

THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG
Master of Housing Management

1. Applications are invited for admission in September 2019 to read for the degree of Master of Housing Management offered by the Department of Urban Planning and Design, Faculty of Architecture.

To be eligible for admission to the programme, a candidate shall satisfy both the University Admissions 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
 - (i) a Bachelor's degree with honours of this University; or
 - (ii) a qualification of equivalent standard of this University or another university or comparable institution accepted for this purpose*; and
 - (iii) satisfy the examiners in a qualifying examination if required.

* Qualifications which are accepted include:

- (i) a Professional Diploma in Housing Management awarded by the HKU School of Professional and Continuing Education and possession of at least five years' work experience in the housing field; or
- (ii) full membership of the Hong Kong Institute of Housing (MHKIH) and possession of at least five years' work experience in the housing field (at least two of which must be post-qualification); or
- (iii) chartered membership of the Chartered Institute of Housing (MCIH) and possession of at least five years' work experience in the housing field (at least two of which must be post-qualification).

Candidates who hold these qualifications, if selected, shall not be offered admission until they have satisfied the examiners in a qualifying examination to test their academic ability to follow the courses of study prescribed. The qualifying examination shall consist of one or more written papers and shall be set prior to the final selection of candidates for admission into the curriculum.

(c) 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 University 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.

2. The degree of Master of Housing Management is an interdisciplinary programme designed not only to upgrade the training and skills of professionals working in the area of housing management in the public or private sector but also to provide a firm intellectual foundation for those wishing to specialize in the housing area at postgraduate level. Two streams of study, the Academic Stream and the Professional Stream, each lead to the award of the MHousMan degree. The Master of Housing Management (Professional Stream) is intended for students without professional qualifications in housing management, and graduates will be eligible for membership in the Chartered Institute of Housing and the Hong Kong Institute of Housing.

3. The Academic Stream of study extends over two academic years of part-time study. Students are required to complete seven taught courses and write a dissertation during the study period. The Professional Stream of study offers two years of part-time study, or one whole calendar year of study. Students are required to complete eleven taught courses and write a dissertation during their study period.

4. The composition fee of the Master of Housing Management (Academic Stream) for 2019-20 is \$140,640 for the whole programme. The tuition fee for the Professional Stream is \$168,000 for the whole programme for both part-time study and full-time study. The composition fee for 2019-20 is subject to final approval.

5. Applications for a taught postgraduate programme can be made via our on-line application system at <http://www.hku.hk/tpg>.
6. Further information on the curriculum may be obtained from:

Department of Urban Planning and Design
The University of Hong Kong
Pokfulam Road
Hong Kong

Telephone No.: 3917 2721
Website: <http://www.arch.hku.hk/programmes/upad/master-of-housing-management/>
7. The closing date for application is (extended to) **12:00 noon (HK time), 31 January 2019.**
8. Deadline for notification of the application results is mid-May 2019.
9. The Regulations and Syllabuses for the above programme can be viewed at <http://www.hku.hk/tpg/>.
10. Interested applicants can join the Department's Admissions Talk to be held on 1 December 2018 (Saturday) at 10:00 am in Room KB820, 8/F., Knowles Building, The University of Hong Kong. Details will be released closer to the date of the event.

October 2018
January 2019