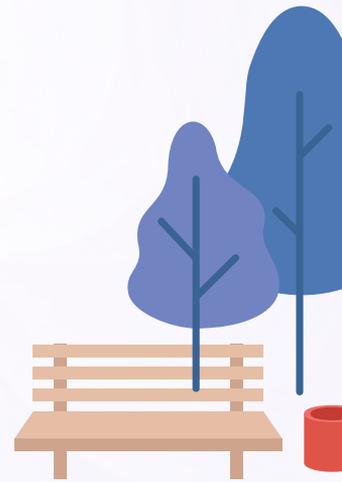
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Preface



Preface

Dear freshmen:

Welcome to The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen! As a freshman, you are about to embark on a new journey of academic and personal development. University life is full of opportunities and challenges, and this Freshman Handbook will serve as your guide and companion to help you navigate the university environment, acquire academic skills, develop your leadership abilities, and build meaningful relationships.

This handbook is designed to provide you with valuable information and guidance to help you embrace the various challenges of university life. Whether it is academic learning, social activities, personal growth, or life skills, you will find useful advice and practical resources within these pages. It also reminds you to prioritize your physical and mental well-being, cultivate a balanced lifestyle, and fully explore the diversity and richness of university life.

As a freshman, you will encounter many new experiences and learning opportunities. Do not be afraid to try new things, step out of your comfort zone, make new friends, join student organizations, and engage in community service and volunteer activities. These experiences will enrich your university life and lay a solid foundation for your personal and career development.

Regardless of your origin or background, university is an environment of diversity and inclusivity. Maintain an open mind, respect others' perspectives, and embrace cultural differences. Through communication and collaboration with people from different backgrounds, you will expand your horizons, develop a global perspective, and build cross-cultural friendships.

Most importantly, remember that university is a journey of growth and development. You may face difficulties and setbacks but do not be discouraged. No matter what difficulties and challenges you may face, remember that you are not alone. University is a place full of support and resources. Teachers, counsellors, and fellow students are willing to lend a helping hand. Dare to seek help, and do not fear failure, for failure is a part of success. Persevere in pursuing your dreams, believe in your abilities, and you will undoubtedly achieve remarkable accomplishments.

May this Freshman Handbook help you navigate through every stage of university successfully and become a wise and socially responsible individual. Wishing you a fruitful and memorable four years filled with achievements and personal growth.

2023 Freshmen Handbook Committee

Campus Life



Part 1 Campus Life

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2. Campus Facilities
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College Introduction

CUHK-Shenzhen presents its students with a collegiate system. Each student is affiliated with one college, which allows individuals of different academic and cultural backgrounds to interact closely. Colleges emphasize whole-person education and offer a wide variety of learning opportunities that supplement the academic education of school courses. These extracurricular activities cultivate our students' artistic tastes, boost their interpersonal skills and confidence, and raise their awareness of social responsibilities. The university currently has seven colleges: Shaw College, Diligentia College, Muse College, Harmonia College, Ling College, Minerva College, and The Seventh College.

Shaw College

Excellence with a soul, Leadership with a heart

Shaw College, the first college of The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen, was established thanks to a generous donation from the Shaw Foundation (Hong Kong) Limited. The college's mission is to provide a welcoming and inclusive home for students from diverse backgrounds and foster an environment where they can live and learn together. Shaw College strives to establish an open platform for students of different academic programs and background to engage in experiential learning activities and realize its holistic education philosophy of “In Pursuit of Virtue and Excellence.”



Contact Number: 0755-84273098

The concept of “home” is central to Shaw College's philosophy. Shaw College is an inclusive home where students from various cultures find common ground through living together and participating in numerous college activities. The warm and inviting atmosphere provides students with a space to unwind and recharge after a day of study and work. The college community, or the “Shaw” family, thrives on genuine care and respect for one another. Everyone plays a role in sustaining the college's positive atmosphere by protecting the public environment and maintaining a clean and comfortable place. Occasional dinners and daily interactions allow students to build meaningful relationships with roommates and tutors. Active participation in college activities and a focus on the college's development contribute to the growth of the “Shaw” family, enabling them to witness each other's brilliance. At Shaw College, you do not have to worry about what life is because you are at home, and home is your life.

—Zeng Zhiguo of Shaw College, Class of 2022

Diligentia College

Cultivating the self to serve society; Pursuing excellence to achieve moral integrity

Diligentia College cultivates students' whole-person development through non-formal education. A variety of co-curricular activities



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have been launched to strengthen students' physical and mental health, foster their sense of national identity, citizenship and social responsibility, enhance their leadership skills, and nurture their aesthetics and innovative spirit.

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As the days pass and the seasons change, Diligentia College has accompanied us for six years. The college embraces every Diligentia student with tolerance and warmth, providing a nurturing and supportive environment. The college's philosophy, "Cultivating the self to serve society; Pursuing excellence to achieve moral integrity." shows that education at Diligentia College is a transformative influence that touches students' hearts and helps them grow as individuals. I remember the lush trees surrounding the basketball courts, the cultural wall in front of Diligentia College, and the glistening water in the college fountain. I reminisce about the bright smile of the front desk auntie, the exciting activities organized by my fellow students, and the naughty playfulness of the cats. "That year at the Fairy Lake, we made a wish and lit a candle, planting the seeds of our dreams and youth." Beside the Fairy Lake and under the sycamore trees, Diligentia College is not only the students' cradle of dreams but also the sanctuary for the soul.

—Tang Yijiao of Diligentia College, Class of 2022

Muse College

Principles and Practice, Dedication to Humanity

Muse College aims to establish an inclusive and friendly community in which members mutually respect and trust each other, and to promote whole-person education with equal emphasis on knowledge, skills and value. Muse College is committed to nurturing and cultivating students into global citizens with noble characters and superior abilities who are learned and talented and care for society through whole-person education programmes and activities.



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Contact Number: 0755-84273960

"Majestic sycamore trees and grand Dong River." For the past six years, Muse College has been accompanying its students on their journey of self-improvement. Here at Muse College, you can find a serene environment along with gentle and adorable cats. Our wonderful life is recorded in college publications such as "Blooming Field" and "Voyage." Grow-Up-Together Programme and Flowing Grit Programme by Muse College also help cultivate us to become well-rounded people. We experience different cultures through the "I-cube Explore Programme." We share our heartfelt feelings in the "Relax" stress relief group. We protect our heartland in the Musing Humanity Programme by doing public welfare services. We explore the world's wonders in the Outlook with Muse Programme. Join us! Here we have kind and amiable masters, teachers, and fellow students from Muse Resident Student Association to welcome you to the family. The Lumos Society leads you to engage in public welfare activities, while Muse Cantotogether introduces you to Cantonese culture. There are also many sports clubs that can get you involved in various sports. Principles and Practice, we become the great assets of the country. With dedication to Humanity, we enable ourselves to stand firm. Under the influence of the thinking culture at Muse College, we practice inclusiveness, trust, and care for society and the world. Come on! Let us continue writing our beautiful melody together at Muse College.

—Cheng Kaixuan, Muse College

Harmonia College

Scholarship, Perseverance, Excellence

Harmonia College adheres to the motto of “Scholarship, Perseverance, Excellence.” With a philosophy of holistic education, Harmonia College fosters students' self-confidence, self-discipline, cultural consciousness, global vision, social responsibility, and humanitarian values. During their study period, students not only live in the college but also have the opportunity to engage in various college-organized activities, which allow them to foster connections with the College Master, teachers, and fellow members. In an environment of mutual love and support, students grow together, cultivate a positive and enterprising college culture, and collaborate to build the wonderful Harmonia family.



Contact Number: 0755-23515400

Welcome, freshmen of Harmonia College! Surrounded by mountains, Harmonia College has an elegant and picturesque natural environment and fully-equipped facilities and function rooms that will provide ample opportunities to develop your hobbies. Harmonia College adheres to the motto of “Scholarship, Perseverance, Excellence” while possessing a sports-oriented college culture. It enriches students' extracurricular lives through exciting activities, such as Harmonia Sports, A Bite of Harmonia, Harmonia Sleepless City, and more. The flourishing student organizations in the college also provide a platform for all Harmonia students to show their talents and ideas, promoting students' whole-person development. Examples include Harmonia Resident Student Association, Hurricane Dance Team, Coffee Inn, Ukiyoe-Painting Club, Hip-hop Club, and various sports teams. There is also a Freshmen Ferry Program for all freshmen to better integrate into university and college life. In day-to-day life, the tutors and wardens of the college spare no effort in ensuring that everyone has warm and supporting experiences with the Harmonia family. What are you waiting for? The Harmonia family extends its open arms to welcome you, and we eagerly anticipate meeting all of you at the beautiful Harmonia College.

—Liu Yi of Harmonia College, Class of 2022

Ling College

Founded in 2022, Ling College is the fifth college of The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen. The word "Daoyang" of Ling College originated from Dr. Ling Daoyang, one of the founders of The Chinese University of Hong Kong, a pioneer of modern Chinese forestry science and an advocate of China's Arbor Day. His successor, Mr. Ling Guoqiang, chairman of Shenzhen Baihe Holding Group Co., Ltd., followed in the footsteps of his uncle, Dr. Ling Daoyang, and generously donated money to help the university, to inherit and carry forward the tradition of The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen's collegiate system. The University named the fifth college after Dr. Ling Daoyang and titled it "Ling College" to remember his outstanding contributions to education. Adhering to the college motto and following the concept of whole-person education, the college provides various activities and social practice courses to improve students' leadership, communication skills, humanistic values, and aesthetic literacy so that students can learn and grow in a diverse environment.

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Over the past year, Ling College has gradually improved the functions of the college and introduced a series of distinctive activities on philosophy. Activities such as "Master's Chat Room" allows students to express their opinions under the moonlight; festive celebrations like the Spring Festival, Lantern Festival, and Mid-Autumn Gala bring students and faculty together; the sound of the piano is melodic, and the classical music lectures cultivate artistic sentiment. New students, welcome to Ling College! Here, you can enjoy the sparkling beauty of Fairy Lake by opening the window, experience the active fitness atmosphere of the Fitness Room on the basement floor, or journal your youth in the brand-new and diverse functional rooms. Ling College will be the giant ship carrying your dreams, guiding you through the waves and storms in the ocean of life!

