THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG

LI KA SHING FACULTY OF MEDICINE

DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACOLOGY AND PHARMACY

Master of Advanced Pharmacy

Applications are invited for admission (Full-time and Part-time) in September 2024 to the Master of Advanced Pharmacy Programme.

A. Programme Overview

The Master of Advanced Pharmacy programme aims to equip our students for essential roles in medication management and to support the evolving needs of the healthcare system and patients. This programme provides postgraduate training that students can customize to their professional needs in pharmacy practice, which may be in hospital, community, the pharmaceutical industry, or innovative transdisciplinary roles.

The Master of Advanced Pharmacy programme will have 4 structured streams:

- Clinical Practice
- Community Health
- Pharmaceutical Medicine
- Generalist

Mode of Study	Normative: Full time 1 year / Part time 2 years Maximum: Full time 3 years / Part time 4 years	
Class Arrangement	Weekdays evening and occasional Saturday afternoon	

B. Curriculum

Stream	Credits of Core Course(s)	Credits of Elective Course(s)	Credits of Capstone Experience	Total
Clinical Practice	42	12	15	<u>69</u>
Community Health	45	9	15	
Pharmaceutical Medicine	39	15	15	
Generalist	15	39	15	

Students should refer to the curriculum in the syllabus for their selected concentration to guide their course selection.

C. Course Assessment

Assessment is based on a combination of continuous assessment, examination in written format and/or objective structured clinical pharmacy examination (OSCPE). Continuous assessment comprises of class tests, in-class performance, and various types of assignments, such as written report, oral presentation, and group projects.

D. Admission Requirements

To be eligible for admission to the curriculum leading to the degree of Master of Advanced Pharmacy, candidates shall:

- a. comply with the General Regulations; and
- b. comply with the Regulations for Taught Postgraduate Curricula; and
- c. be holding a Bachelor's degree or above
 - i. in pharmacy (for Clinical Practice or Community Health streams)
 - ii. in pharmacy, pharmaceutical science, pharmacology, physiology, physical science, biochemistry, biotechnology, chemistry, biomedical/biological sciences, genetics, medicine, nursing or other relevant discipline (for Pharmaceutical Medicine stream or Generalist)

from this University, or from another university, or comparable institution accepted for this purpose; and

d. satisfy the examiners in a qualifying examination, if required.

E. Composition Fees (subject to adjustment)

The tuition fee for 2024-25 intake is HK\$150,880 per programme (69 credits for both full-time and part-time modes of study). Individuals are charged based on the number of credits they are taking in each semester. Every 3 credits costs HK\$6560.

Students have to pay for the admission deposit upon acceptance of conditional offer. Below is the table for the estimated admission deposit amounts for 2024-25 intake:

Degree Duration	Deposit Fee on Acceptance of Conditional Offer		
1-year full-time	HK\$33,250		
2-year part-time	HK\$33,150		

F. Application

- 1. Applications for this programme and payment of application fee (HK\$300 per application) should be submitted online at https://admissions.hku.hk/tpg/programme-list
- 2. The successful submission of an online application consists of the following steps: https://admissions.hku.hk/tpg/application-procedures
- 3. Please note the application deadline outlined on this website. Applicants should submit applications and required documents by the application deadline.
- 4. Please also refer to our supporting document on HKU TPG admission website.

Application Deadline

Round 1 (Main):

Non-local: 12:00 noon (GMT +8), April 30, 2024

Local: 12:00 noon (GMT +8), May 31, 2024

Round 2 (Clearing):

Local: 12:00 noon (GMT +8), June 28, 2024

G. Further Information

 $For \ details, \ please \ visit \ our \ programme \ website: \ \underline{https://www.pharma.hku.hk/en/Prospective-Student/Master-of-Advanced-Pharmacy/Programme-Overview}$

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