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The Chinese University Offers New PhD Programme in Social Welfare

The Chinese University of Hong Kong will introduce in September 1992 a programme by research, either full-time or part-time, leading to the PhD degree in Social Welfare.

The new doctoral programme aims at upgrading teaching competence at tertiary level and promoting research capability. Students will be required to take courses, tutorials or other supplemental classes and to conduct a seminar on his/her research topic when necessary. Apart from passing a comprehensive examination, students must also produce a doctoral dissertation.

Candidates should possess a master degree in social work or a related discipline from a recognised university, and should have at least three years' practical or teaching experience in social service or social welfare. They are also required to furnish proof of their research capability in the form of past publications or strongly favourable comments from academic referees or professional colleagues.

Application forms are now obtainable from the Graduate School at The Chinese University. The deadline for application is February 29, 1992. Requests for details of the programme can be directed to the Department of Social Work at Tel:609 7501.

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