—Yu Shuwei of the Ling College, Class of 2022

Minerva College

Thanks to the donation from Shenzhen Hexi Industrial Co., Ltd., CUHK-Shenzhen established the sixth college, Minerva College, in 2022. “Houhan,” in Chinese, conveys the meanings of loyalty, tolerance, inclusiveness, benevolence, and generosity. The English name “Minerva” refers to the goddess of wisdom, art, and urban civilization in Roman mythology, who acts as the patron saint of artists and students.

Minerva College will uphold the principle of “Kindness, Inclusiveness, Dedication and Creativity.” With the donor's enthusiasm for inheriting cultural heritage and the pioneering spirit of entrepreneurs, Minerva College will guide students to embrace an open attitude to encourage innovation. Students will be cultivated to become compassionate and responsible individuals with the ability to cope with the challenges in the rapidly changing society through various experiential learning activities and diversified student development programmes.

Contact Number: 0755-23516380



The Seventh College

Established in July 2023, The Seventh College follows the motto of the Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen: "Through learning and temperance to virtue." The college's mission is to cultivate graduates who embody mission, character, and service. To achieve this, The Seventh College focuses on whole-person education, encompassing four key elements: innovation/entrepreneurship, leadership and communication, service learning, and intimate relationships. These elements are designed to ensure a seamless transition from student life to professional careers for postgraduates.



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The Seventh College

Contact number: 0755-23517380



Campus Facilities

There are six canteens and one food court on campus. They are located at Harmonia College, Muse College, Shaw College, Diligentia College Student Centre and the second floor of The School of Music Residential Building.

The Lower Campus Canteen



Shaw College Canteen

Shaw College Canteen is located on the second floor of Block B, Shaw College, which mainly serves noodles and other kinds of Chinese pasta.

Opening Hours:

Breakfast 7:00-9:30

Lunch 11:00-13:30

Dinner 17:00-19:30



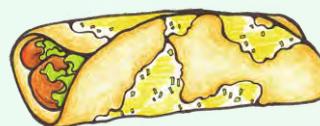
Student Centre 1/F Food Court

Located on the first floor of the Student Centre, there are 13 food counters offering students and staff different cuisines.

Opening Hours:

Lunch 11:00-13:30

Dinner 17:00-19:30



Student Centre 2/F Canteen

Located on the second floor of the Student Centre, this food court provides various meals for the public.

Opening Hours:

Breakfast 7:00-9:30

Lunch 11:00-13:30

Dinner 17:00-19:30



The Lower Campus Drinking



Starbucks Coffee

Symposium Coffee is a professional coffee shop founded and operated by students from The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen. The name, Symposium, is derived from an article titled The Symposium in a humanities textbook from one of the general education courses. Like the article, Symposium Coffee advocates for teachers and students to gather and share ideas over drinks. Symposium Coffee is located on the first floor of the Zhi Ren Building in the Lower Campus. It provides high-quality coffee, tea drinks, snacks, and cakes at reasonable prices. Since its official operation in 2016, Symposium Coffee has adhered to its mission of serving the campus by providing good products and creating a comfortable and interactive space for students and teachers.



Opening Hours: 7:30-20:30, Monday - Friday; 7:30-19:30, Saturday - Sunday

A Cup of Tea

A Cup of Tea is located at 1/F of Teaching D on the Lower Campus and features milk tea beverages.

Opening Hours: 9:30-22:00, Monday - Sunday



The Lower Campus Drinking



Starbucks Coffee

Starbucks Coffee is located on 1/F of Research A, offering coffee, pastries, snacks, mugs, etc.

Opening Hours: 7:30-21:30, Monday - Friday; 8:30-21:30, Saturday - Sunday



SUBWAY



SUBWAY is a well-known international sandwich chain restaurant located on the Lower Ground Floor, Student Centre, the Lower Campus. With an area of 80 square meters and 29 seats, it offers sandwiches, pizza, snacks, drinks, and more.

Opening Hours: 7:40-21:00, Monday to Sunday

Le Stelle

Le Stelle is a western-style restaurant located on Teaching A's lower ground floor. It offers steaks, pizza, pasta, salad, snacks and drinks.

Opening Hours: Lunch 11:20-14:30, Dinner 17:30-20:30, Monday to Sunday



The Lower Campus Sports Facilities



The University offers a number of sports facilities on campus, providing venue services for physical education classes, sports team training, faculty and student fitness exercises, and various sports events. These include Sports Hall, Sports Complex, Track and Field Ground, outdoor sports fields, other fitness rooms, etc. Sports facilities are open to all students and staff.

Sports Hall

The Sports Hall is located at the Lower Campus, close to the southwest gate, spanning an area of about 6,500 square meters. It includes a Multi-functional Hall (basketball courts, volleyball courts, badminton courts), Fitness Room, Taekwondo Room, Indoor Bouldering Gym, Dance Room, Swimming Pool, and Physical Fitness Assessment Centre.

• Multi-function Hall

There is one basketball court, 2 volleyball courts and 2 badminton courts in the hall.

• Taekwondo Room (one room)

Area: 165 square meters

• Fitness Room (one room)

Area: 430 square meters

• Indoor Bouldering Room

Opening Hours: Wednesday to Friday, 14:00-22:00, closed every Monday and Tuesday

• Dance Room (one room)

Dance Room (one room)

• Swimming Pool

Opening Hours: Tuesday to Sunday, 07:00-09:00, 15:00-21:30, closed every Monday



The Lower Campus Sports Facilities



Sports Complex

The Sports Complex is located at the Lower Campus and covers an area of approximately 10,955 square meters and three floors. The Sports Complex has a Gymnastics Room, Martial Arts Room, Body Room, Table Tennis Room, Badminton Gym, and Sports Room.

- **Gymnastics Room (one room)**

Area: 527 square meters

- **Martial Arts Room (one room)**

Area: 400 square meters

- **Body Room (one room)**

Area: 330 square meters

- **Table Tennis Room**

Area: 360 square meters, 12 table tennis tables

- **Badminton Courts**

Area: 1100 square meters, 6 badminton courts

- **Sports Room**

Area: 433 square meters, badminton court and Pickle Ball Court

- **Sports Room Badminton Court (two courts)**

07:00-22:00 (Monday to Friday)

18:00-22:00 (Sunday)

- **Sports Room Pickle Ball Court (two courts)**

08:00-22:00 (Saturday)

07:00-17:00 (Sunday)



The Lower Campus Sports Complex



Track and Field Ground

The Track and Field Ground is located at the Lower Campus, close to the Sports Hall. It covers an area of about 16,000 square meters. The Track and Field Ground includes a 400-meter standard track and two seven-a-side natural grass football fields.

- **Track Opening Hours:**

07:00-09:00, 17:00-22:00 (Monday to Friday); 07:00-22:00 (Saturday to Sunday)

- **Football Fields Opening Hours:**

18:00-22:00 (Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday)



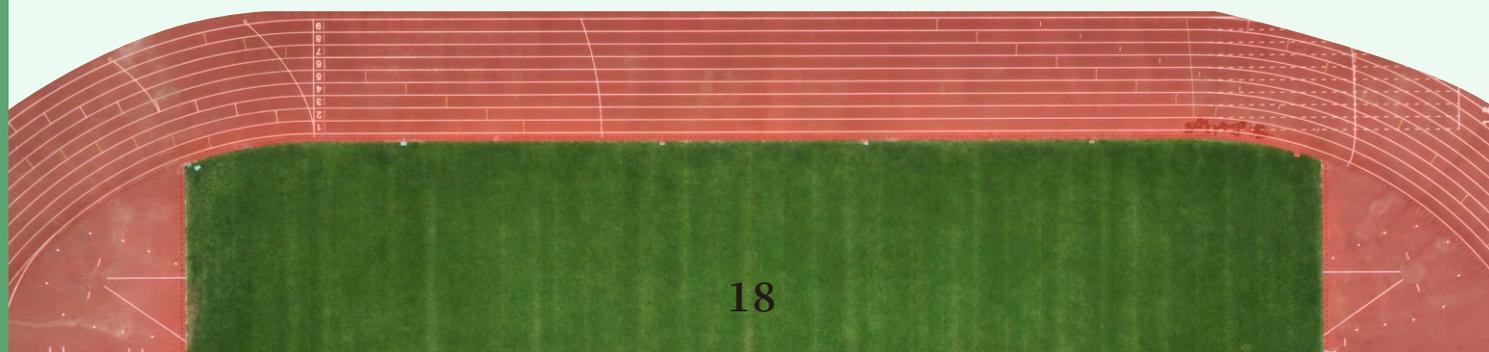
Outdoor Sports Facilities

- Outdoor Basketball Court (two courts)
- Outdoor Climbing Court
(next to Block F, Shaw College, can only be used in teaching)

Fitness Room of Shaw College

Located on the third floor of Block D in Shaw College, the Fitness Room of Shaw College covers an area of about 120 square meters.

Opening Hours: 07:00-22:00 (Monday to Sunday)



The Lower Campus Culture and Events



Student Center

Office of Student Affairs and Social Practice Center are located at the Student Center. Various activity rooms are available, including multi-media seminar rooms, meeting rooms, psychological consulting rooms, stress-relieving rooms, reading rooms, TV rooms, piano rooms, and band rehearsal rooms, allowing students to cultivate and demonstrate their artistic talents.

Uchiyama Shoten

Uchiyama Shoten is located on the lower floor connecting Teaching D and the Student Centre. It sells textbooks, Chinese and English extracurricular books, novels, stationery, fine cultural and creative products, etc. The University Bookstore provides a reading area, a leisure area, and a coffee bar selling coffee, pastries, and juices.

Opening hours: 10:00-18:00, Monday - Sunday

Printing Centre

Printing Centre is located on B1/F of Teaching D of the Lower Campus. It offers various services, including ID photo-taking, graphic processing, copying, all kinds of text binding, designing adhesive labels, folders, X-type rack exhibits, roll screens, leaflets, advertising boards, posters, buntings, banners, etc.

Opening Hours: 9:00-21:00, Monday - Sunday



Time Space Capsule Black Box Theatre

Time Space Capsule Black Box Theatre is the first professional performance venue on campus, which can meet the needs of teaching and student use as well as provide a great platform for students to enjoy and participate in free and innovative literary and artistic programmes.



University Gift Shop

The University Gift Shop is located in the covered area connecting Teaching D and the Student Centre. The store displays cultural and creative souvenirs designed by the university, colleges, schools, University Art Centers, Admissions Office, and students. The range of products includes handicrafts, postcards, electronic products, stationery, daily necessities, clothing, and silk products.

