City University of Hong Kong
Exchange Programme
Asia’s World City
Hong Kong is one of the most vibrant cosmopolitan cities in the world. It has the world’s freest economy and is seen as one of the world’s leading financial centres. With its safe and convenient living environment, Hong Kong is a great place for education and career seeking.

The Heart of Asia
The city is efficiently located within 4 hours of flying time from the region’s key financial markets, and is less than a 5-hour flight from half the world’s population.

The Gateway to China
Hong Kong has always been known as the bridge between the east and the west. Many multinational companies set up their Asian headquarters in the city overlooking their operation especially mainland China.

Culturally Diversified
The city is fast-paced and exciting with over 7 million people. In this thriving East-meets-West metropolis, western life style mingle with ancient Chinese culture, and old traditions co-exist with the new.
CityU

A Leading Global University
At City University of Hong Kong (CityU), we are dynamic and innovative, with global ambitions. We make differences, through Excellence in Research and Professional Education.

QS World University Rankings 2020: 52nd in the world
THE World University Rankings 2019: 1st in International Outlook
QS Top 50 Under 50 2019: 5th in the world

Global Focus, International Standards
• English as the medium of instruction
• Discovery and innovation focused curriculum
• World-class faculty members and programmes
• Opportunity to excel beyond the classroom
• Centrally located in the heart of the city

A culturally rich campus with 7000+ non-local students from 80+ countries / regions

400+ student exchange partner institutions in 45 countries / regions

Target to send 65% of undergraduate students for international exposure

20,000+ full-time students
Campus Life at CityU

CityU works to integrate non-local students into the CityU community and to enrich students’ international and multicultural consciousness, exposure and learning experience.

At CityU, exchange students have access to:
- Pre-arrival support
- Student visa assistance
- Peer support by International Friends Club
- Orientation programmes
- Academic advising
- Counselling services
- On-campus medical clinic
- Cross-cultural integration programmes and activities by Global Mixer
- Accommodation information and support
- English language services

Cost of Living

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<th>Expenses</th>
<th>Estimated cost per month (USD)</th>
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<td>Accommodation</td>
<td>298 - 880</td>
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<td>Food</td>
<td>430</td>
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<td>Local transportation</td>
<td>28</td>
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<td>Personal expenditure (e.g. medical expenses, telephone bills and laundry)</td>
<td>73</td>
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<td>Academic expenses (e.g. books and supplies)</td>
<td>+ 45</td>
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<td>Total cost per month</td>
<td>874 - 1456</td>
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Note: Living cost will vary depending on individual lifestyle and choices.

Accommodation

Among the wide variety of housing options in Hong Kong, you will definitely find one that suits your living style and needs. You may choose to live on-campus which is conveniently walkable to the university, or to have a taste of the local life through living off-campus. For more information regarding accommodation options, please visit www.cityu.edu.hk/sro
Vibrant Life on Exchange

- More than 70 student associations and societies
- International Society set up by non-local students
- 16 competitive sport teams
**Academic Calendar**

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<td>Early Sep – End Nov</td>
<td>Mid-Jan – Late Apr</td>
<td>Early Jun – Late Jul</td>
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<td><strong>Revision</strong></td>
<td>First week of Dec</td>
<td>Late Apr – Early May</td>
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<td>Early Dec – Mid-Dec</td>
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**Online Application Period**

- **Fall Semester:** Early Apr – Mid-May
- **Spring Semester:** Early Sep – Mid-Oct
- **Summer Term:** Mid-Jan – Mid-Feb

**Application Procedures**

1. **Step 1**
   Apply through home university

2. **Step 2**
   Be nominated by home university

3. **Step 3**
   Complete CityU online application
CityU has 9 Colleges and Schools, 28 academic departments, providing over 130 programmes to its students.

**College of Business**
- Accountancy
- Business Analysis
- Business Economics
- Business Operations Management
- Computational Finance and Financial Technology
- Finance
- Global Business
- Global Business Systems Management
- Information Management
- Management
- Marketing

**College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences**
- Asian and International Studies
- Chinese and History
- Criminology and Sociology
- Digital Television and Broadcasting
- English Studies
- Linguistics and Language Applications
- Media and Communication
- Psychology
- Public Policy and Politics
- Social Work
- Translation and Interpretation

**School of Data Science**
- Data Science
- Data and System Engineering

**School of Law**
- Laws

**College of Engineering**
- Architectural Engineering
- Biomedical Engineering
- Civil Engineering
- Computer and Data Engineering
- Computer Science
- Electronic and Communication Engineering
- Information Engineering Materials Sciences and Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Nuclear and Risk Engineering
- Surveying
- Systems Engineering and Management

**College of Science**
- Applied Physics
- Chemistry
- Computing Mathematics

**Jockey Club College of Veterinary Medicine and Life Sciences**
- Biological Sciences
- Biomedical Sciences
- Veterinary Medicine

**School of Creative Media**
- Creative Media
- New Media

**School of Energy and Environment**
- Energy Science and Engineering
- Environmental Science and Engineering

Notes: Course offerings may change from semester to semester. For detailed course list and latest information, please visit [http://www.admo.cityu.edu.hk/exchange_visiting/exchange/info/](http://www.admo.cityu.edu.hk/exchange_visiting/exchange/info/).