1. Applications are invited for admission in September -2021 to the programme leading to the degree of Master of Social Sciences in the field of Counselling. To be eligible for admission to the programme, a candidate shall satisfy both the University Admission Requirements and the Programme Specific Requirements as listed below:

(a) shall comply with the General Regulations and the Regulations for Taught Postgraduate Curricula;
(b) shall hold a Bachelor's degree of this University or a qualification of equivalent standard from this University or another comparable institution accepted for this purpose;
(c) shall preferably have at least two years of relevant working experience; and
(d) for a candidate who is seeking admission on the basis of a qualification from a university or comparable institution outside Hong Kong of which the language of teaching and/or examination is not English, shall satisfy the following English language requirement applicable to high degrees as prescribed under General Regulation G2(b).*

An application for exemption from the above requirements shall be considered on a case by case basis.

* For General Regulation G2(b), please refer to http://tl.hku.hk/quality-manual/appendices/.

2. The curriculum shall extend over not less than two to three academic years of part-time study.

3. Applications for this taught postgraduate programme and payment of application fee (HK$300 per application) should be made through the HKU on-line application system at http://hku.hk/tpg/.
4. The closing dates for application are 12:00 noon, **November 30, 2020 (Round 1) and March 1, 2021 (Round 2)**.

5. The Regulations and Syllabuses for this programme can also be viewed at [http://hku.hk/tpg/](http://hku.hk/tpg/).

6. Applicants may contact the Department of Social Work and Social Administration at (852) 3917 2073 or [swsamss@hku.hk](mailto:swsamss@hku.hk) if they do not receive their application results by July 31, 2021.

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