Opening Hours: 9:00-18:00, Monday - Friday; 10:00-16:00, Saturday & Sunday (Closes on national holidays)

The Lower Campus

Daily Life Facilities and Services



QuanJiaFu Convenience Store

QuanJiaFu Convenience Store is located on B1/F of Teaching D of the Lower Campus. It sells daily commodities, stationery, fruit, beverages, cakes, snacks, etc.

Opening Hours: 7:00-23:30, Monday – Sunday

Banking services

For convenient banking services, the University has introduced ATMs and a bank branch on campus.

ATMs on the Lower Campus: B1/F of Teaching D

Opening Hours: 24/7

CITIC Bank

CITIC Bank is located next to the University Gift Shop, in the covered area connecting Teaching D and the Student Centre

Opening Hours: 9:00-17:00, Monday - Friday

Campus Card Services Centre

Campus Card Services Centre located inside CITIC Bank

Opening Hours: 9:00-17:00, Monday – Friday



The Lower Campus

Daily Life Facilities and Services



Clinic

There are two clinics on campus, one on the Lower Ground Floor of Teaching D of the Lower Campus and another on the first floor of the Amenity Centre of the Upper Campus. The clinics are staffed by professionals from Shenzhen Hospital of Beijing University of Chinese Medicine, and they are on duty to provide bilingual (Chinese and English) medical services.

Students may use their social security cards to receive treatment after they have obtained the cards and bound them to the clinic. Students can approach the clinic for primary health care services, such as diagnosis and therapy, blood and urine checks, glucose, electrocardiogram, nebulization therapy, wound disinfection and dressing change. For more serious medical conditions, students can choose to go to the hospitals accompanied by their College tutors.

- **Clinic, the Lower Campus:**

Opening Hours: 8:30-21:00, Monday - Sunday (8:30-17:30 during Student's Summer and Winter holidays)

Contact Number: 0755-84273120

Three Chairs Hair Salon

Three Chairs Hair Salon is located in the covered area connecting Teaching D and the Student Centre. Its main services include hair washing, cutting, colouring, perming, designing, manicures, etc.

Opening Hours: 10:00-22:00, Monday - Sunday

The Lower Campus

Daily Life Facilities and Services



ZERO FOCUS Optical

ZERO FOCUS Optical is located in the covered area connecting Teaching D and the Student Centre (next to the Printing Centre). Its main services include optometry eye exams, eye glasses cleaning and adjustments, spectacle frames, and contact lenses.

Opening Hours: 9:00-22:00, Monday - Sunday

Lower Campus Mailroom

B1/F, Teaching D, Lower Campus

Opening Hours: 9:00-19:00, Monday - Sunday.

Meituan Food Cabinets in the Lower Campus

- Old South Gate (near Dao Yuan Building)
- New South Gate (outside Teaching B)

Lost and Found

The AVIC Property Management Office provides lost property registration, storage, and enquiry services for items lost on campus. For lost valuable items, please approach the 24-Hour Customer Service Centre of AVIC Property Management on 1/F of Teaching D in the Lower Campus or call its 24-hour hotline at 0755-84273118.

Lost and Found boxes are available in all teaching buildings. Friendly reminder: If you lose items such as water bottles or umbrellas, you can first check the nearby Lost and Found boxes for them.

The Upper Campus Canteen



Haroma Cafeteria (Harmonia College Canteen)

Haroma Cafeteria (Harmonia College Canteen) mainly serves western-style meals.

Opening Hours:

Lunch 11:00-13:30

Dinner 17:00-19:30

Muse College Canteen

Muse College Canteen provides Cantonese meals catering to the public.

Opening Hours:

Breakfast 7:00-9:30

Lunch 11:00-13:30

Dinner 17:00-19:30

Supper 18:30-23:30

McDonald's

McDonald's is an international fast food chain located on the Lower Ground Floor, Block B of Diligentia College. It offers burgers, fried-chicken, snacks, drinks, etc.

Opening Hours: 7:00-21:30, Monday to Sunday

Lacesar Pizzeria

Lacesar Pizzeria is a well-known pizza restaurant located on the Lower Ground Floor, Block B of Diligentia College. It offers pizza, pasta, fried-chicken, snacks, drinks, etc.

Opening Hours: 10:00-21:00, Monday to Sunday

The Upper Campus Sports Facilities

Outdoor Sports Fields

- **Basketball Courts (three courts)**
two courts near Muse College, one court near Diligentia College
- **Tennis Courts (two courts)**
one court near Muse College, one court near Diligentia College
- **Volleyball Courts (one court)**
near Muse College

Fitness Room of the Upper Campus

Located on the basement floor of the Ling College, it covers an area of about 450 square meters.

Opening Hours: 07:00-22:00 (Monday to Sunday)



The Upper Campus Others



Convenience Store of the Upper Campus: 7-Eleven

7-Eleven Convenience Store is located at 1/F of the Upper Campus Service Centre on the Upper Campus and sells daily commodities, stationery, beverages, cakes, and snacks, etc.

Opening Hours: 7:00 AM-01:00 AM, Monday - Sunday

Study Room

Located on the third floor of the Upper Campus Service Center (above the Upper Campus 7-Eleven Convenience Store), the study room provides air-conditioning, wireless network, compartments, sockets, water dispensers, printers and other facilities and services.

Opening hours: 24/7

Clinic, the Upper Campus

Opening Hours: 8:30-22:00, provide normal medical service; after 22:00, only emergency and severe cases will be accepted. If you would like to seek medical advice after 22:00, please first call the hotline at before going to the clinic to briefly state your medical condition and needs.

(The clinic opens 8:30-21:00 during Summer and Winter holidays)

Contact Number: 0755-84273033

ATMs on the Upper Campus

B1/F of the Upper Campus Service Centre (next to 7-Eleven)

The Upper Campus Others



Meituan Food Cabinets on the Upper Campus

- North Gate (near Yanlong Blvd)
- Gate No.2, the Upper Campus
(near the pedestrian gate beside Ling College)

Express Service

- **Container House, the Upper Campus**
located on the south side of the Upper Campus water pump room (next to Diligentia College).
Opening hours: 11:00-20:00, Monday-Sunday
- **Express Service Center at A103, Ling College, the Upper Campus**
Opening Hours: 11:00-20:00, Monday - Sunday.

Campus Shuttle Bus

To facilitate the transportation of faculty and students within the campus, the university provides an on-campus shuttle bus service. It introduced the new arrangement of Campus Shuttle Bus service and put it into a trial run starting from August 26. Fours Lines are in operation: Line 1, Line 2, Line 3 and Line 4. Please refer to a timetable sent via email by the Administrative Services Office.



The Middle Campus



The Fairy Lake

The Fairy Lake sparkles with ripples, surrounded by lush green mountains. Along the lake, you will find classical Chinese and Western-style romantic gazebos, boardwalks, and observation decks, making it a perfect place for sight-seeing and getting close to the water. Various flowering plants, such as Guangzhou cherry blossoms and Bauhinias, adorn the path. At the Fairy Lake, water lilies emerge out of the water and flutter in the wind, evoking feelings of admiration. On the long embankment, the rose-red Bougainvillea are in full bloom all year round, attracting visitors to stop and enjoy the scenic beauty. Along the path of the Fairy Lake, you will encounter another pristine pond nestled in the mountains. On the elevated walkways over the water, people stroll by incessantly as trees and plants find a home along the water's edge, creating a natural symphony of tranquility and vitality.

Sport Facilities

- Futsal Field (one court)
- Tennis Court (three courts)

School of Music Residential Building Canteen

Located on the second floor

Opening Hours:

Breakfast 7:00-9:30

Lunch 11:30-13:30

Dinner 17:30-19:30

Note: If there are any changes in the operating hours of canteens, stores, and venues, the latest announcement will take precedence.

The Administrative Departments

In addition to various campus facilities supporting academic studies, personal hobbies, and activities, the university also has a variety of administrative departments. Many responsible and friendly teachers and student assistants are here to help you find the right direction in academic studies and career development.

Office of Student Affairs (OSA)

As a department serving students, the Office of Student Affairs (OSA) is committed to promoting the holistic education of students and providing them with experiential learning activities and opportunities for social practices. OSA offers general services (student ID card/train discount card application, university students' medical insurance and accident insurance application, scholarship selection, files management, etc.), support and management for student



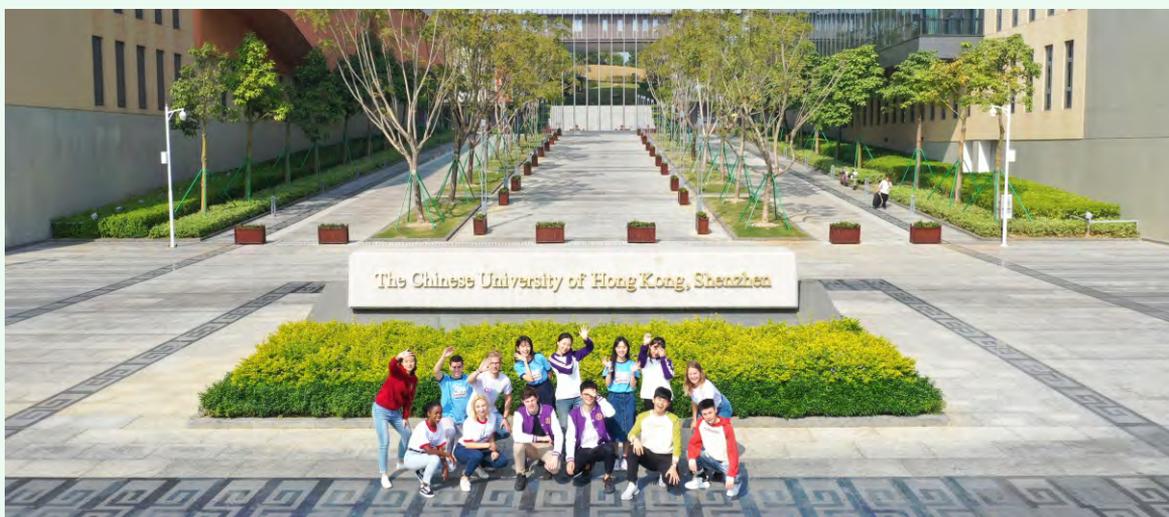
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Office: Room 501-503, Student Center

Contact: (86) 0755 8427 3671

Email address: osa@cuhk.edu.cn

Website link: <https://osa.cuhk.edu.cn>



Information Technology Services Office (ITSO)

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The Information Technology Services Office (ITSO) is responsible for the development, operation, and maintenance of information technology infrastructure and services in CUHK-Shenzhen. ITSO provides Campus Technology Services, Business Intelligence Solutions, Infrastructure Operations, Research Computing Support, etc. ITSO delivers information technology services that support teaching, learning, research, and administration tasks for staff and students at CUHK-Shenzhen.

ITSO wishes you great success in the new semester. If you have any questions about IT services, don't hesitate to get in touch with ITSO's service desk:

Office: 1st floor, Teaching D

Contact number: 0755-8427 3333

Email address: isupport@cuhk.edu.cn

Official website: <https://itsm.cuhk.edu.cn> (campus access only)

Department Website: <https://itso.cuhk.edu.cn>



Registry Office (RO)

Registry Office is responsible for the management of student records of the Undergraduate Programmes of the University.

Current students may contact the Registry for the following areas of services: change of personal particulars, applications for leave of absence over 7 days or suspension of studies, withdrawal, course and unit exemptions, course substitution, change of study period, course registration, course load and related applications, course late add, Course Description applications, change of major, taking minor(s), absence from centralized course examinations, applications for academic transcripts and certifying letters, and all other related matters pertaining to their academic studies at the University.

Registry Office is also responsible for related administrative duties regarding the Undergraduate Programmes: new student registration, timetable scheduling, timetable releasing and subsequent adjustments, grade release academic standing and subsequent updates, arrangements for centralized course examinations, university almanac, graduation assessment and providing consultation for academic-related matters of undergraduate studies and applications in relation to compliance with University Regulations.

Office: 101, Teaching B

Contact number: 0755-84273626

Email address: registry@cuhk.edu.cn

Website: <https://registry.cuhk.edu.cn/>

Student Health Counseling Center (SHCC)

SHCC provides all kinds of psychoeducation to all registered students experiencing psychological difficulties in academic performance and daily life. The goal is to help students increase self-consciousness and self-development.



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SHCC Psychological Counseling Services:

Office: Room 405, Student Center

Contact number: (86) 0755-8427 3294

Email address: counselling@cuhk.edu.cn

24-hour hotline consultation number: 400-098-2525



Security Office

The security team provides students with campus security, traffic management, household registration transfer, and a guide for application to Shenzhen residence permit services.

Office: Room UD105, Teaching D

Contact number: 0755-84273200

Email address: securityoffice@cuhk.edu.cn



The Office of Academic Links (OAL)

The Office of Academic Links (OAL) is responsible for global partnerships, international undergraduate admissions, and international scholar and student services. It is committed to providing students with high-end Study Abroad platforms, such as exchange/visiting programs, Bachelor-Master Arrangements, international summer programs, and research exchange programs. The International Scholar and Student Services (OAL-ISSS) provides consultation and assistance with visas, work permits, and various residency permit applications for international scholars and students.

Office: Room 404, 505, Student Center

Study Abroad Programs:

Phone: 0755-84273519

Email: oaloutbound@cuhk.edu.cn

International Scholar and Student Services:

Phone: 0755-23516304

Email: iss@cuhk.edu.cn

University Arts Center (UAC)

As the cradle of university culture and art, the University Arts Centre (UAC) endeavours to enrich the campus community and engage students in interesting, inspirational and in-depth experiences of culture and arts through educational programmes and projects, for its enduring commitment to art education and the desire to encourage students to stay enthusiastic about culture and arts.

Address: 6-Floor, Conference Complex II

Contact number: (86) 0755 8427 3943

Email address: uac@cuhk.edu.cn

Website link: <https://uac.cuhk.edu.cn>



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Career Planning and Development Department (CPDO)

Career Planning and Development Office provides students with career assessment, career planning, employment policy information, recruitment information, job hunting skills, external tutors, and college admission and employment guidance.

Office: Room 304, Student Center

Contact number: 0755-23515888

Email address: CareerService@cuhk.edu.cn

Website link: <https://career.cuhk.edu.cn/>



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Administrative Services Office (ASO)

Administrative Services Office is an office that provides administrative management and support services to the university community. ASO is mainly responsible for property management, housing, canteens, commercial facilities, clinics, transportation, and venue booking on campus.



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Office: 3/F, Administration Building West Wing

Contact number: 0755-84273010

Email address: aso@cuhk.edu.cn

Website link: <https://www.cuhk.edu.cn/zh-hans/page/107>

The Centre for Self-Access Language Learning (SALL Centre)

The SALL Centre provides one-on-one English Tutoring and Writing Consultation, E-learning Courses, and Workshops for different learning needs. We also offer Conversation Tables for practising spoken English and Cultural Exchange Tables to broaden your international perspective. Additionally, we provide resources such as English films, newspapers, and magazines. The SALL Centre holds regular seminars for students interested in improving their general speaking skills. Every week, the SALL Centre sends email notifications about various English activities for students to choose from and sign up for at their discretion.

Office: 4th floor, Start-up Zone Library

Contact number: 0755-84273088

Email address: sall@cuhk.edu.cn

Student organizations

The Student Union

The organizational structure of the Student Union includes the Presidium and six departments, including the Administration and Publicity Department, Public Relations Department, Academic Department, Activities Department, Rights and Equity Department, and Students' Association Union Department. They are responsible for editorial and publicity, external contact, academic affairs, events organization, rights maintenance, and association services.

Student Associations

The Student Union Association department (Students' Association department) is the main department responsible for managing the school associations and supporting their development. It assists nearly 60 student associations in four major categories of activities, which include culture and art, sports and entertainment, academic science and technology, and social practice.

Student Organizations

Each college, school, and some of the administrative departments have their student organizations, totalling more than 80. These organizations are directly managed by the respective colleges, schools, and administrative departments.

Student organizations

Social Practice Center

The Social Practice Center of the Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen, which is affiliated with the Office of Student Affairs of the University, with the aim to build an all-rounded social practice service platform for the students and faculty at the University and provide diverse social practice opportunities. Led by a core team, three divisions are organized: Brand Publicity Department, Social Practice Project Management Department, and Social Practice Project Department.

Functions

Organize social services on campus
Provide opportunities for students to learn about society and participate in social practices at home and abroad
Incubate and manage student organizations for public service and practice
Enhance students' awareness of philanthropy, and cultivate their sense of social responsibility and personal philanthropic influence

Events & Project Brands

"Yixing · Public Engagement Program"
"Zhixing · Social Investigation and Practice Program"
"Shijie · Visiting and Exchange Program"
"Public Welfare Leadership Development Program"

Campus Culture ●

Humanities and Arts



Artist-in-Residence Programme

We all have experienced fleeting moments of inspiration in our minds, whether frequent or infrequent. Have you ever wanted to share these inspirations and listen to the insights of art professionals? The Artist-in-Residence programme will provide you with the opportunity to communicate with the artists face-to-face. During their residency, artists will meet and engage with you through lectures, workshops, and artist clinics. They will also share their experiences and create art with you. Here, you can have the opportunity to fully expose your artistic talents.

Campus Lecture Series

Since 2016, CUHK-Shenzhen has been committed to introducing culture and art to the campus and has so far held more than one hundred university-level lectures. Through the "Meeting Intellectuals in the Spring Hills" lecture series, you can communicate face-to-face with literary and artistic celebrities such as Ma Boyong, Yao Qian, and Yip Kam-tim and enjoy the sparks generated by collisions of minds. In the "Lakeside Forum" lecture series, you can have the opportunity to meet with Professor Arie Warshel, Nobel Prize winner in Chemistry, Wang Shi, founder of Vanke Group, and other social influencers, listen to their stories, and appreciate their life wisdom.

Performance Venues and Art Groups

Do you like talk shows and dramas? Do you want to enjoy the wonderful experience of participating in artistic performances? The Time Space Capsule Black Box Theatre (seating capacity: approx. 100) will fulfil your wishes. It is the first professional performance venue on campus, designed to meet the needs of teaching and student use and provide a great platform for students to enjoy and participate in free and innovative literary and artistic programmes. Meanwhile, the auditorium (seating capacity: approx. 1400) and the concert hall (seating capacity: approx. 300) in the Run Run Shaw International Conference Centre will be opened in October, providing more performance venues for students. If you want to show your musical talent, the Chorus, the Orchestra, and the Chinese Orchestra are also looking forward to your participation!



Management of the Exhibition Hall

Exhibitions are a dynamic interaction between display and viewing. The creativity and imagination of human beings can be extended through viewing and communication. TC101 SPACE is a paradise for exhibition enthusiasts. We constantly explore the potential of the venue to create a public art space on campus with more possibilities and flexibility. Let's pause now and come here to enjoy the fantastic exhibitions together!

President Xu's Calligraphy

President Xu Yangsheng is not only a pioneer in scientific research but also a connoisseur of the essence of calligraphy. Prof. Xu has been studying calligraphy since childhood and has a deep passion for art. Over the decades, he has continuously immersed himself in calligraphy, and his works have been exhibited multiple times, both domestically and internationally. President Xu has devoted himself to calligraphy creation in his spare time, mastering various calligraphy styles.

Walking in every corner of the campus, you can see President Xu's calligraphic masterpieces, creating a unique campus cultural atmosphere. Grasp the opportunity to witness his remarkable calligraphic works!



Recommendations from Mentors

The university attaches great importance to general education, encouraging students to deepen their professional knowledge while actively guiding them to explore various books. The professor's recommended bookshelf on the second floor of the library, the dean's recommended books in front of the college, and the principal's recommended readings in the corner of Starbucks all remind everyone to immerse themselves in books and never forget the joy of reading.



Natural Scenery

"Mountains, Waters, Forests," "Courtyards, Corridors, Buildings," "Cats, People, Fish." The university campus is tranquil and adorned with beautiful landscapes. The overall layout of the campus is interconnected by corridors, linking buildings, and courtyards. Nestled against the mountains and surrounded by water, it creates a picturesque setting where playful cats and graceful koi fish interact with nature and culture. While walking through the campus, every glance is like admiring a painting of breathtaking scenery.

The Fairy Lake

Having travelled many bridges and witnessed numerous clouds, the memories of Fairy Lake in my youth remain unforgettable. That stretch of youth is adorned with shimmering waves, delicate pavilions on the water, playful swans in the lake, and you by my side. We used to jog together on a slightly chilly evening in early spring, watching laughter fill the air as dusk approached. The Fairy Lake, also known as "The Fairy Reservoir," is located within the Dayun Natural Park in Longgang District, Shenzhen. Since then, it has become a recreational haven for our students and the local community, nestled within our university campus.

Exquisite Pavilions and Corridors

The campus spatial design embodies the concept of "blending Chinese and Western elements," creating numerous Chinese-style garden landscapes that provide comfortable spaces for activities. Wandering through the campus, one can see the Wind and Rain Pavilion framed between administrative buildings, offering a picturesque view within view. Crossing the corridor at the end of the Tu Hui Long Building, one can find delicately crafted stone lattices that exude understated elegance. In the southeast, two pavilions stand tall amidst the towering trees, offering panoramic views



in all directions. In leisure moments, one can listen to academic lectures near the administrative building on the grassy slope or read a copy of "The Peony Pavilion." The pavilions framing the basketball court in the lower garden provide captivating views, and what better way to capture memories than to take photos dressed in Hanfu costumes after a Mid-Autumn Festival stroll in the park?

All Creatures, Great and Small

Apart from the tranquil beauty of mountains, waters, corridors, and gardens, the university strives to develop an environmentally friendly campus. The campus boasts many plant species, with many geese and swans nesting in Fairy Lake. Flowers, birds, insects, and fish can be seen everywhere. The protection of stray cats is also particularly prominent.

Life Hacks

University Mobile Portal

The CUHK (SZ) Mini Program

It complements the physical campus card and is deeply integrated with the campus card function. The CUHK (SZ) WeChat Campus Card is an intelligent campus ecosystem platform built on the WeChat platform. Currently, the platform has integrated functions such as campus directory, library borrowing status inquiry, campus shuttle bus inquiry, course schedule inquiry, and dormitory electricity fee recharge. In the future, other related functions will be expanded according to actual needs, creating a one-stop service platform combining campus cards and mini-programs. In addition, students can directly show the electronic campus card to the security personnel for identity verification when entering or leaving the campus gate.

Fanfou Mini Program

The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen, has launched the on-campus and off-campus food delivery platform "Fanfou." Through the "Fanfou" mini program, users can place online orders for food from various residential college restaurants and water bars on campus and have them delivered directly to the teaching buildings or dormitory buildings. Food pickup points are equipped with delivery tables for accessible collection.

Tips: Remember to place your order in advance during peak mealtimes. Once the food is delivered, remember to collect it promptly as the food may not be kept warm.



Health Insurance

University students' health insurance is organized by the Human Resources and Social Security Bureau of Shenzhen Municipality, with the assistance of the university in collecting the health insurance fees. Health insurance is crucial for students' medical needs! Every September, the university will collect the health insurance fees from students (the specific amount and policies are subject to the email notifications sent by the Office of Student Affairs).

Students establish a direct medical service relationship with the social security institution by participating in university student health insurance. The authority to interpret the relevant policies of college student medical insurance lies with the Human Resources and Social Security Bureau of Shenzhen Municipality.

Contact number: 12333.



Academic Learning



Part 2 Academic Learning

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Introduction of Schools

School of Management and Economics (SME)

The School of Management and Economics at The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen, inherits the highly respected and strict academic and teaching standards of The Chinese University of Hong Kong. While introducing the international education system and research methods into mainland China, it also links substantial educational and research resources of the mainland with the rest of the world. The School of Management and Economics offers six undergraduate programs (Economics, Professional Accountancy, Finance, Global Business Studies, Marketing and Communication, and Financial Engineering, which is offered jointly with SSE and SDS), some postgraduate programs, and doctoral programs.

Postgraduate programmes are divided into both taught and research programmes. Taught postgraduate programmes include MSc in Finance, MSc in Economics, MSc in Accounting, MSc in Data Science, MSc in Marketing, MSc in Information Management and Business Analytics, MSc Programme in Supply Chain and Logistics Management, MSc in Business Management, and Finance EMBA. MPhil-PhD Programmes offered by SME include MPhil-PhD in Economics, MPhil-PhD in Finance, MPhil-PhD in Accounting, MPhil-PhD in Marketing, and MPhil-PhD in Information Management and Business Analytics.

Student Organizations

Finance Club, Accounting Club, Marketing Club, Global Supply Chain and Logistics Management Club, Economics Club, Financial Engineering Club, Management Association, SME Toastmasters Club, SME Job Hunting and Internship Committee.

School of Science and Engineering (SSE)

The School of Science and Engineering (SSE) adheres to CUHK's excellent academic tradition, keeps pace with the international trend of disciplinary development, cooperates with well-regarded universities in America, Australia, Canada, etc., references the successful experiences of overseas institutes, recruits high-calibre professors globally, builds a unique learning environment that embraces China and the West, and nurtures technology leaders possessing expertise, diverse talents, and global visions.

The School of Science and Engineering offers six undergraduate programmes: Material Science and Engineering, Chemistry, Physics, New Energy Science and Engineering, Electrical and Computer Engineering, Mathematics and Applied Mathematics; three taught postgraduate programmes: Communications Engineering, Artificial Intelligence and Robotics, and Supply Chain and Logistics Management; and seven MPhil-PhD programmes: Computer and Information Engineering, Materials Science and Engineering, Mathematics, Energy Science and Engineering, Physics, Chemistry (approval pending), Biomedical Engineering. Each major emphasizes the practical application of professional knowledge in curriculum design, offering courses such as Final Year Project, research projects, experimental courses, and on-site investigations.

Student Organizations

Computer and Comity, CUHKSZ (Blockchain Association), Gaming Odyssey, CUHKSZ Chemistry Association, New Energy Association, Quantitative Trading and Investment Association, MathPi, Physics Club, CUHKSZ IEEE Student Branch



School of Humanities and Social Science (HSS)

Founded in 2014, The School of Humanities and Social Science of The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen, has formed a complete disciplinary structure, exceptional teaching staff, and a rich teaching system. HSS now offers three undergraduate programs, seven master programs, and three MPhil-PhD programs.

The undergraduate programs include Translation, Applied Psychology, and English Studies. The master's programs include Translation and Interpreting Studies, Simultaneous Interpreting, Global Studies, Applied Psychology, Urban Studies, Public Policy, and Chinese Language and Literature. The MPhil-PhD programs include Global Studies, Translation Studies, and Applied Psychology.

In addition to major-related courses, HSS provides university core courses for undergraduate students in multiple areas, including General Education, English, Chinese, Physical Education, and Information Technology, to lay a solid foundation for holistic education.

In 2020, HSS established the Institute for International Affairs, which is committed to building an internationally influential academic centre and policy research think-tank based in Shenzhen with a global perspective to provide timely and proactive policy analysis for regional and national strategic development.

Meanwhile, HSS is actively preparing to establish the Institute of Computational Social Science and the Institute of Chinese Culture, which will be dedicated to developing a high-level international academic platform to exploit the new development of social science in the big data era as well as inherit and promote outstanding Chinese traditional culture. In the future, a new series of interdisciplinary programs and research platforms will also drive the further development of HSS.

Student Organizations

The One, The Academic Union of School of Humanities and Social Science, Applied Psychology Association, Philosophy Association

School of Data Science (SDS)

The School of Data Science has brought together top scientists from around the world who have been deeply engaged in scientific research for decades, leading-edge researchers in the international academic community, and outstanding young scholars from China and abroad. SDS strives to build the power of the school's scientific research, combine industry, university, and research, work closely with many leading technology enterprises, and aim to become the world's leading data science innovation and research base. The faculty comprises well-known scholars and high-level academic talents worldwide, including three academicians, 17 top 2% scientists in global operations research, statistics, and computer science, 24 editors from authoritative international academic journals, and 12 members from top international educational organizations.

In line with the world's top universities, 100% of the professors at SDS have doctoral degrees from domestic and foreign first-class universities such as Stanford University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Columbia University, and Cornell University. Additionally, 98% have teaching or research experience in universities overseas, and nearly 50% of the faculty have teaching or research experience from the Global Top 50 universities.

The teaching staff brings together international academic and industrial leaders with international teaching experience and prosperous industry practical experience. The school has a systematic teaching system in primary fields such as operations research, statistics, and computer science and frontier fields such as operations management, decision science, and machine learning, providing students with complete and up-to-date theoretical and practical training. The college offers three undergraduate programs, four master's programs, and two doctoral programs. The faculty consists of leading figures from the international academic and industrial communities, with a wealth of teaching experience and industry practice at an international level.

The School has a systematic teaching system in primary fields such as operations research, statistics, and computer science, as well as frontier fields such as operations management, decision science, and machine learning, providing students with a complete and up-to-date theoretical and practical education. The School currently has 3 undergraduate majors, 4 master's programs, and 2 doctoral programs.

Student Organizations

CUHKSZ Statistics Alliance, ICPC Training Team, SDS Student Club, Investment Enlightenment Association

School of Medicine (MED)

The CUHK-Shenzhen School of Medicine was established in August 2021. Founding Dean Professor Davy Cheng is a Fellow of the Canadian Academy of Health Sciences (FCAHS), the world's leading expert in cardiac surgery anesthesia and perioperative evidence-based medicine research. The CUHK-Shenzhen School of Medicine seeks to nurture outstanding, innovative, and caring medical talents with an international perspective. Drawing on the first-class educational foundation and teaching experience of the CUHK Faculty of Medicine and fully embracing the advanced philosophy of medical schools in China and abroad, the School has identified a well-established education system covering undergraduate, master, and doctoral training. It will actively explore a new model of medical education that integrates Shenzhen and Hong Kong.

The CUHK-Shenzhen School of Medicine is home to three Nobel Laureate Institutes (including Warshel Institute for Computational Biology, Kobilka Institute of Innovative Drug Discovery and Ciechanover Institute of Precision and Regenerative Medicine) and the Shenzhen Research Institute of Big Data. In tandem, The CUHK-Shenzhen School of Medicine will give full play to the university's research and talent strengths in the fields of Artificial Intelligence and Life Health, further integrate the medical industry with science and engineering, stimulate the development of translational medicine, and stay committed to building an international medical system with three pillars: advanced medical services, high-end medical talent training, and innovative medical research.

Student Organizations

Biomedical Engineering Association, Clinical Medicine Society, PharmAcésó, DeepBio Association, MediArt Society, GENESIS



School of Music (MUS)

The School of Music is one of the “Ten Major Cultural Facilities in the New Era” planned and built by the Shenzhen Municipal Government. With the goal of cultivating outstanding talents equipped with both academic and performance abilities, the school establishes innovative training modes for musical talents and an international training system that offers bachelor's, master's, and doctoral degrees. With comprehensive and scientific programs, the school strives to provide corresponding guidance for every student who desires to further their studies in art. The school recruits globally and is led by world-renowned musicians and music educators. Currently, The School of Music offers undergraduate programs in music performance, musicology, music composition and theory of composition technology, and postgraduate program in music performance. In the future, the School of Music plans to offer undergraduate programs in dance performance; and postgraduate programs in art management, dance performance, and more. Classes will be taught in both Chinese and English, and other languages such as Italian and German.



Student Systems

▼ Campus Account ▲

Students will get their campus account after official admission. Students can use the campus account to log in to WIFI, VPN, email, Student Information System (SIS), Blackboard, and public computers. Additionally, students can also log in to Blackboard and SIS on the intranet CUHK(SZ). The link is as below: <http://i.cuhk.edu.cn>.

For your information safety, please keep your account number private.

▼ Student Information System (SIS) ▲

Students can manage their schoolwork on Student Information System, including but not limited to enrollment, adding/dropping classes, generating informal transcripts, and viewing semester grades.

▼ Blackboard (BB) ▲

Blackboard is an e-learning platform. Professors can issue course announcements and publish course materials and assignments through this platform. Students can download relevant materials and discuss course contents through Blackboard. Some course assignments need to be submitted on Blackboard as well. Blackboard will accompany students throughout the entire college period. Students can use their campus account to log in to Blackboard at <https://bb.cuhk.edu.cn/>.

Email

Students will be contacted by the university's teaching departments, administrative departments, and student clubs/organizations through email. The content includes but is not limited to administrative announcements, event notices, course reminders, and adjustments. The email address will still be valid after graduation.

Please stay updated on the information issued by email to catch up on what is happening on campus.

VeriGuide

VeriGuide is a new front-end system to check for document similarities from different sources to uphold academic honesty. Using this site, you can upload your files for scanning and generating originality reports.

Students can log in to VeriGuide through their campus account at <https://services.veriguide.org/veriguide/>.



Academic Requirements

Undergraduate students at The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen, are governed by the General Regulations Governing Undergraduate Studies, including but not limited to student registration, fees, period of study, course requirements and exemptions, course load and selection, course withdrawals and additions, major and minor, attendance and absence, degree awarding and punishment, etc. Students can visit the official website of the Registry Office to see the General Regulations:

<https://registry.cuhk.edu.cn/en/page/252>

Degree Classification

The undergraduate curriculum is built upon a credit unit system, with flexibility and choices in the selection of courses and the sequence and pace of electives. Based on individual circumstances and interests, students may tailor their studies progress. Those who have completed the required number of course units and satisfy the graduation requirements of the major programme at the end of university will be considered for the award of a Bachelor's degree.

The university's Bachelor's degrees are classified as First Class Honours, Second Class Honours Upper Division, Second Class Honours Lower Division, Third Class Honours, and Pass. Degree classification is based on the student's grade point averages for major courses and all other courses.

GPA

There are three types of GPA, including Cumulative GPA, Term GPA, and Major GPA. The grade point average (GPA) is computed from the converted points as weighted by the number of units of each course attempted, including failed courses. Please refer to Section 9.2 of the General Regulations Governing Undergraduate Studies for the grades and conversion points comparison table.

Course Load

Students' regular study period is four years, except for those majoring in clinical medicine; students must complete 120 credits and meet the credit requirements of various classes and other university graduation requirements. During the regular course period, students take no less than 9 credits and no more than 18 credits per semester, take less than six credits in the summer semester, and take 39 credits per academic year. Students should check the school package of their major and arrange the study process independently and adequately. Applications should be submitted to Registry Office in advance if students take course credits exceeding the required credits. View the guide for specific operations at:

<https://registry.cuhk.edu.cn/en/faq/161/search>

It is suggested that we arrange our courses within our ability. Students can download various application forms from the Registry Office's official website. Students can write an email or call the relevant department for consultation if something is unclear. You can also pay attention to each school's WeChat public account to learn more about courses and activities.

Minor

For specific application requirements of minors, please refer to the website of the Registry Office. RO will open access for minor applications at the end of the add/drop period each semester, and the office will send an email to remind students about minor personal information. Please note the email.

While studying, let's not forget that there are many other things in university worth exploring.

Major Selection and Change of Majors

·Major Selection

After the first academic year ends, students should declare their majors in the school. The specific specialist declaration policy should refer to the specific regulations of each school and follow the email notification.

·Change of Majors

Students who wish to change major inside their own School should refer to the notices from their School about the requirements and procedures.

Students who wish to change major across the schools should refer to the official website of RO.

Course Introduction

*Different schools have different requirements for course selection. Please refer to the email notification from the Registry Office.

Academic Curriculum of Undergraduate Programmes

Students' regular study period is four years, except for those majoring in clinical medicine; students must complete 120 credits and meet the credit requirements of various classes and other university graduation requirements.

● University Core Courses (36 credits)

College core courses are required for every undergraduate student. Core courses include Language (d) (15 credits), Physical Education and Health (2 credits), Information Technology (1 credit), and General Education (18 credits). General education is indispensable. In addition to specialized training, knowledge is imparted to students in a balanced and multi-faceted way to achieve whole-person education.

● Major Requirement (72 credits)

Major Requirement courses (please note the difference between Major Requirement and Major Required) include School Package, Major Required, and Major Elective. Students are expected to take the required courses in their school, which are the same for students in the same school (except for some majors). Major Required is the compulsory course for the students of the major. Major electives are chosen from a given list of courses.

* Credits will be reduced for required courses in some majors, while credits for general or elective courses will be increased. Students should refer to the Undergraduate Student Handbook for the training program of the corresponding major and make a reasonable study plan.

- **Free Electives (12 credits)**

It is neither a core course nor a required course and can be taken if the prerequisite is met.

- **Civic Education Courses (17 credits)**

All undergraduate students with Chinese nationality enrolled in The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen, must complete all Civic Education (CE) courses. The CE curriculum comprises Ethics and the Rule of Law, Modern Chinese History, Introduction to Marxism, Thoughts of Modern China, Introduction to Xi Jinping Thought on Socialism with Chinese Characteristics for A New Era, and Society and Public Policy in Contemporary China.

For the study rules of Civic Education courses, refer to:

<https://registry.cuhk.edu.cn/en/page/268>.

Add/Drop Courses

Students can add/drop courses in the Student Information System within the prescribed period. Students who apply to add/drop courses that cannot be self-operated in the Student Information System (unfulfilled enrollment requirement, quota limit, etc.) must submit application(s) within the prescribed period to the course offering school for approval. Late course add/drop will only be approved with very special reasons beyond students' control. In general, failure to observe the add/drop schedule or negligence in checking final course enrollment results will not be accepted as reasons for late add/drop. The application form for late add/drop can be downloaded from the official website of the Registry Office.



Honesty in Academic Work

The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen places high importance on honesty in academic work submitted by students and adopts a zero-tolerance policy on academic dishonesty. The behaviours of academic dishonesty include but are not limited to plagiarism, cheating in tests and examinations, impersonation fraud in tests and examinations, etc. After course instructors create a Veriguide assignment link on the Blackboard course page, students can upload their assignments to Blackboard, and the system will automatically complete the duplication check. For more details about honesty in academic work, refer to the website:

<https://registry.cuhk.edu.cn/page/30>.

● Disciplinary Action About Academic Dishonesty

A student who violates any rule or regulation and/or commits any misconduct, including but not limited to the following:

- (1) Academic dishonesty;
- (2) An offence in connection with tests or examinations or violation of any of the regulations governing conduct at tests or examinations as approved by the Academic Board or the CUHK Senate from time to time;
- (3) Falsification or serious misuse of documents or records of CUHK(SZ) and/or CUHK;
- (4) Refusal to comply with any regulations or orders by authorized persons and bodies prohibiting any conduct which disrupts teaching, study, research, administration or normal activities of CUHK(SZ) and/or CUHK.
- (5) Falsification or serious misuse of documents or records of CUHK(SZ) and/or CUHK

Tips on Course Enrollment from Senior Students

● Course Enrollment

Before the official course enrollment starts, students can add their favoured courses to the shopping cart and use the "validate" function in the student information system to check whether they meet the course requirements to avoid mistakes during the course enrollment and fail to select their favoured courses. Some popular courses may be “snatched up” instantly, so familiarize yourself with the course enrollment system. To avoid the failure of enrolling in courses, please make alternative plans in advance and adjust quickly. Do not be discouraged if you do not get the class. During the Add/Drop period, students can drop and change courses. Some courses will be opened continuously. Please keep an eye on the quota changes in the system to choose the right course. At the same time, you can try to submit the application form to the college, contact the teaching professor, and get consent, which will also improve the possibility of successful course selection.

● Precautions

Students should be aware that some courses have prerequisites, so there are certain restrictions on the time and order of study. Before each course selection, the school will send the course schedule and specify the specific course enrollment conditions so that everyone will have enough time to prepare for the course selection.

Prerequisite:

Refers to the completion of another introductory course to take a class. For example, MAT1001 must be taken before MAT1002. Therefore, MAT1001 is the prerequisite for MAT1002. Usually, the prerequisite is an introductory course. For the specific prerequisite, please refer to the course selection system or the course list released by Registry Office before course selection.

Co-requisite:

Students must take at least one other course at the same time or have completed it in advance. Please refer to the list of courses published by the Registry Office before course selection.

Reserved Quota:

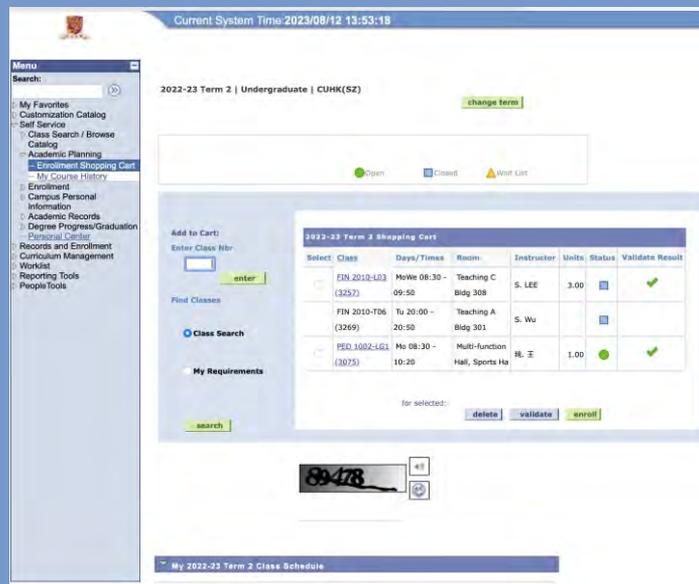
A place reserved for a specified group of students.

Target Students:

Some semester courses are not open to all students but only to the target students. During the course enrollment phase, courses are available only to the target students. Students who are not target students and wish to add these courses during the Add/Drop period may apply to the school where the course is offered through the Student Information System.

● Tips for Course Enrollment

Please choose a place with fast internet speed to finish the enrollment. Keep an eye on the time at the top of the system, enter the verification code 30 seconds in advance, and immediately press the enroll button continuously when the time is up. Don't forget



to check if you have successfully registered after you have pressed the confirm button in step 2. When performing the second step, it is recommended to wait five seconds before clicking to confirm. Otherwise, the system will display "operation is too frequent."

Scholarships and Financial Aid

In order to achieve the student-centred educational philosophy and encourage the pursuit of all-around development, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen, integrates the policies of MOE(The Ministry of Education), providing financial support and awards to students with outstanding academic or non-academic performance.

Scholarships

● National Scholarship

Reward: 8000 Yuan/year

Eligibility: Full-time second-year and above undergraduate students with excellent moral and academic performance development. Applications are open every September.

● National Endeavor Scholarship

Reward: 5000 Yuan/year

Eligibility:

Full-time second-year and above undergraduate students with excellent moral and academic performance but facing financial difficulties. Applications are open every September.

● Admission Scholarship

In order to attract promising students and encourage the pursuit of better academic performance, the University offers a wide range of admission scholarships to incoming students.

● Academic Performance Scholarship

Academic scholarships are non-application based, and a list of awardees is directly ranked by the school office; awardees are then notified by email.

● **Shenzhen Universiade International Scholarship**

Shenzhen establishes the Shenzhen Universiade International Scholarship Foundation with sums of money to promote Universiade spirits and boost the cultural and educational exchange of international youths. The foundation has various funding programs, including programs aiming to fund international students within China receiving full-time academic education of bachelor or above, to fund domestic students going abroad to receive full-time higher education of above master's degree (including master's degree), etc.

● **Guangdong Government Outstanding International Scholarship**

The scholarship aims to encourage more outstanding international students to seek academic degrees in Guangdong Province, China. Please pay attention to the notice from the Office of Student Affairs during the application period.

Financial aid

● **National Grants**

Supporting full-time undergraduate students with financial difficulties. Applications are open every September.

● **Student-Origin-Based Loans**

The loan is available for full-time undergraduate and graduate students from financially disadvantaged families. Students can apply through the student aid management organization of the county (city, district) where the registered residence is located before enrollment.

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● **Special Financial Aid**

Supporting full-time undergraduate students facing financial difficulties due to unforeseen circumstances in their families. Applications are accepted throughout the year.

Work-study program

Colleges, schools, and other departments and institutions will open student assistant positions every academic year or semester. Generally, each department will recruit student assistants at the beginning of each semester, so please pay attention to email notifications. As a student assistant, you can gain the following benefits: a financial subsidy of 25 yuan per hour, calculated based on the number of service hours, professional skill improvements, extra work experience, involvement in organizing various campus events, direct contact with administrative staff from various departments to obtain first-hand information about campus life, and opportunity to meet more friends. Exceptional performance can earn you the title of Excellent Student Assistant!

Undergraduate Student Teaching Fellows (USTF)

The USTF program aims to provide undergraduate students with teaching opportunities. After being reviewed by the USTF committee and upon completing relevant training, applicants can serve as teaching assistants for the selected courses under the supervision of the USTF committee.



Overseas Study

Over the four years of your life at CUHKSZ, you will have rich opportunities to explore different cultures, unfamiliar landscapes, and a unique university experience in foreign countries or areas.

At CUHKSZ, over 60% of undergraduate students have experienced studying abroad, and in the academic year 22-23, over 800 students were nominated for Study Abroad programs. We invite you to explore the Study Abroad stories of our returnees and alumni: https://oal.cuhk.edu.cn/study_abroad_stories

Are you feeling excited? Come and explore the diverse range of Study Abroad programs at CUHKSZ! We have established 236 Study Abroad programs in partnership with 135 world-renowned universities across 32 countries/regions. Our programs can be divided into three types:

Exchange/Visiting Programs

If you want to seek immersive learning and living experience at a foreign university, an Exchange or Visiting program could perfectly fit you!

For more details about Exchange/Visiting programs, please visit:

https://oal.cuhk.edu.cn/exchange_visiting_program

International Summer Programs

If you hope to experience studying abroad but have limited time and budget, we highly recommend considering applying for a summer program! During the summer break in each academic year, you can participate in a short-term Study Abroad program that allows you to explore the local culture and lifestyle.

For more details about summer programs, please visit:

https://oal.cuhk.edu.cn/international_summer_program

Bachelor-Master Arrangements

You can apply for the Bachelor-Master Arrangements if you plan to pursue further studies abroad after graduation. Upon successful completion, you will be awarded a bachelor's degree from the Chinese University of Hong Kong and a master's degree from the host university.

For more details about the Bachelor-Master Arrangements, please visit: https://oal.cuhk.edu.cn/bachelor_master_arrangement

What types of Study Abroad programs can I participate in during each academic year?

First Year- International Summer Program

Second Year-International Summer Program

Third Year-Exchange&Visiting Program, International Summer Program

Fourth Year-Exchange&Visiting Program, Bachelor-Master Arrangement

I'm interested in studying abroad! What should I do?

Attending a Study Abroad program can be an exciting and rewarding experience, but it requires careful planning and preparation. Before embarking on your journey, it's important to thoroughly research the program information, academic requirements, cost, and foreign cultural customs. You should also make sure to continuously improve your academic and language communication skills to ensure a successful and enjoyable experience. Therefore, **OAL suggests you to plan your Study Abroad from the beginning of your freshman year!**

You can:

·Read through the Study Abroad module on the OAL website:

https://oal.cuhk.edu.cn/exchange_visiting_program, explore your preferred programs, and learn about program details and requirements.

·Pay close attention to emails from OAL and actively participate in Study Abroad Season (SAS) events to learn more about the planning and application process. Please refer to AY2023-24 Study Abroad Season (SAS) Events Overview -Office of Academic Links for AY23-24 SAS events overview.

·If you have any questions about Study Abroad, please seek advice from: OAL (about application), Study Abroad Ambassadors https://oal.cuhk.edu.cn/study_abroad_ambassadors (about program experiences), School, and your academic advisor (about course selection, credit transfer, and academic planning), your family (about cost and budget).

OAL will keep updating you with the latest information related to Study Abroad, so please pay close attention to emails from OAL.

We look forward to exploring the world with you!

*For information and questions about Bachelor-Master Arrangements, please refer to your school's website and consult your school.

Advanced Guides

(Tips from Senior Students)

Daily Routine

Staying up late is harmful to your health and can easily lead to dormitory conflicts. We hope everyone can plan and complete your learning tasks early, and maintain a healthy and regular routine, so that you can embrace every day of your college life energized and well-rested.

Adding and Swapping Courses

Before the start of each semester, everyone eagerly waits for the “class grabbing” session. If you are unable to enrol on your desired courses due to network and speed issues, don't be disheartened. The first two weeks of each semester are Add/Drop weeks, during which students can try out courses they are interested in. During this time, pay close attention to the remaining quota in the system, as you can add the desired course when other students switch or drop these courses.

If a course quota is already full, you can submit an Add Course request through the SIS system. Please follow the instructions and guidelines about the specific procedures provided in the email. Don't hesitate to ask for help from your peers in WeChat or QQ groups.

Mentor Communication

Maintaining a good relationship with professors, teaching assistants (TA), and academic advisors (AA) is crucial. It is essential for students to promptly communicate with them when facing grade or academic difficulties, to quickly seek solutions and adjust their mindset. Generally, the teacher-student relationships are harmonious. Professors are approachable and more than willing to answer students' questions. However, it is essential to maintain politeness and appropriateness in communication and show respect to them.

Making Friends with Classmates

Building positive relationships with classmates is beneficial for maintaining mental health and promoting collaborative learning in the University. Moreover, peers can also provide valuable information regarding course selection, teacher selection, major selection, activities, competitions, and more - this can be incredibly helpful! Students can make friends by engaging in classroom discussions or participating in campus activities actively.

Obtaining Textbooks

The required textbooks can be purchased through e-commerce platforms, but some books may have relatively high prices. Many students choose to purchase second-hand books from senior students in the idle group and second-hand book group.

Course Learning

Assignments, papers, presentations (Pre), exams, etc., are common tasks of university coursework. Don't wait until the last minute to rush your preparation; you should give yourself at least a week's time. Opportunities favor those who are prepared.

Before a presentation, make sure to rehearse your script repeatedly and test whether the equipment in the classroom beforehand to ensure it functions properly and your PPT can be presented smoothly. During the presentation, it is important to dress appropriately, maintain a steady talking pace, and if you stumble, don't stop on the words; you can skip ahead or spontaneously add other content to ease the atmosphere. When facing questions from classmates or professors, stay composed and avoid getting flustered.

For paper writing, it is recommended to schedule an appointment with the professor in advance for consultation. After completing the main body, double-check the formatting requirements, proper citations, word limits, etc.

Additionally, in your daily routine, consciously and systematically review and read the recommended materials, and supplement your knowledge with relevant extracurricular information.

Group Collaboration

Group collaboration is a common assignment mode in universities. Students should maintain a positive attitude and make contributions to the group. Furthermore, it is important to choose suitable teammates; having good relationships with competent teammates is truly crucial as it leads to enjoyable collaboration and good results!

Reasonable Planning

During regular course study, it is essential to have a reasonable plan. The autonomous learning style in university is very different from the spoon-fed style in high school. You must learn how to find tasks for yourself and not rely on teachers or parents to guide you step by step. Moreover, you should have clear academic plans. An overall plan for your four years in university, including studies, language and certificate exams, internships, activities, social practices, volunteer services, etc. Most students follow the pattern of focusing on academic courses in their first two years while participating in activities and then engaging in internships and exam preparation in their third and fourth years. Having clear goals will motivate you!

If you feel stressed due to peer pressure or find yourself in a period of confusion, there's no need to be overly anxious. In the vast possibilities of college life, it is common to change plans or be uncertain regarding your career path. At such times, you can seek advice from mentors, listen to their experiences, or engage in leisure activities to relax and unwind. Remember, there are always more solutions than difficulties, so believe that everything is moving forward!



Student Activities



Part3 Student Activities

1. The Traditions of the University

2. Festival Cultures



The Traditions of the University

The Inauguration Ceremony

If we metaphorize university life as a book, the Inauguration Ceremony would be a warm and powerful preface written for you who have just innocently opened the book chapters.



In this preface, you will get to know our university's culture and history, gain the president's teachings and expectations, and envision your future four years and beyond.

Freshman Ball



Hi, new friends! Let's dance together! Usually, the first half of the ball features elegant semi-formal dance, where young men and women gracefully dance in the enchanting ballroom to music. The second half is an exciting casual dance party, celebrating the special and restless summer night with thrilling and energetic rhythms!

High Table Dinner of the Colleges

Knowledgeable scholars talking cheerfully, guests wearing formal dresses, yellow vintage lights, melodious classic music, accompanied by a long table covered with wine-red satin and exquisite desserts... The High Table Dinner, originating from the Formal Hall Dinner of Oxbridge in the UK, can satisfy all your imagination for such scenes. As a freshman, you are undoubtedly the most essential part of this dinner. So, don't forget to read upon the dining etiquette and dress code in advance!



Faculty-Student Interaction Program



The interaction and communication between faculties and students are vital aspects of our university to facilitate a close connection with student development and personal growth. Since the Office of Student Affairs launched the “Faculty-Student Interaction Program” in 2019, the interaction and communication between faculties and students outside the classroom have gradually strengthened.

The Annual Awards Presentation Ceremony

The Annual Awards Presentation Ceremony is one of the most important award ceremonies in the university. The awards presented include Government and Social Honors (National Scholarship, National Endeavor Scholarship, Guangdong Government Outstanding International Student Scholarship, etc.) and University Honors (Excellent Student Award, Excellent Student Leader Award, Excellent Volunteer Service Award, Campus Culture Development Award, etc.) As long as you strive to excel, you, too, can step on the podium and receive your well-deserved recognition!



Last Day of Classes Celebration

Let's briefly celebrate on the last day of classes in each spring term! Together, we'll commemorate the end of the semester and prepare to welcome the intense finals week together!



Festival Cultures

Mid-Autumn Festival Gala

The Mid-Autumn Festival is not only the first traditional Chinese festival that freshmen encounter upon entering university but also holds special cultural significance of reunion and happiness. During the Mid-Autumn Festival Gala, each



college presents meticulously prepared performances while the school leaders are in attendance. It is hoped that students can have warm and unique memories on their very first festival in university. With the joyful music and dance of the Mid-Autumn Festival Gala, together with the breathtaking moon and deep emotions, a joyous atmosphere will be contained in our cheered cups.

Chinese New Year Dumpling Feast



The Chinese New Year is deemed as the most important festival of the year for most Chinese people! A plate of steaming hot dumplings, a table full of like-minded friends—all the emotions of longing and nostalgia will find their warmest and most suitable place here.

Halloween Carnival

Midterm is just around the corner! After studying in the library for a whole day, you stretch and yawn... Whoa, wait a minute! When did a skeleton pop up in the corner?! And what's up with those sneaky spiderwebs suddenly appearing in the once clean corners?! Even the walls are filled with spooky witches and ghosts symbols? Of course! Today is Halloween! Are you up for a heart-pounding trip to the haunted house to let out some spine-tingling screams and blow off some steam? Or maybe you'd rather dive into the pumpkin-carving frenzy and switch some things up a bit?



There are various exciting activities happening in the university that cannot be fully covered in this handbook due to limited space. Therefore, it is important for you to pay close attention to emails and official WeChat account updates for more information and announcements.

The background is a vibrant, stylized illustration. It features a large, dark blue tree trunk that curves across the middle of the frame. In the foreground, there are several green plants with long, thin leaves. The sky is a light blue color, filled with white, wispy clouds and several bright yellow stars. The overall style is artistic and colorful.

Off-campus Facilities



Part4 Off-campus Facilities

1. Shopping Malls
2. Others

Shopping Malls

COCO Park

Basic information: Here, you can find international warehouse-style supermarket Sam's Club, IMAX Theater Bona International Cinema, trendy fashion stores, Chinese and Western specialties cuisines, family-friendly amusement park, as well as the latest digital products, etc.

Address: No.666 Ainan Road, Longgang District, Shenzhen.

Directions:

From the East Station of Shenzhen Institute of Information Technology, take Bus M318 to Universiade Subway Station (4 stops). Then, walk about 1 km.

From CUHK Shenzhen Campus bus stop, take Guan Bus No.786 to Universiade Shuttle Station, then get off and walk about 1 km to arrive.

Opening hours: Sunday-Thursday, 10:00-22:00; Friday-Saturday, 10:00-22:30.

Sui Bao Department Store

Basic Information: It is a comprehensive department store that combines shopping, dining, leisure, entertainment, and sightseeing (Hema Fresh is located on the 1st and 2nd floors of the department store building).

Address: No. 6045 Longxiang Avenue, Longgang District, Shenzhen.

Directions:

Take bus route 802 to Gongyuan Dadi Bus Stop from Universiade Center Station. Then, walk about 343 meters to arrive.

Opening Hours: 9:00 - 22:30 Monday - Sunday.



China Resources Vanguard

Basic Information: A large supermarket selling a wide variety of products.

Address: World Trade Center, Longxiang Avenue, Longgang District, Shenzhen.

Directions:

From the bus stop "Shenzhen Institute of Information Technology" opposite the old South Gate of the university, take bus route E7 to the "World Trade Department Store" stop.

From the university's new South Gate, go to the "CUHK-Shenzhen Campus" station and take bus route M315 to the "World Trade Department Store" stop.

Opening Hours: 8:00 - 22:00 Monday - Sunday.

Vanke Plaza

Basic Information: Leisure, entertainment, dining, and shopping.

Address: No. 7188 Longxiang Avenue, Central City of Longgang District, Shenzhen.

Directions:

From Universiade Center Station, take bus route 802 to Vanke Plaza stop.

From the university's New South Gate, head to the "CUHK-Shenzhen Campus" station and take bus route M315 to Vanke Plaza stop.

Opening Hours: 10:00 - 22:00 Monday - Sunday.

Longcheng Vanke Mall

Basic Information: Leisure, entertainment, dining, and shopping.

Address: No. 3999 Longgang Avenue, Longgang District, Shenzhen.

Directions:

Take bus route M315 from CUHK Shenzhen Campus Station, and get off at Longcheng Plaza bus stop. Then, walk about 80 meters to arrive.

Opening Hours: Monday - Thursday, Sunday: 10:00 - 22:00; Friday & Saturday: 10:00 to 22:30.

Others

The Library of Longgang District

Address: Longgang Cultural Centre District D, Longgang Central City, Shenzhen.

Opening Hours: The main and children's libraries are open from 8:30 to 21:00 every day.

"New-Book Direct Borrowing" Activity (Free Book Borrowing)

Borrowing Process: Log in to the system using your library reader's card number → Select the desired books and add them to the shopping cart → Fill in the recipient's delivery information → Submit the order for payment → Books will be delivered by express delivery → Return the books (For more specific information, please check the "Longgang Library" WeChat official account).



Shenzhen Book City·Longgang Book Town (Hong Li Fang Store)

Address: No. 8028-4, Longxiang Avenue, Longgang District, Shenzhen.

Opening Hours: Monday - Thursday, Sunday: 09:30 to 21:30; Friday - Saturday: 09:30 to 22:00.

Appendix



Dictionary

Summary of Common Abbreviations

【GPA】

Abbreviation for Grade Point Average. See more specific information in the Part 2 “Academic Learning”

【SME】

Abbreviation for School of Management and Economics.

【SSE】

Abbreviation for School of Science and Engineering.

【HSS】

Abbreviation for School of Humanities and Social Science.

【SDS】

Abbreviation for School of Data Science.

【MED】

Abbreviation for School of Medicine.

【MUS】

Abbreviation for School of Music.

【BB】

Abbreviation for Blackboard. Blackboard is a platform for faculties and students to share teaching resources. Important assignments, exams, test results, and announcements are often released on it. The link is bb.cuhk.edu.cn.

【SIS】

Abbreviation for Student Information System. It is a platform for enrolling, adding, and dropping courses, checking GPA, applying for grade report cards, etc. The link is sis.cuhk.edu.cn.

【VPN】

If you want to access CUHKSZ Online Services My Portal, SIS, or check the E-resources in the library, connecting via the University's VPN is required. The link is <https://vpn.cuhk.edu.cn>.

【DDL】

Abbreviation for Deadline, which means the due date of a task.

【Pre】

Abbreviation for Presentation, which is one of the key assessment approaches of the university. Students usually need to prepare PowerPoint Slides for the speech in class.

【TUT】

Abbreviation for Tutorial, a class apart from normal lectures.

【TA】

Abbreviation for Teaching Assistant, who is responsible for teaching tutorials, after-class Q&A, and marking the homework.

【USTF】

Abbreviation for Undergraduate Student Teaching Fellows. USTFs are a bunch of academically outstanding seniors who assist with teaching. They are accommodating, so don't be shy to ask any questions!

【AA】

Abbreviation for Academic Advisor. The position is held by professors TAs who are responsible for answering questions about your learning and career planning.

【CP】

Abbreviation for Cheating Paper, which is a kind of note that is allowed to be brought during an examination.

【TP】

Abbreviation for Term Paper. It can be regarded as the final paper.

【RJ】

Abbreviation for Reflective Journal. After finishing a certain part of the teaching content, the professor will ask several related questions. Students need to answer them and convey their knowledge of the text in a short paper.

【WL】

Abbreviation for Workload refers to the amount of work required for a course or task.

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